

Miconazole Nitrate Vaginal Insert (1200mg) Soft Gel Vaginal Insert

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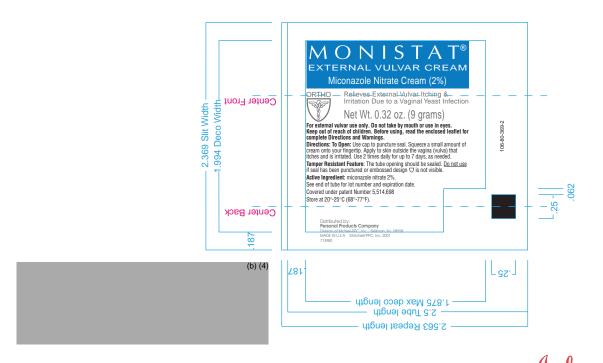
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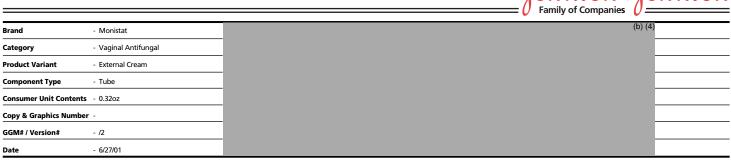
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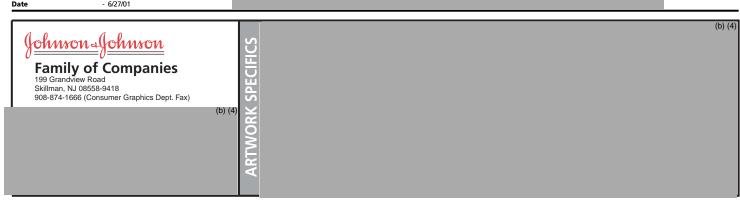
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MONISTAT

COMBINATION PACK
Miconazole Nitrate Vaginal Insert (1200mg) and Miconazole Nitrate Cream (2%)

VAGINAL ANTIFLINGAL

Cures Most Vaginal Yeast Infections

Relieves External Vulvar Itching and Irritation Associated With a Yeast Infection

Why should I use Monistat® 1 Combination Pack?

Monistat[®] 1 Combination Pack is a 1-dose Soft Gel Vaginal Insert that cures most vaginal yeast infections, plus an external cream that can be used for relief of litching and irritation on the skin outside the vagina (vulva) due to a yeast infection. *Do not use Monistat*[®] 1 vagina (vulva) due to a yeast infection. Do not use Monistate" 1 Combination Peck If this is the first time you have vaginal dis-charge, liching, burning and disconfort. See your doctor or health professional first to find out the cause of your symptons. If a doctor has told you in the past that you had a vaginal yeast infection and you have the same symptoms now (such as vaginal discharge, liching or burning), then Monistat[®] 1 may work for you.

What is a vaginal yeast infection?

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A vaginal yeast infection is a common condition caused by an overgrowth of yeast (Candida) that may normally live in the vagina. Your doctor may call this infection "monilial" or "candidiasis." Some women may have a yeast infection on the skin outside of the vagina (vulva) at the same time that they have a vaginal infection.

Who can get a vaginal yeast infection?

You can get a vaginal yeast infection:
You can get a vaginal yeast infection at any age. It is most
common during the childbearing years. Women who are pregnant o
diabetic, taking antibiotics, birth control pills or steroids, or who
have a weakened immune system are more likely to get repeated
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yeast infections that may not clear up easily with proper treatment. Some medical conditions can weaken the body's normal ability to fight infection. One of the most serious of these conditions is infection with the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV – the virus that causes AIDS). The HIV virus causes the body to be more likely to get infections, including vaginal yeast infections that may not clear up easily with proper treatment. If you may have been excused to the original very control of the control of the

How can I tell if I have a vaginal yeast infection?

When you have a vaginal yeast infection, you may have one or more of the following symptoms:

- vaginal discharge that may be thick, white, and lumpy like cottage cheese
- vaginal soreness, irritation, or burning

· vaginal itching

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 rash or redness on the skin outside the vagina (vulva)
 burning on urination
 painful vaginal intercourse (sex)

Note: Vaginal yeast infections do NOT cause fever, chills, lower abdominal, back or shoulder pain, foul-smelling vaginal discharge, or a missed period. These may be signs of a sexually transmitted disease (STD) or a tubal pregnancy. If you have these symptoms, call your doctor right away.

What are other causes of a vaginal discharge?

What are other causes of a vaginal discharge?

