

Instruction for use of rectal cannula (art. no. 1003xx)



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Please note that following wording of the instruction for use is a suggestion. As Schägner as manufacturer of the rectal cannula has no specific information about the medicine/medical device the rectal cannula is packed with, it is up to the pharmaceutical company that encloses the rectal cannula to the package that contains the cream/ointment/gel to adapt the instruction for use according to the specific requirements of the pharmaceutical company's cream/ointment/gel (see also "Demarcation of responsibilities" as stipulated by contract between Schägner and pharmaceutical company).

Suggestion for the instruction for use of rectal cannula:

"The rectal cannula is screwed on the tube containing the ointment to be applied with the cannula. The small cap is removed from the cannula. By gentle pressing on the tube the ointment is pressed into the cannula until it exits from the small cannula opening. When the ointment starts to exit from the cannula, one can be sure that the cannula is filled with ointment and it is ready for use.

The insertion of the cannula into the anus is facilitated by spreading some ointment on the outside of the cannula. Thereafter the cannula is inserted completely into the anus. By gentle pressing on the tube the ointment is firstly released into the deeper regions of the rectum. Then by gentle pressing on the tube and slow withdrawal of the tube the ointment is also released in the lower region of the rectum.

The cannula should not to be removed from the tube after use but has to be cleaned with lukewarm water and soap and dried with a soft, clean paper towel. For subsequent storage the small cap is put on the cannula.

The rectal cannula is designed by the manufacturer for multiple use limited to the exhaustion of the medicinal product contained in one package the cannula is packed with and should be disposed of as household waste after use.

Note on safety:

 a cannula that shows obvious damages should not be used but returned to the pharmacy, pharmaceutical company or to the manufacturer."

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