Help protect tissues following sinus surgery

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RAPID RHINO®
SINU-FOAM®
Dissolvable Post-op Dressing

Supporting healthcare professionals
What is SINU-FOAM™?

Dissolvable dressing allowing for easy placement throughout the nasal and sinus cavities

How does it work?
SINU-FOAM is a CMC-based dressing intended to minimize bleeding and edema and to prevent adhesions between the septum and the nasal cavity. SINU-FOAM starts as a dry carboxymethylcellulose (CMC) fiber within a syringe. When properly mixed with sterile water, the CMC gels to form a viscous dissolvable foam that conforms to the nasal cavities while providing a moist, hydrocolloid physical barrier.

Why CMC material?
CMC is commonly used in pharmaceuticals and medical devices. Medical devices containing CMC, such as the RAPID RHINO® epistaxis dressings, SINU-FOAM dressing, and SEPFILM® bioresorbable membrane have been in clinical use over the last two decades.

SINU-FOAM is designed to:
- Eliminate the need for painful post-op removal of packing
- Remain where placed and dissolve gradually through normal outflow in 7-10 days
- Be easily debrided using gentle suction if any foam remains in situ post-op
- Provide a moist environment
SINU-FOAM™
Mixing Instructions

**Step 1**
Draw sterile water or Lactated Ringers solution up to the black line (~8ml) of the small syringe.

**Step 2**
Screw and connect the two syringes together.

**Step 3**
With the solution vertically on top, press the small syringe plunger so that all the solution wets the fiber in the large syringe.

**Step 4**
Mix the foam between the two syringes (10-15 times). **CRITICAL:** During each pass, all the foam should move from one syringe to the other. Finish mixing the foam in the smaller syringe.

**Step 5**
Disconnect the two syringes and attach the cannula to the small syringe in preparation for deployment into the sinuses.
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