

# DermaGauze™

## HYDROGEL IMPREGNATED GAUZE WOUND DRESSING

For the management of dry to lightly exuding wounds

### DESCRIPTION

DermaGauze is a gauze dressing impregnated with a vitamin E enriched hydrogel. DermaGauze helps maintain a moist healing environment in partial and full thickness wounds.

### INDICATIONS FOR USE

DermaGauze is a primary dressing that may be used for the management of acute or chronic partial and full thickness wounds that are dry or have minimal exudate.

### CONTRAINDICATIONS

DermaGauze should not be used on people who are sensitive or allergic to the dressing and its components. Bleeding should be controlled before applying dressing.

**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. Apply dressing to wound bed; loosely fill empty space in deep wounds.
3. Secure with appropriate cover dressing that manages drainage and maintains a moist wound environment.

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### CHANGING THE DRESSING:


- Dressing may be changed daily or as directed by a qualified healthcare professional.
- 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>NONE</b>
For Partial and Full thickness wounds / Pressure ulcers stages 2-4	

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