It is normal to have a small amount of vaginal discharge at certain times of the month. This normal to discharge may be clear or sightly white and does not cause lichting, pain or a foul odor.

The most common cause of an abnormal vaginal discharge is an infection. These infections include bacterial vaginosis (BV), tri-chromoriasis (Find), gonorries (GO) and for chiamydia. All of these may be transmitted sexually and are called sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) (at the CDC STD Hottler at 1-800-277-8922.

Although many of the infections method above can cause symptoms similar to a vaginal yeast infection (vaginal discharge, irritation and tichnig), their diagnosis must be made by a doctor so that proper treatment can be given.

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If these infections are not properly treated or if proper treatment is delayed, serious problems, such as pelvic inflammatory disease (PID) may result, which may prevent you from having children in the future. If you are preparant and do not get the proper treatment, the infection may be passed to your bably follow and tring delivery and may cause your bably to have permanent damage. If you have multiple sex partners or a new sex partner, you should also ask a doctor before use to make sure you do not have an STD.

Why do women get repeated vaginal yeast infections?

Women may get repeated vaginal yeast infections that may not clear up easily with proper treatment. Listed below are some of the causes of repeated yeast infections:

- hormonal changes occurring a few days before the monthly
- use of antibiotics
- use of some birth control pills
- pregnancy
- diabetes ("sugar" or "high blood sugar")
- clothing wearing tight layers or moist clothing in the genital area Housing - wearing uit, a yets or misot coming in use geniar weakened immune system - some drugs (such as chemotherapy or steroids) and medical conditions can weaken the body's normal ability to fight infection. One of the most serious of these conditions is infection with the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV - the virus that causes AIDs), infection with IV causes the person to be more likely to get infections, including vaginal yeast infectiors.

If you get vaginal yeast infections often (such as once a month or 3 in 6 months), you should talk to a doctor.

Are vaginal yeast infections sexually transmitted?

Vaginal yeast infections are usually not spread by having inter-course (sex). However, if your partner has a rash, itching or dis-comfort in his genital area, he should contact a doctor to find out the cause of his symptoms and tell the doctor that you are treating your vaginal yeast infection with Monistat® 1 Combination Pack.

How can I prevent repeated vaginal yeast infections?

- lower your chances of getting another yeast infection: to lower your chances of getting another yeast infection:

 "It yo keep the genital area cool and dry. Yeast grow well in warm, moist areas. The following suggestions may be helpful:
 (I) Wear control underwear and losse-fitting clothes.
 (2) Change out of damp clothes or a wet bathing suit as soon as possible.
 (3) If you use minipads when you are not having a menstrual period, change the minipads often.
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 **Talk with your doctor about any drugs you are now taking. You are more likely to get a vaginal yeast infection if you are taking oretain drugs such as antibiotics, steroids, or britt control pills. Do not stop taking these drugs without first asking your doctor. A doctor may need to see you to make sure that you do not have other medical conditions such as diabetes or a weekened immune.

Can I use Monistat® 1 Combination Pack during my menstrual period?

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Yes, this product can be used during your menstrual period.
In fact, many women get waginal yeast infections just before their period because of hommonal changes. Using Monistation ² 1 1 Combination Pack during your period will not affect how well this product works. If you have started treatment and your period occurs, you should complete the full course of treatment.

Do not use tampons while using this product, because tampons may remove some of the drug from the vagina. Use deodorant-free sanitary napkins or pads instead, and change them often.

Can I use other vaginal products with Monistat® 1 Combination Pack?

- This drug should not be used with other vaginal products
- Douches and tampons may remove some of the Soft Gel Vaginal Insert from the vagina.
- Spermicides may interfere with Monistat[®] 1 Combination Pack.
 Condoms and diaphragms may be damaged by this product and fail to prevent pregnancy or sexually transmitted diseases (STDs)



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How can I get the best results when treating my infection?

- . Use the Soft Gel Vaginal Insert at bedtime, ev
- Interstruat period.

 *Use the tube of cream externally only while symptoms are present. If you have symptoms (such as liching and irritation) on the skin outside the vagina (vulva), apply the cream externally 2 times a day, up to a total of 7 days, as needed.
- Dry the genital area thoroughly after a shower, bath or swim.

