

# Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid

Adhesive Dressings

No Moving,  
No Rolling,  
No Problem



Keeping an adhesive hydrocolloid dressing in place used to be a problem, but 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Adhesive Dressings have an innovative design that provides a long wear time for partial- to full-thickness wounds with low- to moderate-exudate.

- The inner layer of hydrocolloid adhesive absorbs exudate providing higher absorbency than the leading hydrocolloid in the first 48 hours
- Water resistant film border adheres firmly
- Dressing adhesive adheres to skin in the presence of moisture
- Outer barrier film protects the wound and periwound skin from contaminants, body fluids, bacteria and viruses\*

\**In vitro* testing shows that the transparent film of Tegaderm™, Tegaderm™ Advanced, Tegaderm™ HP and Tegaderm™ CHG dressings provides a viral barrier from viruses 27 nm in diameter or larger while the dressing remains intact without leakage.

# 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing Stays in Place for Long Wear Time and Potential Cost Savings

## Ideal for Low- to Moderate-Draining Wounds

- Proven up to 7 day wear time provides undisturbed moist wound environment which has been shown to enhance healing
- Smooth outer surface helps reduce the risk of shear and friction
- Adhesive dressings continue to adhere and protect the wound in the presence of incontinence
- Long wear time means less dressing changes and potentially lower costs



## Maximize Sacral Protection

- The sacral shape stays in place
- Provides non-tenting border application in the gluteal cleft to seal against incontinence
- Easy to wipe off after incontinent episodes
- Reduced need for unnecessary dressing changes
- Convenient one-handed application

## Variety of Shapes and Sizes

Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressings are available in three convenient shapes — oval, sacral and square. Oval and sacral shapes have a film border. The film border eliminates the need for tape and makes dressing application easier. Ovals and squares are also available in a thin dressing design.

## Comfort for Patients

Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressings provide excellent patient comfort, dressing adherence and wound management. The flexible, conformable, low-profile dressings are comfortable because there is less bulk to catch on bed linens. With film dressing border, there is less likelihood of edge lift. Water resistance allows the patient to shower or to have a bed bath.



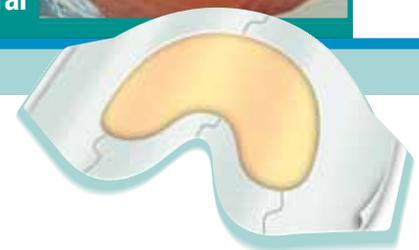
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Thin



Sacral



## Product Benefits

### Clinically Effective:

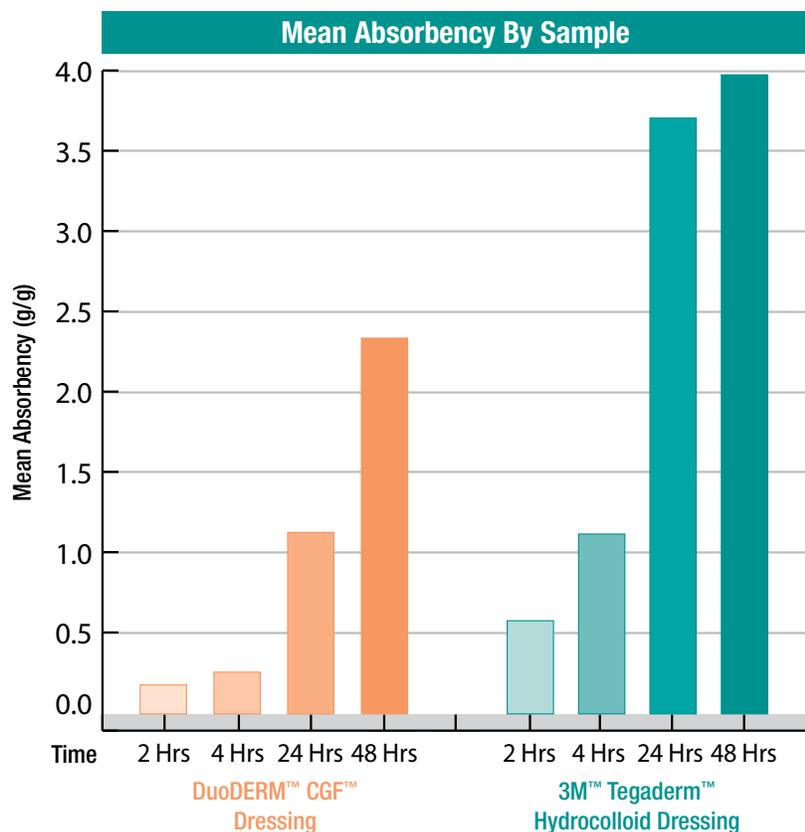
- Hydrocolloid adhesive absorbs exudates without breaking down or leaving residue in the wound for easier dressing application
- Dressing ensures an optimal moist wound healing environment which has been shown to enhance healing
- Smooth outer surface helps protect skin from shearing caused by friction, may be used to help prevent damage to intact skin
- May be worn up to 7 days

