

TRADEMARK

(ketoconazole)

Did you know

that in seborrhoeic dermatitis
a dominant role is played by
Pityrosporum yeasts?

And did you know

that *Pityrosporum* is exceptional
sensitive to ketoconazole,
alias Nizoral?

If you do, you know why Nizoral cream is the right answer to seborrhoeic dermatitis

Apply twice daily until a few days after remission of symptoms.

Indications: Nizoral cream is indicated for topical application in the treatment of dermatophyte infections of the skin, as well as in the treatment of cutaneous candidosis and tinea (pityriasis) versicolor. Nizoral cream is also indicated for the treatment of seborrhoeic dermatitis, a skin condition related with the presence of *Pityrosporum ovale*. **Precautions:** Irritation may occur when Nizoral cream is used immediately after prolonged treatment with topical corticosteroids. Therefore, it is recommended to discontinue applying the topical steroid used in the mornings and to apply Nizoral cream in the evenings, and to subsequently and gradually withdraw the steroid therapy over a period of 2-3 weeks.



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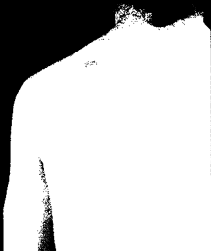
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ABC OF CHILD ABUSE

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Edited by Professor Roy Meadow, head of the department of paediatrics and child health, St James's University Hospital, Leeds, the book has contributions from paediatricians, child psychiatrists, a police surgeon, a social worker, a lawyer, and a victim. It should be read by everyone concerned with the care of children.

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