

AMERIGEL®

Wound Care **INSTRUCTIONS**

The following are general guidelines and recommendations and do not take the place of proper medical care by a qualified provider.



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HYDROGEL GAUZE DRESSING AND WOUND WASH

REMOVING THE PREVIOUS DRESSING

Carefully remove the dressing/gauze that is covering the wound. If the gauze sticks to the wound, wet the dressing with Amerigel® Wound Wash and try removing it again in 10 or 15 minutes. This will help soften the area that is stuck to the gauze and prevent the removal of the healthy tissue from the wound bed.

CLEANSING THE WOUND

We recommend cleansing the wound with Amerigel® Wound Wash or a saline irrigation solution (Do NOT Use Contact Lens Solutions). Spray the Amerigel® Wound Wash over the affected area. Gently blot dry with a clean gauze or cloth before applying an AmeriGel® Hydrogel Gauze Dressing.

APPLYING AMERIGEL® HYDROGEL GAUZE DRESSING

Following wound cleansing, remove the gauze dressing from the foil package and place it directly over the wound. Allow the gauze to extend beyond the edges of the wound by at least 1/2 inch. Depending on the size of the wound, you may need to use more than one gauze dressing.

DRESSING THE WOUND

After covering the wound with the AmeriGel® Hydrogel Gauze Dressing, you will need to secure it in place with roll gauze. Larger dry gauze pads or non-adherent pads can also be used to cover the AmeriGel® Hydrogel Gauze Dressing and will need to be secured with tape.

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