### Protection from Contaminants:

- Outer film barrier protects the wound and surrounding skin from contaminants, body fluids, bacteria and viruses\*
- Provides a consistently high moisture vapor transmission to reduce the potential for periwound skin maceration

## Clinically Proven

Three separate lots (6 replicates for each lot) of 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing and DuoDERM® CGF® Dressing were tested for absorbency. Results were recorded as grams of solution absorbed per gram of dressing material. Absorbency was measured at 2, 4, 24 and 48 hours. The results from the absorbency testing indicate that Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing had a statistically significant higher mean absorbency than DuoDERM® CGF® Dressing at every time point ( $p < 0.0001$ ). The following graph displays the mean absorbency across time.



Significantly  
Higher  
Absorbency

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## 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing - Oval & Square

### Indications for Use

Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing is indicated for partial- and full-thickness dermal ulcers, leg ulcers, superficial wounds, abrasions, superficial- and partial-thickness burns, and donor sites.



## 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Thin Dressing - Oval & Square

### Indications for Use

Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Thin Dressing is indicated for partial-thickness dermal ulcers, leg ulcers, superficial wounds, abrasions, superficial- and partial-thickness burns, and donor sites. It may also be used as a protective dressing on at-risk, undamaged skin or on skin beginning to show signs of damage from friction or shear.



## 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing - Sacral Shape

### Indications for Use

Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing for sacral applications is indicated for partial- and full-thickness dermal ulcers, superficial wounds, abrasions, superficial- and partial-thickness burns, and donor sites. It is very useful in body areas that are problems for dressing shape and conformance. Examples of such areas are heels, elbows, breasts, and the sacral area of the buttocks.



## Optimal Performance

Optimal performance for 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressing depends on full understanding of, and confidence with, dressing application and removal techniques.

Review of the following application and removal techniques will ensure appropriate use of Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressings and Tegaderm™ Thin Hydrocolloid Dressings.

## Application and Removal Instructions

### Dressing Selection

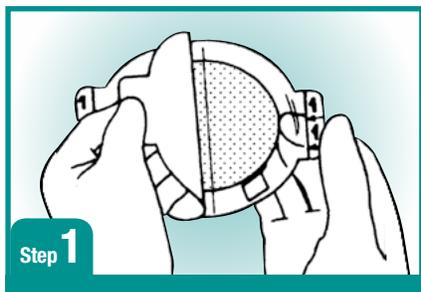
Evaluate the wound and select the dressing size to allow 2.5 cm (1 inch) of the hydrocolloid adhesive to extend beyond the wound edge.

### Site Preparation

Before Using the Dressing:

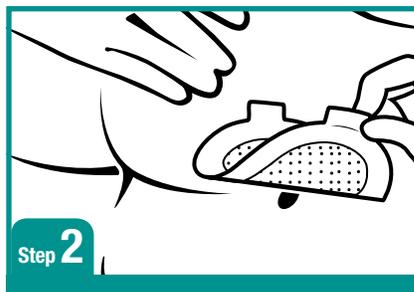
1. Clip excess hair for patient comfort.
2. Clean the skin and the wound thoroughly, according to your facility or agency protocol.
3. Allow the skin to dry before applying the dressing.
4. If the patient's skin is easily damaged or if drainage is expected to go beyond the wound edge, 3M™ Cavilon™ No Sting Barrier Film may be applied.

## Application Instructions for Oval Dressing



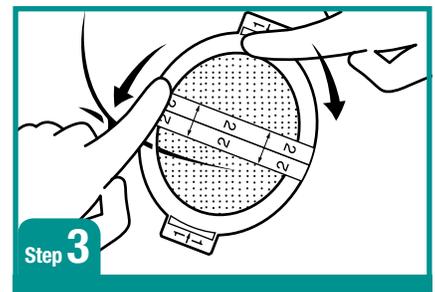
Step 1

Remove dressing from paper liner by lifting and pulling one of the square end tabs marked "1" – exposing the adhesive surface. Avoid touching the adhesive border.



