



From infection control to moisture balance

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Co-chair's introduction

Infection control and moisture balance are two key features of wound bed preparation. Proper management of these components is an essential part of the wound care plan to ensure optimal healing.

What should we be looking for when we consider dressing therapies for infection control and moisture balance? In this symposium we will review clinical options that enable us to provide our patients with the best possible outcomes.

Professor Wolfgang Vanscheidt will begin by reviewing silver dressings that assist with infection control, and will feature his experience with nanocrystalline silver barrier dressings. John Timmons will provide us with his perspectives on achieving moisture balance, discussing his experience with a hydrocellular dressing. Professor Keith Bowering will then describe his own clinical experience with a new dressing, which combines nanocrystalline silver with a highly absorbent foam (this has recently been made available in the USA and Canada).

Throughout these presentations, There will be focus on clinical cases and free discussion that will encourage all participants to share their experiences in wound bed management.

Keith Bowering,
University of Alberta, Canada,
Co-chair



Programme

Introduction

Professor Wolfgang Vanscheidt, University of Freiburg, Germany, Co-chair

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Silver dressings for optimal infection control

Professor Wolfgang Vanscheidt, University of Freiburg, Germany

New perspectives on achieving moisture balance

Mr John Timmons, Glasgow Caledonian University, UK

ACTICOAT[®] Moisture Control – a new clinical option

Professor Keith Bowering, University of Alberta, Canada

Interactive discussion

Professor Keith Bowering, University of Alberta, Canada



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