# Evaluación del Piritionato de Zinc activado (BLUE CAP®) en el tratamiento de la psoriasis

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#### Resumen

Este estudio se llevó a cabo durante el período comprendido entre julio de 1999 y Marzo de 2000. El estudio incluyó a 22 pacientes psoriásicos, de los cuales 17 tenían psoriasis vulgar, 3 tenían psoriasis del cuero cabelludo y 2 tenían psoriasis flexural. Fueron 2 mujeres y 20 hombres con rango de edad entre 18 y 57 años (media = 37,5 años). La duración de la enfermedad osciló entre 6 meses y 15 años con una media de 4,3 años.

Los pacientes no recibieron ninguna forma de terapia sistémica o tópica antes del inicio de la terapia a las 4 semanas, con el fin de obtener resultados confiables. Anteriormente estaban recibiendo diferentes formas de terapia que incluyen esteroides tópicos, alquitrán, daivonex (un paciente) y PUVA con respuesta variable, pero la mayoría de ellos tuvo recurrencia al suspender el tratamiento.

Según el grado de infiltración, eritema y descamación, la condición se evaluó en leve (+), moderada (++) y grave (+++), se pidió a los pacientes que se aplicaran Blue Cap (spray, crema o ambos) dos veces al día para 4 semanas y se evaluaron después de 2 semanas y el final del período de tratamiento después de 4 semanas.

Se obtuvieron fotografías al principio, a la mitad y al final del tratamiento siempre que fue posible.

#### Resultados

Se encontró una respuesta excelente en 5 casos (3 vulgar, 1 cuero cabelludo, 1 flexural) en quienes la psoriasis desapareció tan pronto como 2 semanas desde el inicio del tratamiento. Se encontró muy buena respuesta en 13 casos.

#### Buena respuesta en 3 casos.

Un paciente con psoriasis flexural no tuvo respuesta, este paciente era un caso resistente que fue cambiado a terapia PUVA.

La tolerancia fue excelente y no se informaron efectos secundarios. Hipopigmentación posinflamatoria, que es un hallazgo habitual después de la administración de cualquier forma de terapia en 5 pacientes, un paciente tuvo nuevas lesiones durante el tratamiento y un paciente no mostró ninguna mejoría.



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First visit 28-07-99 Samy W. 32 years Name: Age: Duration: 4 years

Steroids, Salicylic acid ointment, Tar Previous treatment:

Response to previous treatment: Moderate

#### Diagnosis: **Psoriasis vulgaris**

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second vi	isit	11-08-99		
Response:	++	++	++	-
Third visi	t	25-08-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-

Patient evaluation: Good response better than previous applications

No staining, easy to apply, good Remarks:

response







25-08-99



First visit03-07-99Name:Nagat M.Age:57 yearsDuration:1 years

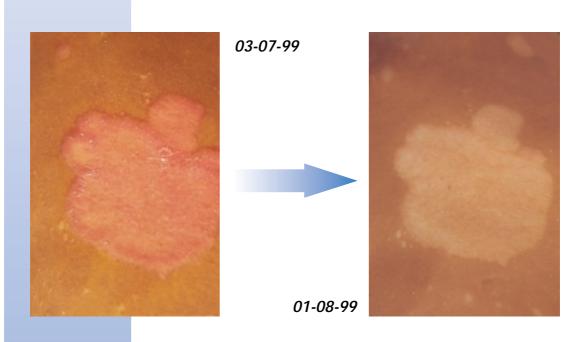
Previous treatment: Diprosalic ointment, Alphosyl (Tar). Response to previous treatment: Good response to steroids

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	18-07-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third visi	t	01-08-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Postinflammatory hypopigmentation





First visit03-07-99Name:Said M.Age:18 yearsDuration:6 monthsPrevious treatment:Topical steroidsResponse to previous treatment:Good

Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	18-07-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third visi	t	01-08-99		
Response:	-	-	_	-

Patient evaluation: Excellent improvment in a short

time

Remarks: Rapid response







First visit03-07-99Name:Mustafa A.Age:24 yearsDuration:3 years

Previous treatment: Topical steroids Response to previous treatment: Poor response

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	18-07-99		
Response:	+	+	+	+
Third visi	t	01-08-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Post inflammatory hypopigmentation







01-08-99



First visit03-07-99Name:Adel A.Age:45 yearsDuration:5 years

Previous treatment: Daivonex, Dermovate, Alphosyl, PUVA

Response to previous treatment: Moderate response

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	18-07-99		
Response:	++	++	+	-
Third visi	t	01-08-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-

Patient evaluation: Good response

Remarks: New lesions while on treatment





First visit28-07-99Name:Ahmed S.Age:60 yearsDuration:6 monthsPrevious treatment:Topical steroids

Response to previous treatment: Good

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	11-08-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third visi	t	25-08-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Rapid response







