DIAPERS RASH TREATMENT FOR BABIES WITH VIRGIN COCONUT OIL (VCO)

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SUMMARY

Background: Diaper rash is a skin disorder experienced by infants and children caused by irritation that is influenced by physical, chemical, enzymatic, biogenic factors, and we often encounter it on the genitals, buttocks, groin, lower abdomen, and around the anus. Based on data released by the World Health Organization (WHO) in 2017, the prevalence of skin irritation (diaper rash) in infants is quite high, namely 25% of the 6,840,507,000 babies born in the world mostly suffer from skin irritation due to the use of diapers. Virgin Coconut Oil (VCO) is pure coconut oil that is produced from the flesh of fresh old coconuts. Coconut oil contains natural moisturizers and contains medium-chain saturated fatty acids that easily enter the deep layers of the skin and maintain skin elasticity and elasticity, making it more effective and safe in the treatment of diapers rash in babies.

Method: Using media in the form of video.

Results: If the treatment and prevention of diapers rash can be done properly and correctly, it can minimize the possibility of health problems for diapers rash which the author made in the video media with the title "Care for Diapers Rash in Babies with Virgin Coconut Oil (VCO)."

Conclusion: The application of virgin coconut oil is an effective and safe way to treat diapers rash to prevent more severe diapers rash.

Keyword: Diapers Rash, Baby, Virgin Coconut Oil, Video.