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# **Eczema Flare: Care Plan**

# 1 - 4 years of age

#### Bath

- Once a day. No soap or bubble bath.
- Use soap-free wash or moisturiser as a soap substitute.

#### Moisturiser

<ul> <li>Moisturiser</li> <li>Use every day, all over.</li> <li>Apply morning and night and at other times as often as you like.</li> <li>Apply when needed to soothe itch.</li> <li>Can be used instead of soap.</li> </ul>	Your moisturiser is: (prescriber to circle) Sorbolene (cetomacrogol glycerol) Paraffin 50:50 Fatty cream Non ionic Other
<ul> <li>Topical Steroid - Face, neck, groin</li> <li>Once a day to eczema that is red/darker and itchy.</li> <li>Do not use aristocort on eyelids.</li> <li>Use plain Vaseline for irritation around the mouth.</li> </ul>	Your face steroid is: (prescriber to circle) 1% hydrocortisone Aristocort
Topical Steroid - Body, arms and legs	Your body steroid is: (prescriber to circle)

red/darker and itchy. You can mix half and half with moisturiser to help it spread over large areas.

Aristocort Advantan Locoid Other \_\_\_\_

#### Please use steroid on ~ days (prescriber to circle start day)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday	
Week 1	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	
Week 2	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	
Week 3		~		~		~		
Week 4	~		~		~		~	
Week 5 +						~	~	
	EITHER Use steroid to eczema as needed at the first sign of a flare							
	OR if eczema patches flare often, use steroid as a preventer 2 days a week (Sat & Sunday)							

#### See your prescriber for review in 3-4 weeks to make a long term management plan

Eczema Videos are available at www.kidshealth.org.nz

For more info:

### Moisturiser







## Steroids

1% hydrocortisone



Aristocort (triamcinolone acetonide 0.02%)



Advantan (methylprednisolone aceponate 0.1%)



Locoid (hydrocortisone butyrate 0.1%)



Beta (betamethasone valerate 0.1%)



Elocon (mometasone furoate 0.1%)

