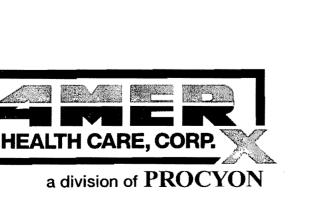
# AMERIGEL® BARRIER LOTION

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## **AMERIGEL®**

# BARRIER LOTION

#### SUPERIOR SKIN PROTECTION

- Moisturizes, lubricates and soothes irritated, dry skin
- Excellent skin protection from irritation due to moisture or incontinence
- Physician recommended for use with adult briefs
- May be used on irritated skin and is only pennies per use

## FOUR PRODUCTS IN ONE

#### ANTIMICROBIAL SKIN LUBRICANT SKIN MOISTURIZER SKIN PROTECTANT

For use as a protective moisture barrier for skin conditions resulting from incontinence, peristomal sites, pressure and friction areas, wound drain sites, and skin folds exposed to excessive moisture.

Also indicated for minor cases of itching, cuts scrapes, rough, dry skin. Moisturizes and soothes and helps return skin to its normal healthy state. Can be used with other Amerigel® products for additional protection for at-risk skin.

Physician approved and recommended.

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# PROTOCOL FOR USING AMERIGEL® BARRIER LOTION

Pressure and chronic ulcers are one of the most preventable and treatable conditions among elderly residents with restricted mobility. Development of pressure or chronic ulcers can have serious health consequences for elderly patients and can be costly and laborious to manage. Prevention of pressure or chronic ulcer development is widely acknowledged to be 2.5 times less expensive than treatment, since it is easier and takes less time.

The following protocol is recommended for the use of AmeriGel® Barrier Lotion on patients who are incontinent.

- I. Inspect the skin of the at-risk patient at least once a day. Pay particular attention to bony prominences such as the sacrum, trochanter and coccyx.
- 2. Cleanse skin at a frequency consistent with individual need or patient preference, but particularly after urination and defecation. Avoid hot water and use a mild cleansing agent to minimize irritation and dryness of the skin. Gently blot skin dry to avoid force and friction applied to the skin.
- 3. Apply Amerigel® Barrier Lotion liberally to area at risk. Allow treated area to dry for two to three minutes. Please remember that areas treated are very fragile, so Amerigel® Barrier Lotion is to be applied gently, without massaging areas over bony prominences, which are at risk to additional damage from handling.
- 4. Since Amerigel® Barrier Lotion is formulated as a moisture barrier to protect skin from contact with urine, feces and moisture from wound drainage, there is no additional requirement for other moisture barrier treatment.
- 5. Use due care to prevent wound contamination.
- 6. Use caution when positioning, transferring and turning patient to avoid friction and shear forces that may cause skin injury.

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

#### I. PRODUCT IDENTIFICATION

PRODUCT:

**AMERIGEL® BARRIER LOTION** 

#### II. COMPOSITION/INGREDIENTS

COMPONENTS:

Butylene Glycol

Dimethicone

Propylparaben Sodium Citrate

Citric Acid

Glycerin

Stearyl Dimethicone

Cyclomethicone Cyclomethicone/

Lemon Oil Methylparaben

Water

Dimethicone Copolyol

Oak Extract (OAKIN™)

#### III. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

PHYSICAL FORM:

Lotion

**MELTING POINT:** 

N/A

**SOLUBILITY IN WATER:** 

Insoluble

APPEARANCE & ODOR:

White lotion with faint citrus odor

SPECIFIC GRAVITY:

0.985 - 0.990 at 25 C

PH:

7.2 - 8.0

**VOLATILITY:** 

Negligible

## IV. PHYSICAL HAZARDS

STABILITY:

Very Stable

CONDITIONS TO AVOID:

Elevated temperatures over 140°F

MATERIALS TO AVOID:

Avoid mixing with strong acids or bases

HAZARDOUS THERMAL

DECOMPOSITION PRODUCTS:

Carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION

**CONDITIONS:** 

Does not occur

#### V. HEALTH HAZARD DATA

LD50:

N/A

SKIN IRRITATION:

Negligible

**EYE IRRITATION:** 

Possible irritant

#### VI. FIRST-AID MEASURES

EYES:

Flush with water. If redness or pain persists over

24 hours, consult a physician.

INGESTION: INHALATION:

Wash mouth with water. Contact a physician.

Product is not volatile.

#### VII. FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

FIRE EXTINGUISHING MEDIA:

Dry chemical, carbon dioxide, water or regular foam

FIRE FIGHTING PROCEDURE:

Do not scatter with high pressure water spray. Wear self-contained breathing apparatus and protective clothing to prevent contact with skin.

#### VIII. EXPOSURE CONTROL/PERSONAL PROTECTION

**VENTILATION:** 

Normal fresh air

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT:

None

#### IX. SPECIAL PRECAUTIONS AND SPILL/LEAK PROCEDURES

STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS:

Avoid direct sunlight. Store away from incompatible materials.

Observe all federal, state and local regulations when storing.

Dispose of material when expiration date has been reached.

SPILL/LEAK PROCEDURES:

**WASTE DISPOSAL METHODS:** 

Sweep or shovel into closable container for disposal.

Landfill disposal is suggested, but local and federal regulations

must be followed.

#### X. OTHER INFORMATION

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