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OPTIMEL™ EYE CARE

Melcare's Optimel® eye care products have been developed using proprietary pharmaceutical grade honey from *Leptospermum* spp. (Manuka AUS/NZL).

OPTIMEL MANUKA+ FORTE EYE GEL

Moderate to Severe Dry Eye
Ideal for use before bed.

OPTIMEL MANUKA+ DRY EYE DROPS

Mild to Moderate Dry Eye

Optimel eye care treatments are effective as adjunctive therapies for meibomian gland dysfunction, reducing conjunctival and lid margin redness and improving meibomian gland secretion quality(1).

OPTIMEL MANUKA+ EYELID CREAM

Flaky Skin and Dryness

Optimel Manuka+ Eyelid Cream's low pH and Jojoba oil helps restore skin's acid mantle. Skin pH in atopic dermatitis is often high and the resulting cascade of changes contributes to the phenotype of atopic dermatitis leading to dryness and flaky skin.

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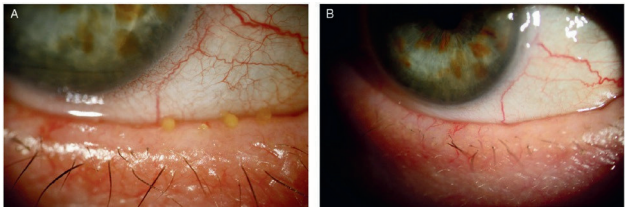
Optimel® honey eye drops and gel provide a transient low pH, hyperosmotic environment and are associated with spontaneous tearing and autonomic blinking that rapidly displaces the honey to the eyelid margin while flushing the eye surface.

The honey aids eye lid-margin hygiene – as a humectant, any 'crust' formed in the presence of honey is more likely to be soft and soluble, with the low pH environment limiting bacterial growth thereby reducing lid margin bacteria and the consequential inflammation around the meibomian gland ducts.

Inferior lid margin of a participant before (A) and after (B) eight weeks of Optimel Manuka+ Dry Eye Drops applied twice daily, as an adjunctive treatment to warm compress therapy and eyelid massage. Reduced conjunctival and lid margin redness and improved meibomian gland secretion quality were observed with the Optimel treatment.1



PRECAUTIONS

- Single patient use only.
- Stinging and redness after application for several minutes is to be expected. Close eye until stinging subsides.
- DO NOT use if hypersensitive to bee products or food gums.
- Wait at least 10 minutes before contact lens insertion.
- Do not use if box seal is broken or packaging is damaged.
- Discard 2 months after opening.

PRECAUTIONS

- When using for the first time patch test on a small area of skin. If irritation occurs, discontinue use.
- Avoid direct contact with your eye.
- Do not use if box seal is broken or packaging is damaged.
- Discard 3 months after opening.

DIRECTIONS Optimel Manuka Forte Eye Gel

Gently apply along lower lid margin using cotton tip or apply as a drop to inner corner of the eye.

DIRECTIONS Optimel Manuka+ Dry Eye Drops

Place drop on inside of lower lid margin.

DIRECTIONS Optimel Manuka+ Eyelid Cream

Apply to clean skin two times daily.

1. Albietz JM, Schmid KL., Randomised controlled trial of topical antibacterial Manuka (Leptospermum species) honey for evaporative dry eye due to meibomian gland dysfunction, Clin. Exp. Optom. (2017); Nov;100(6):603-615.

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