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TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ NON ADHESIVE FOAM DRESSING

EN Product Description

TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ Non Adhesive Foam dressing is a sterile wound dressing consisting of hydrophilic, absorbent, polyurethane foam, designed to absorb exudate.

The outer layer of the dressing is a pink, low friction, waterproof, polyurethane film which provides a bacterial barrier.

The perforated wound contact layer enables exudate uptake, and prevents excess fluid causing maceration to healthy skin. The perforated wound contact layer protects the wound bed from adhering to the dressing by preventing the formation of granulation tissue into the pores of the foam, thus reducing trauma on dressing removal.

TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ Non Adhesive Foam dressing maintains a moist environment to assist in the healing process of moderate to heavily exuding wounds.

Not made with natural rubber latex.

Indications

TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ Non Adhesive Foam is indicated for moderate to heavily exuding chronic and acute wounds. The dressing may be used during the healing process on the following wounds; pressure ulcers, venous leg ulcers, diabetic ulcers, lacerations, abrasions, post-operative surgical wounds, superficial and partial thickness burns, and cavity wounds, as a secondary dressing.

TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ Non Adhesive Foam is suitable for use under compression bandaging.

Contraindications

Do not use on individuals with a known sensitivity to polyurethane films or foams.

Do not use with oxidising solutions such as hypochlorite or hydrogen peroxide, as these can break down the absorbent polyurethane component of the dressing.

Surgical implantation.

Precautions

Do not use on full thickness burns.

Do not use on dry or lightly exuding wounds.

Do not reuse in whole or in part, as it may compromise sterility and/or the performance of the dressing.

TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ Non Adhesive Foam dressings must not be ingested and must be kept away from children and animals.

For use under the guidance of a healthcare professional.

Directions for Use

1. If necessary irrigate the wound site in accordance with standard protocols and dry the surrounding skin before dressing application.
2. Select a size of TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ Non Adhesive Foam that is

slightly larger than the wound. If necessary the dressing can be cut using sterile scissors.

3. Centre the dressing and apply gently over the wound site (white side to the wound).
4. The dressing can be fixed in place with a suitable tape to ensure that it remains in position. Ensure the tape is applied to the edges only and does not cover the dressing as this may affect its performance. Alternatively, if being used under compression bandaging, tape is not required as the bandaging will hold the dressing *in situ*.
5. Discard any remaining dressing material due to the risk of contamination.

Dressing Change and Removal

1. TIELLE ESSENTIAL™ Non Adhesive Foam can remain *in situ* for up to 7 days, dependent on patient condition and the level of exudate. Initially it may be necessary to observe the wound or dressing frequently and change the dressing whenever good wound care practice dictates.
2. Gently remove the dressing from the wound bed and discard. Dispose of according to local procedures and guidelines.
3. If required, cleanse the wound site with a suitable wound cleanser prior to application of a new dressing.

Caution: Federal Law (USA) restricts this device to sale by or on the order of a properly licensed healthcare practitioner.
This caution is not applicable outside the U.S.

SYMBOLS USED ON LABELLING



= Do not use if package is damaged.



= Do not re-use (single use).



= Do not re-sterilize.



= Sterilized using irradiation.



= Batch number.



= Use by: year and month/
Use by: year, month, day.



= Consult instructions for use.



= Store below 25°C (77°F).



= Caution.



= Catalogue number.



= See instructions for use for exudate level.



= Keep dry.

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