



the art and science of smart patch testing™

MC253: Silver colloidal

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Patient Information

Your patch test results indicate that you have a contact allergy to silver colloidal. This contact allergy may cause your skin to react when it is exposed to this substance although it may take several days for the symptoms to appear. Typical symptoms include redness, swelling, itching, and fluid-filled blisters.

Where is silver colloidal found?

Silver colloidal is a natural antibiotic that can be taken orally or by spray. It is also used for veterinary and garden use.

How can you avoid contact with silver colloidal?

Avoid products that list any of the following names in the ingredients:

- Argentum crede
- Collargol
- Colloidal silver

What are some products that may contain silver colloidal?

Medications:

- Nasal sprays
- Oral tablets

For additional information about products that might contain **silver colloidal**, go to the Household Product Database online (<http://householdproducts.nlm.nih.gov>) at the United States National Library of Medicine. These lists are brief and provide just a few examples. They are not comprehensive. Product formulations also change frequently. Read product labels carefully and talk to your doctor if you have any questions. These are general guidelines. Talk to your doctor for more specific instructions.