Simple Eye Ointment

Read all of this leaflet carefully before you start using this medicine because it contains important information for you.
Always use this medicine exactly as described in this leaflet or as your doctor or pharmacist has told you.
- Keep this leaflet. You may need to read it again.
- Ask your pharmacist if you need more information or advice.
- If you get any side effects, talk to your doctor or pharmacist. This includes any possible side effects not listed in this leaflet. See section 4.
- You must talk to a doctor if you do not feel better or if you feel worse.

In this leaflet:

1. What Simple Eye Ointment is and what it is used for:
Simple Eye Ointment is used to lubricate and protect the eye in a wide variety of conditions such as redness and swelling in the eye area, scratches on and decreased sensitivity of the cornea and in eye surgery. It is also used for sticky eyes and to soften and remove crusts from the eyelids.

2. What you need to know before using Simple Eye Ointment
Do not use Simple Eye Ointment:
- You are allergic (hypersensitive) to any of the ingredients which are listed in section 6 of this leaflet.
- You are wearing contact lenses.
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3. How to use Simple Eye Ointment
Always use Simple Eye Ointment exactly as directed by your doctor.

4. Possible side effects
Like all medicines, Simple Eye Ointment can cause side effects, although not everybody gets them.
Possible side effects:
- Blurred vision.
- Skin reactions.

Reporting of side effects:
If you get any side effects, talk to your doctor or pharmacist. This includes any possible side effects not listed in this leaflet.
You can also report side effects directly via the Yellow Card System (www.mhra.gov.uk/yellowcard).

By reporting side effects you can help provide more information on the safety of this medicine.

5. How to store Simple Eye Ointment
Keep this medicine out of the sight and reach of children.

6. Contents of the pack and other information
Simple Eye Ointment contains:
The medicine contains yellow soft paraffin, anhydrous lanolin (wool fat) and liquid paraffin.

Simple Eye Ointment is for external use only. If you have swallowed or you suspect someone else has swallowed any of this medicine, contact your doctor.

How much to use:
The usual dose is a thin line of ointment placed in each eye whenever needed.
If there is no improvement see your doctor or pharmacist.
If you use more Simple Eye Ointment than you should:
It will not cause you any harm. If you are worried then talk to your doctor or pharmacist.
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What Simple Eye Ointment looks like:
Simple Eye Ointment is a soft amber ointment supplied in plastic tubes. Each tube contains 4 grams of sterile eye ointment.

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Producer:
Romford Essex RM3 8UG

Manufacturer:
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If you would like any more information, or would like the leaflet in a different format, please contact Medical Information at the above address.

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