



# HYDRO-DESLOUGHING ABSORBENT ROPE WITH STERILE PROBE

Indication: cavity wounds from the debridement and desloughing phase

- Absorption and drainage of slough and bacteria
- One piece removal
- Atraumatic and painless dressing changes
- Contact haemostasis



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Supplied in boxes of individually pouched and sterile dressings, ready to use

Size

5 x 40 cm

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# UrgoClean Rope



# DESCRIPTION

UrgoClean Rope is a sterile, non-woven rope, composed of hydro-desloughing fibres (polyacrylate) that are highly absorbent and cohesive, giving UrgoClean Rope its absorption and slough-trapping properties and strength on removal.
 The rope is packaged with a probe to assess the wound depth.

# **MECHANISM OF ACTION**

In contact with exudate, the hydro-desloughing polyacrylate fibres gel and bind to the sloughy residue, absorbing and draining it to aid its elimination (autolytic debridement).

#### **FEATURES**

#### For the wound:

- Absorption and controlled diffusion of exudate (good retention)
- Absorption, trapping and drainage of slough
- Absorption and trapping of bacteria
- Contact haemostasis for wounds with bloody exudate
- Removal of the dressing in one piece due to the strength of the hydro-desloughing fibres.
- Maintenance of a moist environment in contact with the
- wound that promotes healing of desloughed areas
- Atraumatic and painless removal

- For health professionals:
  - Safe debridement and desloughing,
  - Quicker wound care when applying and removing the dressing - Pain management
  - Presence of a probe to assess the wound depth (packaged
  - with the rope)
  - Management of minor bleeding

### **INDICATIONS**

UrgoClean Rope is indicated from the debridement and desloughing phase of exuding cavity wounds, chronic wounds (leg ulcers, pressure sores, diabetic foot ulcers including malum perforans pedis), acute (traumatic wounds), post-operative and oncological wounds.

# **DIRECTIONS FOR USE**

#### METHOD OF USE

- 1 Wound preparation:
  - Clean the wound using the conventional care protocol, then rinse with normal saline,
  - -The use of **UrgoClean Rope** does not dispense with the need for associated mechanical debridement when required.
- 2 Open the blister seal.
  - Use the probe to assess the depth of the wound if necessary.
    Apply UrgoClean Rope directly into the wound.

**UrgoClean Rope** can be cut (widthways) using sterile scissors to fit the rope length to the wound depth if necessary.

In the event of a low exuding wound, moisten with normal saline before applying **UrgoClean Rope**.

- Do not pack the wound too tightly
- Ensure that the rope remains visible accessible and easy to remove from the cavity wound.
- Cover  $\ensuremath{\text{UrgoClean}}$  Rope with a secondary dressing suitable
- for the location and exuding nature of the wound.
- 3 Dressing changes:
  - **UrgoClean Rope** should be changed every 1 to 2 days during the wound desloughing phase, then as often as required depending on the exudate volume and the clinical condition of the wound
- 4 Dressing removal:
  - Ensure that the **UrgoClean Rope** is completely removed from the wound.

#### PRECAUTIONS

- Due to its non-occlusive nature and bacteria-trapping properties,
   UrgoClean Rope can be used on infected wounds under close medical supervision.
- During debridement and desloughing, the wound may appear to enlarge due to continuous removal of sloughy tissue.
- Do not combine UrgoClean Rope with hydrogen peroxide or organic mercury or hexamidine antiseptics.
- Limit contact between the probe and the wound and do not leave the probe in the wound.

 Discard the probe after use, along with any unused parts of UrgoClean Rope.

- Check that the sterility protector is intact before use.
- Do not swallow. Keep out of the reach of children.
- Do not re-sterilise the rope or the probe.

Sterile individual packaging, for single use: reuse of a disposable dressing can lead to risks of infection.

Store the UrgoClean Rope dressing flat.

#### CONTRAINDICATIONS

Do not use in fistula wounds with a diameter less than that of the probe.

- Do not use on dry wounds.
- Do not use as surgical packing (non-resorbable rope).
- Do not use in endo-nasal area in rhino-sinusitis
- surgery.

