

Short term intensive treatment for gum disease

When patients have gingivitis they may need an intensive treatment to help them get back to having healthy gums.

Corsodyl Intensive Treatment Mouthwash:

- ☞ Kills the main cause of gum disease in just 30 seconds^{1*}
- ☞ Forms a protective antibacterial layer over teeth and gums for up to 12 hours^{2**}
- ☞ Corsodyl Intensive Treatment Mouthwash can be used for up to 1 month

Chlorhexidine digluconate 0.2% is clinically proven to reduce the symptoms of gingivitis:



0.2% Chlorhexidine digluconate – the gold standard antimicrobial treatment for gingivitis

Chlorhexidine digluconate

NO.1 DENTIST RECOMMENDED TREATMENT MOUTHWASH BRAND FOR GINGIVITIS³

Help your patients to get the most from a Corsodyl Treatment Mouthwash recommendation

While chlorhexidine has long been thought to cause stains to teeth, it is the interaction with the tannins in high-colour food and drinks that can lead to staining. Chlorhexidine increases stain retention because of its highly substantive nature.⁴

Staining which occurs is not permanent and can normally be removed with brushing or a professional scale and polish.

Helping patients to avoid stains

To help avoid staining during a course of Corsodyl Treatment Mouthwash, pass the following advice to patients:



Continue effective brushing twice a day during the course of treatment and beyond

As well as reducing plaque, this can help reduce the amount of staining from food and drinks during treatment with Corsodyl



Avoid or replace dark, high tannin drinks

Dark foods and drinks (like tea, coffee and red wine) often contain tannins and are more likely to stain your teeth during treatment. As a general rule: the lighter coloured the drink, the less likely it is to stain e.g., tea with milk not black



Add milk to tea or coffee if they cannot be avoided

This has been shown to help reduce the chance of staining⁵



Find out more about Corsodyl and scan QR code to download patient resources to help minimise risk of staining

* Plaque bacteria in laboratory studies ** When used as directed

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Product Information: Corsodyl 0.2% Mouthwash (Alcohol Free) Active Ingredient: Chlorhexidine digluconate Indications: Plaque inhibition; gingivitis; maintenance of oral hygiene; post periodontal surgery or treatment; aphthous ulceration; oral candida. **Legal category:** GSL. **Licence Holder:** Haleon UK Trading Limited, Weybridge, KT13 0NY, U.K. Information about this product, including adverse reactions, precautions, contra-indications and method of use can be found at: <https://www.medicines.org.uk/emc/medicine/23034>



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