






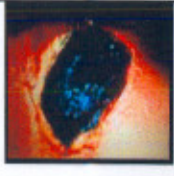


Skin and Wound Care Product Guide

Denuded Areas	Skin Tear	Reddened Area Stage I	Partial Thickness Stage II	Full Thickness Stage III	Full Thickness Stage IV	Unable to Stage Slough	Unable to Stage Eschar
							
<p>Cleanse area with Aloe Vesta Foam Cleanser & apply Aloe Vesta skin barrier ointment or Aloe Vesta antifungal skin barrier ointment</p> <p>If the patient has very loose or watery stools assess for need to place a Flexiseal</p>	<p>Cleanse with NS</p> <p>Cover with Xeroform gauze, secure with Kerlix, change every day & PRN</p> <p>Avoid adhesives to secure the dressing</p>	<p>Remove pressure, friction, shear and/or moisture</p> <p>Friction/Shear</p> <p>May apply Tegaderm q 3-5 days</p>	<p>Cleanse with NS</p> <p>Cover with Allevyn Thin q 3-5 days</p>	<p>Cleanse with NS</p> <p>Fill in the dead space of the wound with dry or moist gauze depending on the wound bed drainage</p> <p>Light Drainage</p> <p>Cover with Allevyn Thin q 3-5 days</p> <p>Initiate a Wound Consult (WOCN)</p> <p>Heavy</p> <p>Cover with Allevyn Foam q 3-5 days</p> <p>Initiate a Wound Consult (WOCN)</p>	<p>Cleanse with NS</p> <p>Fill in the dead space of the wound with dry or moist gauze depending on the wound bed drainage</p> <p>Cover with 4x4 or Allevyn Foam or ABD depending on the size of the wound</p> <p>Change the dressing Q Shift</p> <p>Initiate a Wound Consult (WOCN)</p>	<p>Cleanse with NS</p> <p>Wet to Dry Dressing q shift</p> <p>Initiate a Wound Consult (WOCN)</p>	<p>Cleanse with NS, Cover with dry gauze or abd</p> <p>Initiate a Wound Consult (WOCN)</p>

1. Obtain a physician order for all dressings.
2. Please remember to date and time all dressings.
3. Apply No Sting skin prep under tape to prevent skin tears
4. Use paper tape, Hypafix or Cover Roll tape or Bandnet to secure dressings to avoid tape tears.
5. Refer to the Braden document and bed guideline for interventions to prevent skin breakdown
6. If the wound is infected consult the WOCN.
7. When ordering the WOCN on Care 4 enter the tag "Wound Ostomy Continence" as the consult.
8. The Wound Care Center clinic does not normally see in-patients for pressure ulcers.