OPSITE◊ POST-OP Dressings

A low allergy dressing to help minimise the risk of post-operative blistering.[1-3]



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OPSITE◊ POST-OP
Absorbent, Waterproof
and Bacteria-proof Film Dressing

OPSITE◊ POST-OP VISIBLE
Waterproof, Bacteria-proof Dressing
with See-through Absorbent Pad



The innovative design of OPSITE◊ POST-OP Dressings combines visibility with a bacteria-proof film[5-7] and an absorbent pad to help ensure the wound is protected.[4]

Effective management of post-operative wounds

1. Exudate management

OPSITE POST-OP VISIBLE Dressing is composed of a low adherent, absorbent foam pad which reduces the risk of skin maceration by keeping the exudate away from the peri-wound area.[1,4,8]

2. High Moisture Vapour Transmission Rate (MVTR)[4]

The Reactic Film has a unique molecular structure which gives a high MVTR. This allows unwanted moisture to transpire away.

3. Bacterial barrier[1,5-7]

The top film may act as a barrier to bacteria, including Meticillin-resistant *Staphylococcus Aureus* (MRSA)[4] helping to aid in the prevention of bacterial contamination.[1,5-7]

4. Continual monitoring

OPSITE POST-OP VISIBLE Dressing allows health care professionals (HCPs) to visibly monitor the wound through the lattice see-through foam pad. This may help reduce unnecessary dressing changes for patients.[1,2]



Indications

To dress acute wounds such as:

- post-operative wounds
- lacerations
- cuts
- abrasions
- minor burns where levels of exudate are low / moderate

Features and benefits

Patient focused

OPSITE POST-OP Dressings are comprised of a waterproof film, allowing the patient to stay clean and shower with the dressing in place.[4]

Low pain on removal[1,8]

OPSITE POST-OP Dressings are conformable post-operative dressings which have been shown to have low pain upon removal.

Helps minimise the risk of post-op blistering[2,9]

OPSITE POST-OP Dressings have a triple-layer construction composed of a low allergy adhesive, wound contact layers, and foam pad.



Ordering information

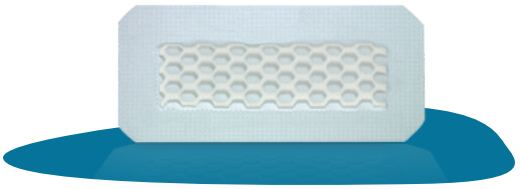
OPSITE POST-OP Dressings

Code	Product description (dressing; pad)	Items per unit
66000708	6.5cm x 5cm; pad: 4cm x 2.5cm	Box/100
66000709	9.5cm x 8.5cm; pad: 7.3cm x 3.7cm	Box/20
66000710	12cm x 10cm; pad: 7.5cm x 5.2cm	Box/10
66000712	15.5cm x 8.5cm; pad: 12cm x 3.7cm	Box/20
66000713	20cm x 10cm; pad: 15cm x 5.6cm	Box/20
66000714	25cm x 10cm; pad: 20cm x 5.6cm	Box/20
66000715	30cm x 10cm; pad: 25cm x 5.6cm	Box/20
66000716	35cm x 10cm; pad: 30cm x 5.6cm	Box/20



OPSITE POST-OP VISIBLE Dressings

Code	Product description	Items per unit
66800136	8cm x 10cm	Box/20
66800137	15cm x 10cm	Box/20
66800138	20cm x 10cm	Box/20
66800139	25cm x 10cm	Box/20
66800140	30cm x 10cm	Box/20
66800141	35cm x 10cm	Box/20



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