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First visit14-08-99Name:Alshahat A.Age:30 yearsDuration:10 years

Duration: 10 years

Previous treatment: Steroids, salicylic acid ointment, Tar

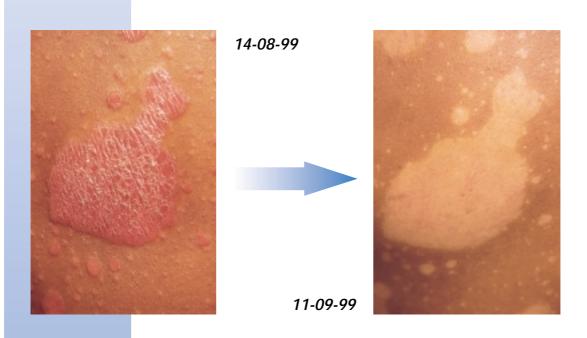
Response to previous treatment: Poor

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	28-08-99		
Response:	+	+	-	-
Third visi	it	11-09-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Very good response





First visit14-08-99Name:Qasem M.Age:52 yearsDuration:2 yearsPrevious treatment:Steroids

Response to previous treatment: Recurrence on stoppage

Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	28-08-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third visi	t	11-09-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Rapid response





First visit28-07-99Name:Samieh I.Age:49 yearsDuration:2 years

Previous treatment: Dermovate, Betnovate, Diprosalic ointment

Response to previous treatment: Good

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

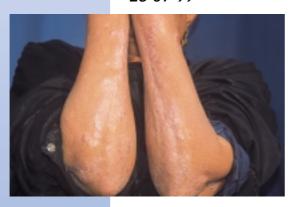
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Response:	+	+	+	+
Third visi	t	25-08-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Rapid response

Remarks: Postinflammatory hypopigmentation

25-08-99

28-07-99







First visit01-09-99Name:Hani M.Age:32 yearsDuration:2 years

Previous treatment: Topical steroids

Response to previous treatment: Good

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	15-09-99		
Response:	++	++	++	-
Third visi	t	29-09-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-

Patient evaluation: Moderate response

Remarks: Moderate response





First visit01-09-99Name:Mahmmud A.Age:45 yearsDuration:5 years

Previous treatment: Topical steroids

Response to previous treatment: Good

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	15-09-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third visi	t	29-09-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Rapid response



First visit01-09-99Name:Uthman H.Age:35 yearsDuration:1 years

Previous treatment: Locacorten tar, Asphosyl

Response to previous treatment: Poor

# Diagnosis: Scalp psoriasis

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	15-09-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third visi	t	29-09-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Very good and rapid response







29-09-99



First visit14-08-99Name:Tariq A.Age:18 yearsDuration:1 yearsPrevious treatment:SteroidsResponse to previous treatment:Good

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	28-08-99		
Response:	+	+	++	-
Third visi	t	11-09-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good improvment

Remarks: Some residual post inflammatory hypopigmentation are present



14-08-99



11-09-99



First visit14-08-99Name:Sameh M.Age:49 yearsDuration:2 years

Previous treatment: Shampoo polytar, Nizoral, Diprosalic lotion

Response to previous treatment: Poor response

#### Diagnosis: Scalp psoriasis

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	28-08-99		
Response:	+	-	+	-
Third visi	t	11-09-99		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Very good response



14-08-99



11-09-99



First visit28-07-99Name:Mohammed F.Age:45 yearsDuration:5 years

Previous treatment: Topical steroids

Response to previous treatment: Good

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	11-08-99		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third visi	t	25-08-99		
Response:	-	-	_	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Rapid response





First visit02-02-00Name:Mohammed A.Age:50 yearsDuration:18 monthsPrevious treatment:Steroids

Response to previous treatment: Recurrence on stoppage

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	risit	16-02-00		
Response:	+	++	+	-
Third vis	it	01-03-00		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Excellent response

Remarks: Cured









First visit 05-02-00 Name: Hani M. 25 years Age: Duration: 15 months Previous treatment: Topical steroids

Response to previous treatment: Recurrence on stoppage

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	risit	19-02-00		
Response:	+	+	+	-
Third vis	it	04-03-00		
Response:	-	-	-	-

**Excellent response** Patient evaluation:

Mild postinflammatory hypopigmentation, very rapid excellent response Remarks:









First visit05-02-00Name:Omar M.Age:18 yearsDuration:5 monthsPrevious treatment:Topical steroids

Response to previous treatment: Recurrence on stoppage

#### Diagnosis: Scalp psoriasis

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	risit	19-02-00		
Response:	+	+	++	-
Third visi	it	04-03-00		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Very good response

Remarks: Very good response



05-02-00





First visit07-02-00Name:Mahmmud A.Age:44 yearsDuration:6 years

Previous treatment: Topical steroids Response to previous treatment: Recurrence

#### Diagnosis: Psoriasis vulgaris

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	21-02-00		
Response:	++	++	++	+
Third visi	t	06-03-00		
Response:	+	+	-	-

