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## Petrolatum-Mineral Oil-Lanolin-Ceresin Ointment

National Cancer Institute

## Source

National Cancer Institute. <u>Petrolatum-Mineral Oil-Lanolin-Ceresin Ointment</u>. NCI Thesaurus. Code C28832.

A petrolatum-based ointment absorbed by dry and moist skin, petrolatum-mineral oillanolin-ceresin ointment is non-comedogenic, non-irritating, and non-sensitizing. It can reduce healing time of cracked, dry skin on hands, elbows, and knees, and helps prevent diaper rash. The original ointment also contained mineral oil, ceresin, lanolin alcohol. Its use is indicated in atopic dermatitis, eczema, and psoriasis when extra protection from a heavier base is needed.