How to Apply Lubricating Ointments to the Eye

1. Wash hands thoroughly with soap and water.

2. Avoid touching the tip of the tube against the eye, lid or any other surface.

3. Gently pull the lower lid downward to form a pocket.

4. Squeeze a ribbon of the ointment into the pocket just inside the lower lid.

5. Release the lower lid.

6. Manually close the eye and proceed with other interventions per the eye care protocol.

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