Patient evaluation: Good response

Remarks:





First visit 14-02-00 Name: Mohammad N. 25 years Age: Duration: 5 years

Previous treatment: Steroids, recurrance on stoppage of treatment Response to previous treatment: Flexural psoriasis, recurrance on stoppage of treatment

#### Diagnosis: Flexural psoriasis

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	28-02-00		
Response:	+++	++	+	++
Third visi	t	06-03-00		
Response:	++	+	-	+

Fair response was not achieved Patient evaluation:

Remarks: **Resistant case** 









First visit14-02-00Name:Anwar R.Age:28 yearsDuration:2 years

Previous treatment: Topical steroids

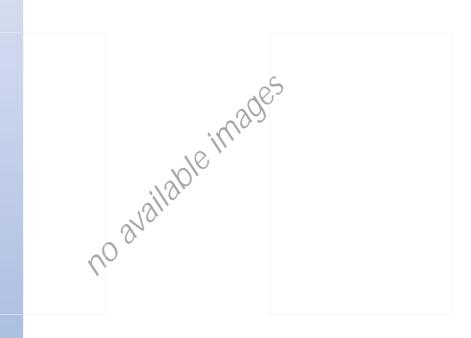
Response to previous treatment: -

#### Diagnosis: Flexural psoriasis

	Erythema	Thickness	Scaling	Pruritus
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Second v	isit	28-02-00		
Response:	++	+	+	+
Third visi	t	06-03-00		
Response:	-	-	-	-

Patient evaluation: Excellent

Remarks: Cured





First visit01-03-00Name:Magdi D.Age:50 yearsDuration:13 yearsPrevious treatment:Topical steroids

Response to previous treatment: Recurrence on stoppage

Diagnosis: Scalp Psoriasis

Erythema Thickness Scaling Pruritus
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Second visit 15-03-00

Response: - - -

*Third visit* 29-03-00

Response:

Patient evaluation: Excellent response

Remarks: Cured in two weeks



01-03-00





#### **REPORT**

#### Evaluation of Activated Zinc Pyrithione (Blue Cap) in Psoriasis

This study was carried out during the period between July 1999 and March 2000.

The study included 22 psoriatic patients, out of which 17 had psoriasis vulgaris, 3 had scalp psoriasis and 2 had flexural psoriasis. They were 2 females and 20 males with age range between 18 and 57 years ( mean = 37.5 years). The duration of the disease ranged between 6 months and 15 years with a mean of 4.3 years.

Patients did not receive any form of systemic or topical therapy prior to initiation of therapy by 4 weeks, in order to get reliable results. Previously they were receiving different forms of therapy which include topical steroids, tar, daivonex (one patient) and PUVA with variable response but most of them had recurrance on stoppage of treatment.

According to the degree of infiltration, erythema and descamation the condition was evaluated into mild (+), moderate (++) and severe (+++), patients were asked to apply Blue Cap (spray, cream or both) twice daily for 4 weeks and they were evaluated after 2 weeks and the end of treatment period after 4 weeks.

Photographs were obtained at the beginning, mid and the end of treatment whenever possible.

# **RESULTS**

Excellent response was found in 5 cases (3 vulgaris, 1 scalp, 1 flexural) in whom the psoriasis cleared as early as 2 weeks from the start of treatment.

Very good response was found in 13 cases.

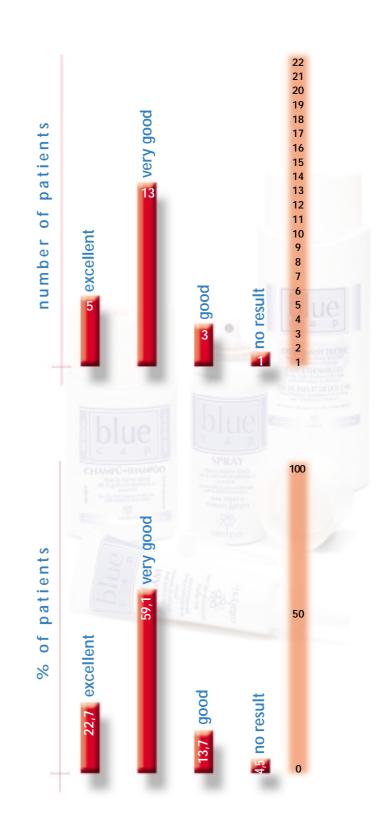
Good response in 3 cases.

One patient with flexural psoriasis had no response, this patient was a resistant case which and was switched to PUVA therapy.

Tolerance was excellent and side effect were not reported. Post inflammatory hypopigmentation which is a usual finding after any form of therapy was peported in 5 patients, one patient had new lesions while on therapy and one patient did not show any improvement.

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