3M™ Prevena™ Therapy Mechanism of Action

Help manage and protect surgical incisions with Prevena Therapy.

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- Acts as a barrier to external contamination
- Delivers continuous -125 mmHg up to 7 days
- Removes fluids and infectious materials
- Helps to hold incision edges together
- Decreases lateral tensions of sutured/stapled incisions
- Reduces edema

**Direction of fluid**

*In a canister
†In computer and bench models
‡See Prevena Therapy Patient and Clinician Guides for additional details

Additional benefits unique to 3M™ Prevena™ Dressings:

- Under negative pressure, reticulated open-cell foam dressing collapses to its geometric center
- Contours allow for even distribution of negative pressure
- Skin interface layer contains 0.019% ionic silver to reduce bacterial colonization
- Available in multiple sizes and configurations for a variety of patients

Prevena Therapy can support clinicians with earlier patient discharge to a home setting:

- Portable, single-use therapy for up to 7 days
- Shower friendly
- Audible and visual alarms
- Dedicated patient support line: 1-800-275-4524

To request a demonstration, contact your 3M representative or visit 3m.com/PrevenaCentral