

RENASYS-G/P Specialist Dressing Techniques: Bridging Two Wounds

		
<p>1. Debride any necrotic tissue eschar if necessary. Cleanse the two wound beds and pat dry as per protocol.</p>	<p>2. Apply SKIN-PREP[®] to the peri-wound skin.</p>	<p>3. Cut a single layer of non-adherent gauze to fit the wound dimensions and place into the wound bed. Repeat procedure for second wound.</p>
		
<p>4. Protect the intact skin between the wounds with transparent adhesive film</p>	<p>5. Moisten the antimicrobial gauze with saline. Place the moistened gauze into both wound beds filling to skin level.</p>	<p>6. Using moistened antimicrobial gauze layer a minimum of three layers and place on top of Transparent Film to form a bridge. Ensure the bridge is wider than the diameter of the Port dressing 1.5in (3.8cm).</p>
		
<p>6. Cover the gauze with Transparent Film. The film should extend 2in (5.1cm) beyond the wound margin to facilitate an adequate seal.</p>	<p>7. Ensure the film is securely anchored to the peri-wound area to maintain a good seal.</p>	<p>8. Cut a small circular hole in the center of the film over the gauze. The hole needs to be 0.25in (0.6cm) in size. Remove any excess trimmed film.</p>
		
<p>10. Align the opening of the Port over the hole in the film. Use gentle pressure to anchor the Port to the film.</p>	<p>12. Smooth the dressing down while removing the frame.</p>	<p>13. Connect the Port tubing to the canister tubing using the quick-click connector. Ensure the Port tubing clamps are open.</p>
		
<p>14. Switch on the device, set desired pressure setting and start therapy.</p>	<p>15. The finished dressing should collapse, be firm to the touch and have a wrinkled appearance.</p>	<p>16. If desired secure the Port tubing with Transparent Film.</p>

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<p>1. Debride any necrotic tissue eschar if necessary. Cleanse the wound bed and pat dry as per protocol.</p>	<p>2. Apply SKIN-PREP[®] to the peri-wound skin.</p>	<p>3. Cut a single layer of non-adherent wound contact layer to fit the wound dimensions and place in the wound bed.</p>
		
<p>4. Moisten the antimicrobial gauze with saline.</p>	<p>5. Place the moistened gauze into the wound bed filling to skin level.</p>	<p>6. Cover the intact skin where the bridge will be placed with transparent adhesive film.</p>
		
<p>7. Using moistened antimicrobial gauze layer a minimum of three layers and place on top of Transparent Film to form a bridge. Ensure the bridge is wider than the diameter of the Port dressing 1.5in (3.8cm).</p>	<p>8. Cover the gauze with Transparent Film. The film should extend 2in (5.1cm) beyond the wound margin to facilitate an adequate seal.</p>	<p>9. Ensure the film is securely anchored to the peri-wound area to maintain a good seal.</p>
		
<p>10. Cut a small circular hole in the center of the film over the gauze. The hole needs to be 0.25in (0.6cm) in size. Remove any excess trimmed film.</p>	<p>11. Align the opening of the Port over the hole in the film. Use gentle pressure to anchor the Port to the film.</p>	<p>12. Smooth the dressing down while removing the frame.</p>
		
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