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Helping you to protect what counts most

3M™ Adaptic™ Touch Non-Adhering Silicone Dressing



Protects newly formed tissue

3M™ Adaptic™ Touch Non-Adhering Silicone Dressing is a flexible, open mesh silicone wound contact layer comprised of cellulose acetate coated with a soft tack silicone that has been designed to optimise fluid management and minimise adherence and pain at dressing change.

Protecting new formed granulation tissue is not only important to support successful wound healing, but also helps to protect the patient from pain and trauma which might be experienced at dressing change.

In a RCT on 70 patients, with burns, traumatic and post-surgical wounds 3M™ Adaptic™ Touch Non-Adhering Silicone Dressing scored as well as Mepitel® in terms of adherence, rates of wound closure, and optimal effectiveness.[1]

Adaptic Touch Dressing supports the protection of the wound bed and its delicate wound tissue in three ways:



1

Providing wound bed protection and patient comfort

Adaptic Touch Dressing protects the wound bed through its gentle silicone contact layer and optimal pore size which are designed to minimise adherence to the wound bed and secondary dressing. It can be left in place for several days to protect vulnerable wound tissue and minimises patient pain at dressing change[2].



2

Performance

The open mesh structure of Adaptic Touch Dressing allows free passage of exudate into an appropriate secondary dressing, reducing the risk of exudate pooling and maceration[3]. The optimal pore size and transparent nature of the dressing allows visibility of the wound bed without the need to remove the dressing, providing undisturbed wound healing[3]. The dressing is easy to use, does not stick to gloves, and remains in place *in situ* during dressing change[3].



3

Providing atraumatic removal for patients

Its conformability and cuttability allows clinicians to dress difficult shaped wounds providing full protection for the wound bed, without the dressing unravelling or shedding fibres[4].

When to use

3M™ Adaptic™ Touch Non-Adhering Silicone Dressing is indicated for use in the management of dry to highly exuding, partial and full-thickness wounds, such as:

- Venous leg ulcers
- Pressure ulcers
- Diabetic foot ulcers
- Skin tears
- Surgical
- Donor sites
- First and second degree burns



Adaptic Touch Dressing and Negative Pressure Wound Therapy (NPWT)

In a series of international case studies, Adaptic Touch Dressing was used as an alternative to traditional wound contact layers under NPWT to benefit patients across a range of wound types. Over the course of treatments, clinicians reported that Adaptic Touch Dressing was easy to use and remove and did not not adhere or cause pain during wear or upon removal.

Furthermore, the dressing was shown to allow exudate to pass freely into the canister, without adhering or causing pain[4].

Adaptic Touch Dressing at a glance:



Protects the wound bed



Minimises pain and trauma



Can be used in conjunction with NPWT



Suitable for use on fragile skin



Cuttable

Ordering information

3M™ Adaptic™ Touch Non-Adhering Silicone Dressing		
Size	**Dressings per box**	**Code**
7.6cm x 5cm	10	TCH501
7.6cm x 11cm	10	TCH502
12.7cm x 15cm	10	TCH503
20cm x 32cm	5	TCH504

To learn about the benefits of 3M™ Adaptic™ Touch Non-Adhering Silicone Dressing please contact your local 3M representative.

Explore the 3M™ Adaptic™ Dressing Range

3M™ Adaptic™
Non-Adhering Dressing

3M™ Adaptic™ Digit
Non-Adhering Dressing



3M™ Adaptic™ Touch One
One-Sided Non-Adhering
Silicone Dressing



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Note: Specific indications, contraindications, warnings, precautions and safety information exist for these products. Please consult a healthcare provider and product instructions for use prior to application. This material is intended for healthcare professionals.

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