3M™ Cavilon™ Durable Barrier Cream

For the prevention of skin breakdown from bodily fluids and for moisturising skin. Cavilon Durable Barrier Cream is a concentrated, pH balanced, fragrance free moisturising barrier cream for intact or at risk skin. It is very concentrated, so a little goes a long way.

What is it used for?
- Preventing skin breakdown from bodily fluids, e.g. urine and faeces.
- Moisturising and conditioning dry skin.

How is Cavilon Durable Barrier Cream Applied?
- The area of skin to be applied must be clean and dry.
- Use very sparingly in small, pea-sized amounts, and gently smooth in to the area of skin affected.
- If too much is applied, the skin will feel oily.

How often should Cavilon Durable Barrier Cream be re-applied?
- When incontinence is a problem, it should be re-applied after every third or fourth incontinent episode.
- For moisturising dry skin, re-apply approximately every other day

Key points to remember
- It will not clog incontinence pads\(^1\).
- It will still allow dressings and tapes to stick\(^2\).
- It should not be used on infected skin.

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3M™ Cavilon™ No Sting Barrier Film

For the intervention against damaged or broken skin. Cavilon No Sting Barrier Film is an alcohol-free liquid barrier that dries quickly to form a breathable, transparent protective film.

What is it used for?

- Protecting broken, tender skin without stinging.
- Protecting red or sore skin caused by incontinence.
- Protecting the skin around stoma sites.
- Protecting skin from damage caused by rubbing, friction or adhesives.
- Protecting skin from damage caused by oozing or discharge from wounds.

How is Cavilon No Sting Barrier Film Applied?

- The area of skin to be applied must be clean and dry.
- Foam applicator or wipe – apply an even coat of film to the entire area to be applied.
- Pump spray – hold the spray about 10-15cm away from the skin. Spray a smooth, even coating in a sweeping motion over the whole application area.
- Allow the area to dry for 30 seconds.

How often should Cavilon No Sting Barrier Film be re-applied?

- Normally, it should be re-applied every 48 to 72 hours (or every 2 to 3 days).
- If used for adhesion protection re-apply after every dressing or tape change.
- For severe incontinence or when skin is broken, reapply every 12 - 24 hours.

Key points to remember

- If Cavilon No Sting Barrier Film is applied to an area with skin folds or other skin-to-skin contact, make sure that the skin contact areas are separated and allow the coating to dry before returning to normal positions.
- Avoid using ointments or creams as they will stop Cavilon No Sting Barrier Film from working properly.
- Applying too many layers will make the skin feel stiff.