



FUNGAL INFECTIONS/TINEA

Proposed Management of Allergic Rhinitis on Medical Missions in Resource-Limited Settings

Superficial mycosis case definition

Any skin disorder involving a skin fold
OR presence of single or multiple circular skin lesions

Consider urgent transfer if:

Presence of chronic clear hypochromic patch with reduced sensation within the patch (suspected leprosy)

Pharmacologic management

Miconazole cream bid x 1 month

Tinea capitis case definition

Any scalp disorder in a child under 15 years of age
OR visible loss of hair
OR scalp scaling

Pharmacologic management

Fluconazole 5mg/kg po daily x6 weeks

Adapted from:

Dainton, C and Chu, CH. 2017. A narrative review of dermatologic protocols for primary care medical service trips to Latin America and the Caribbean. Int J Derm.