

RECTAL SUPPOSITORY

Rectal suppository in KMUH







Before using rectal suppository



Wash your hands before using rectal suppository
With mild soap and warm water, and dry well with
a clean towel.

How to use rectal suppository

- Remove any wrapping from the suppository.

 If the suppository becomes soft, you can place it in cold water or in the refrigerator. Use it after it getting hardens.
- Lie down on your side with your top leg slightly bent toward your stomach and with your bottom leg straight.
- Using your finger to insert the suppository tip into the anus beyond approximately 2.5 centimeters (about one finger joint deep)
- Press the buttocks inward with your hand for a few seconds and remain lying flat for about 15 minutes to prevent the suppository from being expelled.



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Be aware of...

- Wash your hands before and after with soap and warm water to prevent secondary infection.
- For individuals who are allergic to medications, it is necessary to inform the doctor or pharmacist beforehand.
- When the medication is not in use (before use), it should be kept in its
 original packaging from the manufacturer and avoid tampering with it to
 prevent deterioration or loss of efficacy.

Possible side effects that may occur

- You may experience symptoms such as diarrhea, abdominal discomfort, vomiting, irritation, and stomach cramps.
- If you experience weakness, dizziness, palpitations, severe abdominal cramps, bloody stools, or rectal bleeding, please discontinue the medication immediately and seek medical attention.

Storage

- Store in a cool, dry place at room temperature. Keep it out of the reach of children to avoid accidental ingestion.
- If the suppository becomes soft, you can place it in cold water or in the refrigerator. Use it after it getting hardens.

Pregnant or breastfeed

If planning to become or already pregnant, you should inform and discuss with your doctor, as well as before planning to breastfeed.