Your patch test result indicates that you have a contact allergy to disperse orange-3. This contact allergy may cause your skin to react when it is exposed to this substance although it may take several days for the symptoms to appear. Typical symptoms include redness, swelling, itching, and fluid-filled blisters.

Where is disperse orange-3 found?
This substance is a dye primarily used in synthetic textiles. It is most commonly found in uniforms, clothing, stockings, swimsuits, velour, bedding and acetate and polyester fabrics/liners.

How can you avoid contact with disperse orange-3?
Avoid products that list any of the following names in the ingredients:
- EINECS 211-984-8
- Orange 3
- 4-(4-Nitrophenylazo)aniline
- CAS RN: 730-40-5

What are some products that may contain disperse orange-3?
Acetate and polyester fabrics/liners:
- Clothing
- Bedding
- Nylons
- Tights
- Uniforms

Note: Dyes are water-soluble. Washing clothes or fabrics prior to use may remove excess dye.

For additional information about products that might contain disperse orange-3, go to the Household Product Database online (http://householdproducts.nlm.nih.gov) at the United States National Library of Medicine. These lists are brief and provide just a few examples. They are not comprehensive. Product formulations also change frequently. Read product labels carefully and talk to your doctor if you have any questions. These are general guidelines. Talk to your doctor for more specific instructions.