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Ultraveen Itch Relief Cream
Summary of trial Results

‘I am very happy to recommend this product for the relief of dry, itchy skin and found it especially useful under Lymphoedema Bandaging’.

I have recently trialled this product on a group of patients undergoing CDT (complete decongestive therapy) for moderate-severe lymphoedema. CDT combines MLD (manual lymphatic drainage) with MLLB (multi-layer lymphoedema bandaging). This Summer has been especially challenging for this group of patients due to the excessive heat we have experienced. MLLB used in my Clinic consists of layers of foam padding and cotton short stretch bandages following The Foeldi Clinic protocol. Use of an appropriate emollient is an essential part of this therapy to re-hydrate the skin and improve skin integrity. It is not unusual for patients to report ‘itching’ under the bandages and an over the counter oral antihistamine is my usual recommendation and helps with this issue. For this trial I switched any patient reporting ‘itchy skin’ from their usual emollient to Ultraveen Itch Relief Cream. ‘100% of patients immediately reported relief’ and this was maintained until their next bandage change. Their skin was also well moisturised and therefore Ultraveen Itch Relief Cream proved to work as well as many other emollients whilst providing ‘anti-itch properties’. The added advantage of the product being available on FP10 makes it easy to use in my Clinic and recommended to GP’s for their patient prescriptions.

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