



OXYCIN

Eye Ointment

Composition

Each gram contains Oxytetracycline HCl 5%.

Action

Oxytetracycline is a broad-spectrum antibiotic, active against a wide variety of Gram-positive and Gram-negative bacteria, rickettsia, spirochetes and certain viruses and protozoa.

Indications

Treatment of susceptible superficial ocular infections: acute and subacute purulent conjunctivitis, catarrhal conjunctivitis, chronic blepharitis and conjunctivitis. In addition, it is effective in conjunctival infections and acute trachoma.

Prophylaxis prior to ophthalmic surgery.

Contraindications

Known hypersensitivity to Oxytetracycline.

Adverse Reactions

Sensitivity reactions, including transient irritation, itching, swelling or redness may occasionally occur

with the topical use of Oxytetracycline.

Precautions

Possible overgrowth of resistant organisms, including fungi, may take place. Should superinfection occur, treatment with Oxytetracycline should be discontinued and appropriate therapy instituted.

Dosage and Administration

Oxycin should be applied 3-6 times daily.

In acute cases, 10-14 days treatment should suffice.

In chronic cases, treatment should be continued for 3 months.

For prophylaxis prior to surgery, Oxycin should be applied to both eyes several times on the day before the operation and into the operated eye at the time of each dressing

Presentation

Tube of 5 grams.