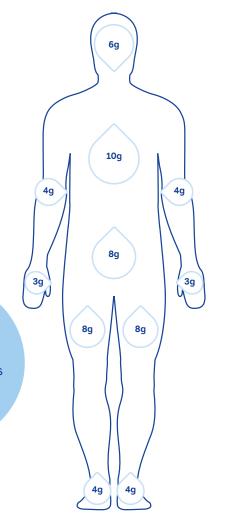
## NICE RECOMMENDS 250g-500g OF EMOLLIENT IS APPLIED EVERY WEEK<sup>1</sup>

## HOW TO APPLY YOUR EMOLLIENTS

- Apply your emollients generously and reapply often<sup>1</sup>
- For very dry skin apply your emollient every 2-3 hours<sup>1</sup>
- You should continue to use an emollient, even when your skin is clear<sup>1</sup>
- Do not rub emollients in. You should smooth them into the skin in the same direction the hair grows<sup>1</sup>
- Consider keeping separate packs of emollients at work or school<sup>1</sup>
- It's especially important to use emollients during or after washing<sup>1</sup>
- Avoid the use of soaps, detergents, and bubble bath when washing, as they can be very damaging to the skin<sup>1</sup>

Topical Steroids:
After applying
your emollient,

wait 15-30 minutes before applying your topical steroid<sup>1</sup>



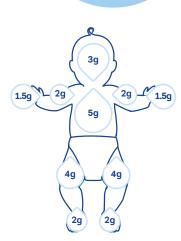


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Soap Substitutes:
Ointments dissolved in hot water can be used for washing instead of soap!

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Do not smoke or go near naked flames - risk of severe burns. Fabric (clothing, bedding, dressings etc) that has been in contact with this product burns more easily and is a serious fire hazard. Washing clothing and bedding may reduce product build-up but not totally remove it.

Medical advice should be sought before use of emollients if the skin is broken, badly cracked, infected or bleeding.

Reporting of side effects. If you experience any side effects, talk to your doctor, pharmacist or nurse. This includes any possible side effects not listed in the package leaflet. You can also report side effects directly via the Yellow Card Scheme at https://yellowcard.mhra.gov.uk or search for MHRA Yellow Card in the Google Play or Apple App Store. By reporting side effects, you can help provide more information on the safety of emollients.

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