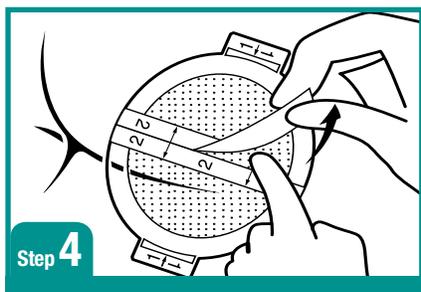
Step 2

Center the dressing over wound and periwound area, then gently press the adhesive side of the dressing to the periwound area from the center outward.



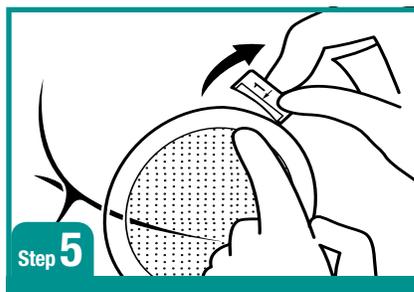
Step 3

With pressure, smooth film edges down to ensure good adhesion.



Step 4

Remove the delivery film by lifting and pulling one of the center tabs marked "2" toward one end of the dressing while smoothing down the dressing edges. Remove the other center tab in the same manner.



Step 5

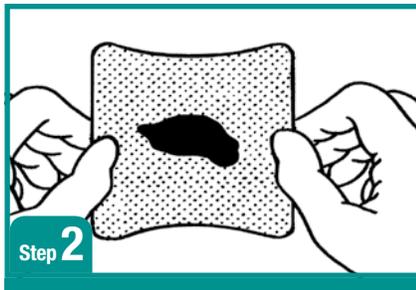
Gently tear off the square end tabs at perforations in a downward direction and discard. Avoid lifting the film edge while removing the tabs. Then reinforce the entire film edge with firm pressure.

## Application Instructions for Square Dressing



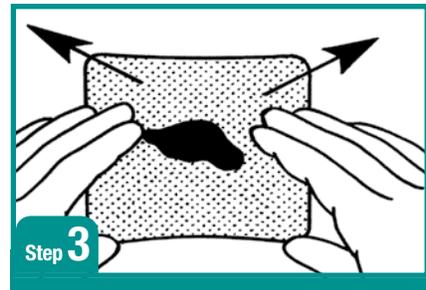
**Step 1**

Remove dressing from paper liner, avoiding contact with the hydrocolloid adhesive surface.



**Step 2**

Center the dressing over the wound and periwound area.



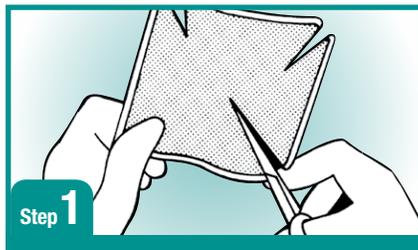
**Step 3**

Gently press the adhesive side of the dressing to the periwound area from the center outward. Care should be taken to avoid unnecessary stretching of the dressing, which can result in mechanical trauma to the wound and surrounding skin.\*



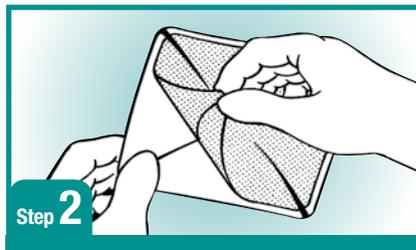
**Note:** If necessary, the dressing can be custom cut prior to liner removal and then applied as shown.

## Application Instructions for Specialty Dressing: Heel/Elbow – Square Dressing



**Step 1**

Slit all four corners of the dressing from edge toward center.



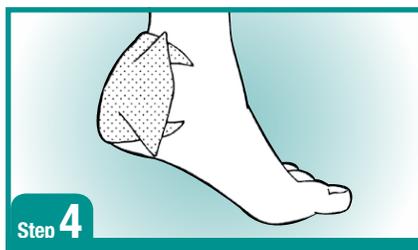
**Step 2**

Remove liner, grasping both slit sides of one corner.



**Step 3**

Secure to heel or elbow, by pressing from the center toward the two cut sides.



**Step 4**

Overlap remaining sides on secured edges and press seams to prevent leakage.



