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What is Active Manuka Honey Anhydrous Cream 25% (AMH 25%)?

Honey has an established reputation as an ANTIBACTERIAL agent. AMH 25% has been formulated to utilise all the known benefits of ACTIVE Manuka Honey when used for topical application in an easy to administer, STAY-IN-PLACE FORM. It contains 25% of 16+ UMF (unique manuka factor). Active Manuka Honey contains the unique compound methylglyoxal, that provides a special NATURAL ANTIBACTERIAL function able to inhibit many infectious bacteria. The ANTIBACTERIAL activity of honey works in 3 ways and AMH 25% includes the unusual NON-PEROXIDE ANTIBACTERIAL substance(s) present in some New Zealand Manuka Honey. This NON-PEROXIDE ACTIVITY has an ANTIBACTERIAL quality, of benefit in topical form, which appears to CONTROL the BACTERIAL INVASION of damaged skin.

ACTIVE MANUKA HONEY wound protective qualities are achieved by:

1. ACTIVITY FACTOR (UMF): The main advantage is from the unique NON-PEROXIDE ANTIBACTERIAL effect that is determined through tests formulated by Waikato University Honey Research Unit, NZ as stated by a plus (+) number. Optimal antibacterial activity is achieved if the Active Manuka Honey is 15+ and above. Ref: <u>http://bio.waikato.ac.nz/honey/special.shtml</u>

2. PEROXIDE EFFECT (H_2O_2): Peroxide is released from the honey when fluid/aqueous material contacts the cream (serum from damaged areas), provides a cleansing action.

3. POULTICE ACTION: Honey is a 'super sugar' solution so when applied to damaged skin it draws moisture from the area in an osmotic way so working as a gentle poultice.

How to use AMH 25%:

 Apply AMH 25% Cream directly onto the area requiring care, normally no dressing is required to hold the cream in place.
Apply daily or more frequently if rubbed or licked off.

- AMH 25% forms a waterproof film over the damaged skin.
- 3. For skin areas with minor damage, repeated cover applications of AMH 25% Cream will protect and soothe the skin.

Apply onto a dressing or covering the area with a dressing may be required if likely to be rubbed or licked off.

4. Infection/colonisation resolved: As soon as possible (no infection present) cover the damaged

skin area with FiltaBac® Cream to allow the skin to breath and recover naturally. No dressing is required with the FiltaBac application.



When to use AMH 25%:

For use on all animals LARGE and SMALL:

- Minor cuts or wounds
- bites insect or animal
- grazes
- skin irritation or inflammation
- Bacterial invasion could be a possibility

Minimise bacterial infection on damaged skin areas apply AMH 25% Cream 1 - 2 times a day.

AMH 25% Cream with its STAY-IN-PLACE form can easily and frequently be applied to minor cuts and damaged skin. NOTE: Wounds requiring sterile dressings - AMH 25% Cream should NOT be used when a sterile dressing is required after surgical procedures.

