



Canthacur (cantharidin) Instructions

Canthacur is a blistering solution which causes redness, swelling and fluid accumulation under the lesion.

2 to 4 hours after treatment the area(s) should be washed carefully with soap and water. **DO NOT SCRUB** the area(s). There should be a film over the treated area(s) after washing.

If severe stinging or burning occurs before the 2 to 4 hours are up, it is okay to wash the area sooner. **DO NOT SCRUB** the area(s) as there should be a film over the treated area(s).

Blistering will start to form in about 3 to 8 hours post treatment for most people.

Some people may be very sensitive to the Canthacur and may experience a tingling or burning sensation at the treatment site(s). Tylenol or Advil may be taken for discomfort.

In 1 to 2 weeks crusting, scabbing and peeling occur. Vaseline may be applied using a Q-tip to help the healing process.

If the area(s) become very red, painful to the touch and/or looks infected, please contact the clinic at 608-829-2535 to speak to our staff.

Multiple treatments are usually needed to effectively clear Verrucal Lesions.