

NHS Grampian Joint Wound Care Formulary

Product:

ADAPTIC TOUCH®

This is the second-line non-adherent dressing within the Grampian Wound Care Formulary. In the management of children in RACH and 'Burns and Plastics' cases clinicians may use Mepitel® as an alternative. This is due to the nature of this specific age group and complex wound type.

Product description:

ADAPTIC TOUCH® non-adhering silicone dressing is a flexible, open-mesh primary wound contact layer. It is comprised of cellulose acetate coated with a soft tack silicone and is designed to stay in place and to cause less trauma during dressing change.

Advanced mesh design means minimised risk of exudate pooling and secondary dressing adherence to the wound.

Indications for use:

ADAPTIC TOUCH® non-adhering silicone dressing is indicated for use in the management of dry to highly exuding partial- and full-thickness chronic wounds including venous ulcers, decubitus (pressure) ulcers, diabetic ulcers, traumatic and surgical wounds, donor sites, first and second degree burns. It is also suitable for use, under medical supervision, with negative pressure wound therapy (NPWT). The dressing may be left in place for several days depending on wound condition and exudate level. ADAPTIC TOUCH® can be cut to size and the dressing will not unravel or shed fibres.

Contraindications:

Not indicated for patients with a known sensitivity to silicone or cellulose acetate fabric.
Surgical implantation.

Precautions:

Select a size of ADAPTIC TOUCH® that is larger than the wound to ensure dressing can be applied to intact skin surrounding the wound margins.

If more than one piece of ADAPTIC TOUCH® is required, ensure dressings overlap to avoid secondary dressing adherence to the wound; however overlap should be minimised to prevent occlusion of holes

Product type:

Low/non-adherent

Product function:

Primary dressing

Wound type:

Not an exudate manager but can be used for low to highly exuding wounds: necrosis, slough, granulating, epithelialisation.



Product	Manufacturer	Available sizes	Pack size
ADAPTIC TOUCH®	Systagenix	5cm x 7.6cm	10
		7.6cm x 11cm	10
		12.7cm x 15cm	10
		20cm x 32cm	5