**Step 5**

Picture frame edges with tape.\*

\* To promote longer wear time, picture frame the edges of the dressing with 3M™ Micropore™ or 3M™ Medipore™ Soft Cloth Surgical Tape. Remember to rub firmly over the tape to enhance adhesion.

## Application Instructions for Sacral Design Dressing



**Step 1**

Flex dressing to open edges of the four paper frame splits. This will allow easier removal once dressing has been placed over the wound.



**Step 2**

Before removing the printed liner, fold the dressing in half and “crease” it down the middle. This will greatly assist one handed application into the gluteal cleft.



**Step 3**

Hold the tabs together to prevent gloves from sticking to the dressing. Remove the printed liner on one side of the dressing until adhesive is exposed. Continue to remove the printed liner from the other side of the dressing in the same manner.



**Step 4**

While still holding both tabs, position the dressing over the wound, tilting the dressing toward the anal area. Spread the buttocks to get better placement. Secure the dressing above the anus first. **This will minimize the chances of wrinkling (tenting).**



**Step 5**

After securing dressing in the cleft, gently press adhesive sides of the dressing down from the center outward. This helps to avoid wrinkling and provides a smooth neat application. Avoid stretching the dressing or the skin.



**Step 6**

Remove the dressing frame, starting at the top and working downward. Reinforce and smooth the film border from the center outward. Continue down one side ending at the notch. Repeat process from other side until all sections of the frame are removed.

## Application Tips for Sacral Design Dressing



After cleaning and drying the wound, apply 3M™ Cavilon™ No Sting Barrier Film on the periwound area. This alcohol free barrier film forms a barrier that helps prevent skin damage from incontinence and adhesives, and protects damaged periwound skin from further injury.



When properly applied, the dressing will lay smooth along the contours of the buttocks.

## Removal Instructions



**Step 1**

Carefully lift the dressing edges (film border) while pressing down on the skin. Continue lifting the edges until all are free from the skin surface.



**Step 2**

If there is difficulty lifting the film border, apply tape to the edge of the dressing and use the tape to lift.



**Step 3**

Remove the dressing slowly, folding it over itself. Pull carefully in the direction of hair growth.

# 3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressings

## Ordering Information:

	Catalog No.	NDC No.	Gel Pad Size	Dressing Size	Dressings/Box	Boxes/Case	HCPCS Code***
<b>3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Dressings</b>							
	90001 (Ovals)	8333-9000-10	2 ¾ in x 3 ½ in 7 cm x 9 cm	4 in x 4 ¾ in 10 cm x 12 cm*	5	20	A6237
	90003 (Ovals)	8333-9000-30	4 in x 4 ¾ in 10 cm x 12 cm	5 ¼ in x 6 in 13 cm x 15 cm*	5	12	A6238
	90004 (Ovals)	8333-9000-40	5 ½ in x 6 ¾ in 14 cm x 17 cm	6 ¾ in x 7 ¾ in 17 cm x 20 cm*	3	20	A6238
	90002 (Squares)	8333-9000-20	4 in x 4 in 10 cm x 10 cm	—	5	20	A6234
	90005 (Squares)	8333-9000-50	6 in x 6 in 15 cm x 15 cm	—	3	20	A6235
<b>3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Sacral Dressings</b>							
	90007	8333-9000-70	—	6 ¾ in x 6 ¾ in 17,1 cm x 16,1 cm**	6	4	A6238
<b>3M™ Tegaderm™ Hydrocolloid Thin Dressings</b>							
	90021 (Ovals)	8333-9002-10	2 ¾ in x 3 ½ in 7 cm x 9 cm	4 in x 4 ¾ in 10 cm x 12 cm*	10	10	A6237
	90023 (Ovals)	8333-9002-30	4 in x 4 ¾ in 10 cm x 12 cm	5 ¼ in x 6 in 13 cm x 15 cm*	10	6	A6238
	90024 (Ovals)	8333-9002-40	5 ½ in x 6 ¾ in 14 cm x 17 cm	6 ¾ in x 7 ¾ in 17 cm x 20 cm*	6	10	A6238
	90022 (Squares)	8333-9002-20	4 in x 4 in 10 cm x 10 cm	—	5	20	A6234

\*Dimensions of entire dressing, including hydrocolloid and film backing.

\*\*Dimensions of entire dressing, including hydrocolloid and border.

\*\*\* HCPCS codes as referenced in the Local Coverage Determination Surgical Dressing Policy.

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