

SEEK & FIND: WOUND



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This assignment is intended to help you become familiar with some of the products used when providing wound care. : It is not uncommon for WOC nurses to be asked for treatment recommendations with little wound information and for unseen wounds. These recommendations are based upon knowledge of wound dressing categories and matching them to wound characteristics. This assignment helps to mimic this situation.

Carefully read the information to help you identify the products that meet the descriptions being provided. The products should be those considered as a topical therapy/wound dressing. Advanced wound therapy options, such as NPWT and collagen, should only be identified when indicated.

Column A: For each wound type or scenario, identify two different categories/classifications (foam, hydrocolloid, transparent film, etc) of topical therapy. A complete answer identifies the dressing classification, a specific product name and manufacturer, and the secondary dressing if indicated. The inclusion of the primary and secondary dressing is considered a complete answer. For example: Hydrofiber covered by a hydrocolloid: Aquacel (Convatec) covered by a Duoderm (Convatec). Use the product name & NOT the product number when completing this assignment.

Column B: Either identifies additional information related to the wound and mini case scenario in Column A OR asks other wound care related questions Answer the questions.

Column A Topical therapy	Possible Points	Earned Points	Column B	Possible Points	Earned Points
Wounds with scant to small amounts of drainage. 1. _____ 2. _____	0.5		Identify special precautions/considerations for each of the chosen products in Column A? Product 1. _____ Product 2. _____	0.5	

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<p>Sacral wound covered with 100% intact eschar.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>The sacral wound (Column A) now presents as boggy and odorous, draining thick exudate and has a 2 cm area of erythema surrounding the wound.</p> <p>1. Would this assessment change your topical therapy choice?</p> <p>2. If yes, what would be your new topical treatment?</p> <p>3. Are there any other actions would you perform or initiate as part of the plan of care?</p>	<p>2</p>	
<p>Wounds with 90% yellow adherent slough.</p>  <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>Identify two (2) <u>different actions</u> used to prevent periwound maceration.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	<p>1</p>	
<p>Type 3 skin tear.</p>  <p>1. _____</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>Identify at least two (2) nursing actions, not topical wound treatments, to be implemented for an individual with fragile skin.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	<p>1</p>	

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<p>2. _____</p>					
<p>Deep tissue pressure injury (DTPI)</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	<p>1</p>		<p>Both of these pictured dressings are from the same classification. Identify the classification/category and the implication for use.</p>  <p>Classification _____</p> <p>Use _____</p>	<p>1</p>	
<p>Red, granulating stage 3 sacral pressure injury with little exudate.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	<p>1</p>		<p>Identify an appropriate support surface (category/brand name) to use when pressure injuries are present.</p>	<p>1</p>	
<p>Partial thickness wound with moderate amounts of drainage</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	<p>1</p>		<p>Identify the classification/category for each pictured dressing.</p> <p>1.</p>  <p>_____</p> <p>2.</p>	<p>1</p>	

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<p>Stage 4 ischial pressure injury, 80% granulation tissue, 20% slough with tunneling and undermining.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	1		<p>Identify two additional treatments (other than topical) to address with this patient.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	1	
<p>Patient with incontinence-associated dermatitis as a result of diarrhea and urinary incontinence. Address topical skin care.</p> <p>Cleansing: _____</p> <p>Protection: _____</p>	1		<p>In addition to BWAPs, there are additional methods of diarrhea containment. Identify two other methods.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	1	
<p>Identify topical dressings for lower extremity venous ulcers with large amounts of wound drainage.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	1		<p>Identify two (2) other areas to be addressed in the plan of care for the patient with a lower extremity venous ulcer.</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p>	1	

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