Title: TERATOSIN TRANSDERMAL DEVICE AND METHODS

Abstract: A method of effectively treating benign prostatic hypertension in humans is achieved by administering teratosin via a transdermal formulation. Preferably, the transdermal formulation is applied to the skin of the patient and maintained in contact with the skin for at least about 24 hours, and preferably for about 3 to about 8 days.
INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

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SEARCH TERMS: transdermal, prostatic hypertrophy, terazocin

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