

WARTNER

wart pen (1.5ml e)

For the removal of warts and verrucas

READ THE ENTIRE INSTRUCTION LEAFLET BEFORE USING WARTNER

A. Background on warts & verrucas

Warts are harmless growths on the skin, caused by the human papilloma virus (HPV). There are different types of warts but the most prevalent are called common warts. They consist of a core of inner tissue supplied by blood vessels, covered with layers of outer skin tissue.

Common warts are recognisable by the rough, "cauliflower-like" appearance of the surface. They usually appear on the hands, knees and elbows. Verrucas are similar to common warts but only appear on the sole of the foot, or the bottom of toes. They tend to be flatter and are often painful due to the pressure caused by walking. Wartner has been specifically designed for the treatment of verrucas, including two additional steps for optimal preparation and after treatment.



Warts & verrucas affect 7 to 10% of the general population. They are most common in children and adolescents. Warts are very contagious and may appear more often if the body's defence system is weak. Warts can be passed from person to person or from one body location to another on the same person by direct contact with the infected area. More than 50% of warts disappear within two years with no treatment. However, many people choose to treat them at the onset as they can be unsightly and, in the case of verrucas, painful.

Traditionally there has been two main ways to treat warts or verrucas: first, acid based preparations that are applied directly onto the wart or verruca; and secondly, surgical removal by a medical professional which can be performed with laser therapy, burning or cryotherapy (freezing with liquid nitrogen). Wartner® is an effective and easy to use home treatment with a new highly concentrated gel removing warts & verrucas from 1 week.

B. What is the Wartner Wart & Verruca Pen and what is it used for?

The Wartner Wart & Verruca Pen is a medical device indicated for the treatment of common warts (verruca vulgaris and verruca plantaris) and verrucas. The pen applicator contains a new highly concentrated wart & verruca removal gel based on the traditional acid method. The gel promotes skin cell regeneration which causes the skin to peel. As this occurs, new healthy skin forms and the wart (or verruca) will shrink and disappear.

C. What should you know before using the Wart Pen?

Do not use if you are hypersensitive to the ingredient:

© Trichloroacetic acid. No interaction with other medications is known. No contraindications are known to be associated with the use of Wart Pen. Do not use together with other wart treatment. In case of pregnancy, and lactation, consult your doctor or pharmacist prior to this treatment.

D. Instructions for use

Apply twice daily for 4 days. After the treatment of 4 days, the skin will peel off over the next 4 days. You can carefully remove the peeling skin under lukewarm water. After the treatment, new skin (free from warts) will be formed. The wart may disappear as from the first week of treatment. If the wart does not disappear completely, repeat the treatment after a break of 4 days. You can repeat this treatment schedule up to 4 times.

E. Precautions

- For external use only.
- To be used by a single user. Not to be re-used by multiple users.
- As the formula can be corrosive to the eyes and other mucous membranes, do not use on the face or genital areas.
- Do not use on irritated skin, or skin which is infected, reddened or showing any sign of inflammation such as itching or swelling.
- Do not use on warts with hairs growing on them, birthmarks, dark moles, pigmented skin, or any other unusual looking skin conditions.
- Contact with healthy skin surrounding the wart or verruca should be avoided to not cause irritation.
- Excessive amount of formula may cause irritation.
- In case of irritation clean the area with lots of water.
- If the wart or verruca does not disappear after the repetition of 4 treatments, consult your doctor.
- If you have doubt whether the skin condition is a wart (or a verruca), consult your doctor.
- You should consult your doctor in case the treated area gets inflamed, becomes red or painful.
- To maintain personal hygiene the product is meant to be used by a single user. Not to be re-used by multiple users.
- To maintain personal hygiene the applicator may be discarded before the expiry date in case it has been used for treatment of multiple warts (after treatment completion).

F. Side effects

- It is important to use the product exactly as instructed as overexposure to the formula could cause temporary burning, temporary pain, mild temporary ulceration and temporary hyper- or hypo-pigmentation.
- The skin may turn white temporarily after application.

G. Storage

Store in a safe, dry and dark place at room temperature (15-25°C). Do not expose to extensive light. Keep out of reach and sight of children. Recap the pen firmly after use. Once the treatment is completed, carefully clean the pen with a tissue before storage. Keep away from direct light source as discoloration of the tip may occur due to reactivity of the gel with light.

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STEP 1

Hold the pen vertically & click slowly the high position tip to liberate the gel



STEP 2

Allow the gel to lower into the tip for 3 to 5 seconds



STEP 3

Apply the cleared gel only on the wart or verruca (not on healthy skin surrounding it)



STEP 4

Let the gel dry for 10-15 minutes before putting on clothes or shoes. The formula is very concentrated and only one drop is needed per application. Carefully cover the entire surface of the wart and not the healthy skin surrounding it.

Additional steps for VERRUCAS for optimal preparation and after treatment

Prior to the treatment



STEP 1-4

See above. Same as for the removal of warts

STEP 5



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