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Molluscum Treatment with Cantharone

1. Cantharone is a non absorbed chemical applied to the skin for treatment of molluscum, a common childhood skin virus.
2. The treated areas should be washed off with mild soap and water in _____ hours.
3. Immediately after washing with mild soap and water, pat dry and apply a thick layer of Vaseline Petroleum Jelly or Mupirocin Ointment.
4. Continue reapplication of Vaseline Petroleum Jelly or Mupirocin Ointment at least every hour while awake the first day of treatment. Reapply at least 3 times a day thereafter until all areas have healed.
5. You may cover treated areas with Vaseline and a Band-Aid, if preferred.
6. May use Motrin or Tylenol as need for discomfort.
7. May use Benadryl every 4 hours as needed for itching.
8. Treatment with Cantharone can cause a reaction from mild redness to small blisters.
9. **Please notify our office at (704) 784-5901 with any questions or concerns.**