

# DermaFoam™

## 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:

1. 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.
3. Apply foam surface of dressing to moist wound bed overlapping 1-2 inches of dry skin.
4. 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.

DEPTH / STAGE	ABSORBENCY
<b>PARTIAL   FULL</b> <b>1 2 3 4</b>	 <b>HIGH</b>
For Partial and Full thickness wounds / Pressure ulcers stages 2-4	

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