# Derma**Foam**®

## WATERPROOF FOAM WOUND DRESSING

# For the management of exuding wounds

#### DESCRIPTION

DermaFoam is a highly absorbent foam dressing that wicks wound exudate to reduce the risk for maceration in moderate to heavily draining wounds. It has a waterproof polyurethane film backing to prevent strikethrough of exudate. DermaFoam can be cut to size for irregularly shaped wounds and is non-adhesive so it is easy to remove; needs to be secured in place.

#### INDICATIONS FOR USE

May be used as a primary dressing for the management of acute or chronic partial or full thickness wounds/ulcers with moderate to heavy exudate.

### CONTRAINDICATIONS

DermaFoam should not be used on people who are sensitive or allergic to the dressing and its components.

**DIRECTIONS** (Please use under the guidance of a healthcare professional.)

#### PREPARE WOUND SITE AND SURROUNDING SKIN:

- Cleanse wound with advised liquid to remove residue according to local infection control protocol. Deep wounds should be well irrigated.
- 2. Skin around wound should be clean and dry, use skin barrier prep as needed.

#### TO APPLY:

- 1. Remove dressing from package.
- 2. Dressing may be cut to size prior to application.
- Apply foam surface of dressing to moist wound bed overlapping 1-2 inches of dry skin.
- Secure with tape or appropriate cover dressing that manages drainage and maintains a moist wound environment.

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#### CHANGING THE DRESSING:

- · Dressing may be left in place for up to 5 days.
- Change the dressing if drainage seeps through the back of the dressing, or if the
  edge of the dressing becomes loose; or if the condition of the wound or surrounding
  skin causes concern; or as directed by a qualified healthcare professional.
- · Dressing may be moistened to ease removal.
- Carefully remove adhesive dressings by holding the edge of the dressing and slowly
  pulling it parallel to the skin.
- · Dispose of in accordance with local guidance.

#### WARNINGS

- · For single use only.
- If signs of infection are detected, a qualified healthcare professional should be contacted to decide on the next course of action.
- If signs of an allergic reaction are detected, discontinue use of the product and seek advice from a qualified healthcare professional.
- Product is sterile unless the package is opened or damaged. Do not resterilize.

#### OTHER INFORMATION

- Store in a dry place at room temperature.
- · Keep away from sunlight.
- · Not made with natural rubber latex.



