Your patch testing results indicate that you have a contact allergy to \textit{N-(Cyclohexylthio) phthalimide}. It is important that you familiarize yourself with this chemical and take steps to avoid coming in contact with it.

\textbf{What is \textit{N-(Cyclohexylthio) phthalimide} and where is it found?}

This chemical is a vulcanization retarder widely used in various rubber products. Further research may identify additional product or industrial usages of this chemical.

\textbf{What else is \textit{N-(Cyclohexylthio) phthalimide} called?}

This chemical can be identified by different names, including: Cyclohexyl Thiophthalimide, \textit{N-Cyclohexylthiophthalimide}, Cas 17796-82-6, Santogard PVI, CP 29242, ZINC02017852, Einecs 241-774-1

This may not be a complete list as manufacturers introduce and delete chemicals from their product lines.

\textbf{THINGS YOU CAN DO TO HELP MANAGE YOUR CONTACT ALLERGY}

- \textbf{Be vigilant... read the product label.} Always take the time to read the ingredient listing on product packages. This should be your first step each time you purchase a product as manufacturers sometimes change product ingredients. If you have any concerns ask your pharmacist or your doctor.
- \textbf{Test the product first.} If you have purchased a new product you should test it on a small skin area to see if you get a reaction before using the product on larger skin areas.
- \textbf{Advise people you obtain services from of your contact allergy.} This should include people like your pharmacist, doctor, hairdresser, florist, veterinarian, etc.
- \textbf{Inform your employer if the source of your contact allergy is work related.} You should identify the specific source of the chemical and take the necessary steps to avoid further exposure. Protective wear may be adequate or you may need to make a change in your work activities. Both you and your employer benefit when the cause of your occupational dermatitis is eliminated.
- \textbf{"Google" it.} The internet is an excellent source of ingredient information that can be searched by product, by company and by specific chemical. Some helpful independent internet links include: \texttt{www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/factsheets/factsheets.html} (U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services; alphabetic list) \texttt{www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/factsheets/factsubj.html} (U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services; subject list) \texttt{www.cosmeticsinfo.org} (Cosmetic Industry Category Ingredient Database) \texttt{www.whatsinsidescjohnson.com} (information on all S.C. Johnson product ingredients)

If you have any future contact dermatitis concerns or questions, please call the doctor's office.

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