Information is based on approvals granted in Japan. In some cases, the approved details may vary in countries other than Japan.

In deciding to use a medicine, the risk (side effects) of taking the medicine must be weighed against the benefit (effects) it will do. The patient’s cooperation is indispensable here.

**Brand name:** DESPA KOWA ORAL CREAM

**Active ingredient:** Chlorhexidine hydrochloride  
Diphenhydramine salicylate  
Hydrocortisone acetate  
Benzalkonium chloride

**Dosage form:** white to pale yellowish white emulsion ointment  
**Printings on wrapping:** 700

**Effects of this medicine**

This medicine is combination preparation with anti-inflammatory effect, bactericidal effect and antihistaminic effect. It improves inflammation in the mouth.

It is usually used to treat aphthous stomatitis, solitary aphtha, decubital ulcer, marginal periodontitis.

**Before using this medicine, tell your doctor/pharmacist**

- If you have ever experienced any allergic reaction (itch, rash etc.) to any medicine.
- If you are a patient with tuberculous, viral or other purulent infection in the mouth.
- If you are pregnant or breastfeeding.
- If you are using any other prescription or nonprescription (OTC) medicine. (It is important to reduce the risk of drug interactions.)

**Dosage regimen (proper use of this medicine)**

- **Your dosage regimen is:** ≪order of your doctor≫
- General dosage regimen: Apply an appropriate amount to the area with inflammation three to four times a day. Strictly follow the instructions of your doctor/pharmacist.
- After application, avoid eating/drinking for some time.
- Do not apply into the eye.
- Missed dose: Apply the missed dose when you remembered that you missed a dose. However, if it is near the next dose, skip the missed dose and continue your regular dosing schedule. DO NOT use double doses to make up for the missed dose.
- Overdose: If you used too much of the medicine (more than ordered), check with your doctor/pharmacist.
- Others: Do not stop using the medicine without the instructions of your doctor.

**Precautions while using this medicine**

**Side effects of this medicine**

Common side effects are reported as below. If any of them occurs, check with your doctor/pharmacist: hypersensitivity, fungal/bacterial infection in the mouth, taste abnormality, tongue numbness, black-tongue disease, discomfort in stomach, enlarged feeling in stomach, vomiting, diarrhea, etc.

In rare cases, symptoms described below may be the sign of side effects indicated in brackets [ ]. If they occur, stop taking your medicine and check with your doctor immediately.

- No pertinent entries.
- Other side effects not listed here may occur. Check with your doctor/pharmacist if you have any worrisome symptom.

**Storage and other information**

- Keep out of the reach of children. Store away from direct sunlight, heat and moisture.
- Discard the remainder. Do not store them.

**For doctor use only:** Day Month Year

For further information, ask your doctor/pharmacist. Japanese package insert information (for medical professionals) is available on the website of Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices Agency.