

# Kills Head Lice – Clinically Proven

## Full Marks solution SPRAY



**Please read this leaflet carefully before using Full Marks Solution Spray. If you have questions about your treatment or using Full Marks Solution Spray, please ask your pharmacist or contact SSL International plc on 0800 915 4435.**

### Full Marks Solution Spray:

Your pack consists of the following:

- Head lice solution spray
- Head lice and egg removal comb
- Full instructions on correct usage

### What is in Full Marks Solution Spray?

It contains cyclomethicone and isopropyl myristate. This formulation is dermatologically tested.

### How does Full Marks Solution Spray work?

Full Marks Solution Spray is clinically proven to kill head lice and eliminate eggs when applied on dry hair and combed through with the comb provided. Full Marks Solution Spray has a physical action on the lice, causing them to dehydrate (lose water) and die. They can then be removed along with any eggs using the fine metal toothed Full Marks Removal Comb provided. It is an odourless treatment and is easy to use. It also has the added advantage of it being a lot quicker than many other treatments.

### Who is Full Marks Solution Spray suitable for?

Full Marks Solution Spray is suitable for adults and children from 2 years.

## 3 simple steps to kill head lice and eliminate eggs

### Step 1 Detection

The only way to confirm a head lice infestation is by finding a live moving louse on the head. This can be done with a specially designed Full Marks Detector Comb. Weekly detection is recommended for ongoing prevention.

### Step 2 Treatment

You should apply enough solution to cover the scalp and hair to ensure complete success.

- First, comb through dry hair with a normal comb to remove any tangles. Shake the bottle and apply the solution to dry hair by spraying close to the root. **Ensure the entire scalp and hair are fully coated with the solution.** Massage in and leave on the hair for 10 minutes.

**Remember, if someone in the household has head lice it is recommended that all members are checked as head lice are spread by close head to head contact. Treating everyone with head lice on the same day will minimise the chances of re-infestation.**

### Step 3 Removal

- After 10 minutes comb through the hair using the fine metal toothed Full Marks Removal Comb provided to remove dead lice and any eggs.

#### TIP:

To ensure a thorough job, divide the hair into four quarters and comb each quarter separately. Take a small section of the hair from the quarter; place the teeth of the comb as close as you can to the scalp and comb downwards away from the head to the tips of the hair. After each stroke, rinse the comb to remove any hair and lice and wipe it on a tissue.

Once an area of hair is free from lice and eggs push it to one side until the quarter is completely clear. Once you have finished, wash out the solution using an ordinary non-conditioning shampoo. Conditioner is not necessary. It may be necessary to wash the hair a couple of times to completely remove the solution.

Repeat the above steps on days 7 and/or 14 as required.

Whilst your first application should kill living head lice and eliminate their eggs, it is possible that some eggs may remain and these can hatch within a week.

The use of Full Marks Solution Spray on days 7 and/or 14 will break this life cycle and kill any lice that have hatched since the last treatment.

If you need to know any more about head lice and their treatment, please contact your pharmacist who will be pleased to advise you. Alternatively visit [www.headlice.co.uk](http://www.headlice.co.uk) (UK) or [www.headlice.ie](http://www.headlice.ie) (ROI).

**Warning**

For external use only

**Caution:** This treatment is not a water based shampoo. Keep hair away from any naked flame or heat source, and do not smoke whilst using this product.

**Side Effects:**

If the head lice solution comes into contact with the skin or the eyes it can be washed away with warm water. However, if you experience any sensitivity discontinue use and contact your doctor or pharmacist who will advise you on the necessary action to take.

**Storage:**

Store at room temperature. Keep the bottle in the carton and away from direct sunlight. Do not use after the expiry date printed on the label and carton.

**Facts about Head Lice**

- Head Lice are small insects (about the size of a sesame seed when fully grown) that live in the hair and on the scalp of humans. They vary in colour from light to dark brown and sometimes appear reddish after a blood meal. They feed off the human scalp.
- Head Lice have claws on the end of each of their six legs that enable them to cling to the hair and move around. They can only move from one head to another during close prolonged head to head contact – they cannot jump, swim or fly.
- Once on the head, the female louse carefully lays the fertilised eggs and glues them to the hair close to the scalp where the temperature is right. The eggs take approximately 7-10 days to hatch. Once hatched the abandoned egg casings remain, these are referred to as 'nits' and can be removed using a fine metal toothed Full Marks Removal Comb.
- Head Lice do not have a preference for the cleanliness of hair they live in – an infestation can happen in clean and dirty hair.
- You can't stop your children getting head lice but with regular detection you can identify an infestation early and treat it quickly.
- The best way to detect head lice is through detection combing. This should be carried out on a routine, regular basis but also in response to any risk of infestation i.e. an outbreak of head lice at school. For further information on detection combing ask your pharmacist or contact SSL International plc on 0800 915 4435 or visit [www.headlice.co.uk](http://www.headlice.co.uk) (UK) [www.headlice.ie](http://www.headlice.ie) (ROI)



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