

Emollients are effective moisturisers and can come as creams, lotions, ointments and gels. They are used on dry skin and to treat conditions like eczema and psoriasis. Common emollient brands are: E45, Dermol, Zerobase, Aveenos & Vasaline.

While they are not directly flammable, when they soak into clothes and bedding, they can act as an accelerant.

If you are using an emollient, it is recommended that you:

- Do not smoke
- Do not use naked flames / Do not to go near anyone using naked flames

You should take the following care when washing and drying items with emollient cream on:

- Washing It is recommended that you change your clothes and bedding daily and ensure they are washed at the highest temperature the clothes will allow, but no lower than 60 degrees
- Drying Should only be used for the minimum amount of time required

