



Advanced Wound Care: Dressings and NPWT

This lesson reviews principles of wound management, dressing categories and negative pressure wound therapy and will assist the care provider in selecting most appropriate management options for each person with a wound. It is accompanied by a case study exercise to generate critical thinking and discussion among participants.

Objectives

- Discuss moisture imbalance and its role in impaired healing
- Identify common dressing categories for managing moisture imbalance
- Discuss the role of negative pressure wound therapy for wound management



This program includes:

Clinical education

- PowerPoint® for train-the-trainer
- Live webinar training by Smith & Nephew clinical staff
- Chaptered video on DVD



Product training

- Training on Smith & Nephew wound care products by Smith & Nephew representative
- DVD of product application demonstrations
- www.myrenasys.com



Bedside tools

- TIMEsaver booklet
- Wound Care Quick Reference Clinical Guide
- RENASYS® Quick Reference Guide on each pump



Multi-media resources – for review on-demand

- Advanced Wound Care: Dressings and NPWT – Chaptered DVD
- Recorded webinar
- Product Training DVD
- Dressing Selection: Interactive learning module on Global Wound Academy at www.globalwoundacademy.com
- www.myrenasys.com and www.smith-nephew.com



Suggestions for success:

1. It may be helpful to review the Wound Assessment and Documentation lesson series before viewing this module
2. Review Wound Care Clinical Quick Reference Guide
3. Follow with review of Dressing Selection module on Global Wound Academy at www.globalwoundacademy.com