 Change out of a wet bathing suit or damp clothes as soon as possible. A dry area is less likely to lead to the overgrowth of
- Wear cotton underwear and loose-fitting clothes
- Wipe from front to back after a bowel movement or after urination.
 Do not douche, because douching may wash the drug out of the
- Do not use tampons, because they remove some of the drug from the vagina. Use deodorant-free sanitary napkins or pads as
- Do not use spermicides, as they may interfere with Monistat® 1 Combination Pack.
- Do not have vaginal intercourse while using Monistat® 1 Combination Pack.
- Do not scratch the skin outside the vagina. Scratching can cause more irritation and can spread the infection.
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 Tell your doctor about any drugs you are now taking. Certain drugs such as antibiotics, steroids, and birth control pilis, may make it more likely for you to get a vaginal yeast infection. If you are taking any of these drugs do not stop taking them without first asking a doctor.
- If you have any other medical questions or concerns about vaginal yeast infections, call your doctor.

What warnings should I know about when using Monistat® 1 Combination Pack?

Do not use if you have never had a vaginal yeast infection diagnosed by a doctor.

- Ask a doctor before use if you have:
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 vaginal ritching and discomfort for the first time. You may need a different treatment.

 lower abdominal, back or leading vaginal discharge. You could have a more serious condition.

 vaginal yeast infections often (such as once a month or 3 in 6 months). You could be pregnant or have a serious underlying medical cause for your symptoms, including diabetes or a weakened immune system.

 been exposed to the human immunodeficiency virus (+IV) that causes AIDS.

 Ask a doctor or pharmacist before use if you are taking the perscription blood thining medicine, warfarin (coumadin), because bleeding or bruising may occur.



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How Should I Use Monistat® 1 **Combination Pack?**

This product is for adults and children 12 years of age and over. For children under 12 years, ask a doctor.

Directions for using the Soft Gel Vaginal Insert. Begin treatment before going to bed:

1 Separate the paper backing from blister pack by peeling back the cover from the corner (see picture).





3 Hold the applicator containing the Soft Gel Vaginal Insert by the opposite end from where the Soft Gel Vaginal Insert is.



5 With one hand holding the barrel, use the other hand to push the plunger all the way in to place the Soft Gel Vaginal Insert as far back in the vagina as possible. Then remove both parts of the applicator from the vagina.

6 Throw away applicator after use. Do not flush in toilet.

Lie down as soon as possible after inserting the Soft Gel Vaginal Insert. This will reduce leakage.

You may want to use deodorant-free pads or partyshields to protect your clothing during the time that you are using Monistat¹ 1 Combination Pack. This is because the Soft Gel Valgarial Insert can leak or you may get some discharge. Do not use tampons, douches, sepremicides, condoms or disphragms until after you have completed the treatment and your symptoms are gone.

Directions for using the External Vulvar Cream Use the cream twice daily, for up to 7 days as needed.

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 1. Open the tube by unscrewing the cap. The first time the tube is opened, press the sharp point of the cap into the sealed end of the tube. Push down frmly until the seal is open.

 2. Squeeza a small amount of cream onto your fingertip.

 3. Apply the cream onto the skin outside the vaginar (uvlay) what it ches and is irritated.

 4. Screw the cap back on the tube.

 5. Repeat steps 2-4 each morning and at bedtime for up to 7 days, as needed.

- do not use tampons, douches, spermicides, or other vaginal products. Condoms and diaphragms may be damaged and fall to prevent pregnancy or sexually transmitted diseases (STDs).
 do not have vaginal intercourse

When using this product:

· mild increase in vaginal burning, itching or irritation may occur

Stop use and ask your doctor if:

- symptoms do not get better in 3 days
 symptoms last more than 7 days
- you get a rash or hives, abdominal pain, fever, chills, nausea, vomiting, or foul-smelling vaginal discharge.

These may be signs that this product is not working, or you may have a more serious condition or an allergic reaction.

If pregnant or breast-feeding, ask a health professional before use

Il pregiant or preast-reeding, ask a health professional betrior use. Keep out of reach of children. If swallowed, get medical help or contact a Poison Control Center right away. What side effects may occur with Monistate "1 Combination Pack? A mild increase in vaginal burning, itching, or irritation may occur when the Sott Gel Vaginal Insert is inserted. Abdominal cramping has also been reported.

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Stop using Monistat[®]1 Combination Pack and consult your doctor if you have abdominal pain, hives, skin rash, or if you have severe vaginal burning, itching, or irritation or swelling.

What should I do if I have questions about Monistat® 1 Combination Pack?

Combination Pack?
Questions of a medical nature should be taken up with your doctor.
If you have any other questions or need more information on this
product, call our foll-free number. Call between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM
Eastern time, Monday through Friday. A nurse will gladly answer your
questions. Our foll-free number is 1=877-MONISTAT (1=877-668-4782). Other Information:

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