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MELOLIN[®]
Low Adherent Wound Dressing

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MELOLIN consists of a highly absorbent cotton and polyester fibre pad which is heat-bonded on one side to a very thin perforated polyester film. The film side of the dressing is placed next to the wound.

Advantages

Low-adherent perforated film

Allows for drainage of exudate, reducing trauma to healing tissue on removal.¹

Highly absorbent cotton/polyester pad

Gives excellent absorption.

Cushions and protects

MELOLIN provides a comfortable dressing for the patient during the healing period.¹

Sterile

Packed in peel-apart packaging for aseptic dressing technique. Also available in bulk for incorporation in procedure packs and subsequent sterilisation.

Easy to cut

MELOLIN is easy to cut to shape and retains its integrity when cut.

Inert and Non-sensitising

MELOLIN is inert and non-sensitising.

Indications

A low adherent, absorbent dressing used for the management of a wide variety of light to moderately exuding wounds including:

- Clean and sutured wounds
- Abrasions and lacerations
- Minor burns

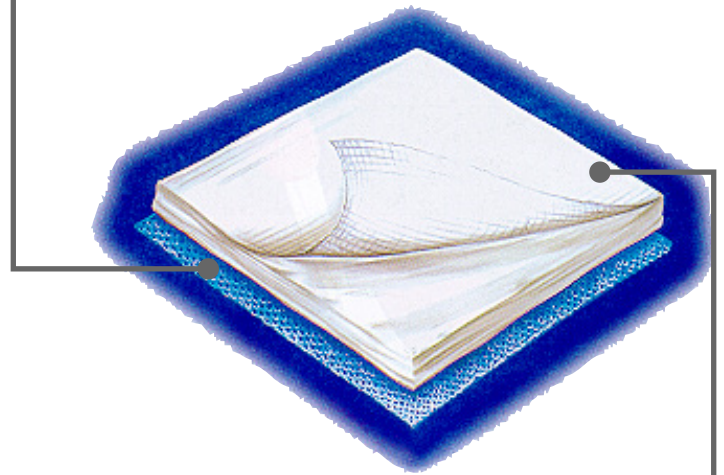
Presentation

MELOLIN is available in two forms, both wrapped and unwrapped. The wrapped dressings are sterilised by autoclaving.



MELOLIN - Dressing with excellent absorbency²

Elliptical holes facilitate rapid movement of fluid into the absorbent pad.



Polyester film is heat-bonded to the pad in places enabling it to be easily separated without wound disturbance.

Film covers 80% of the wound surface, preventing dehydration and the death of viable cells.

Low-adherent dressing that minimises pain on removal.

Always place the shiny side of the dressing to the wound.

Ordering MELOLIN

Code	Product description	Items per unit
66974940	5cm x 5cm	Box/100
66974932	5cm x 5cm	Box/25*
66974933	10cm x 10cm	Box/10*
66974941	10cm x 10cm	Box/100
66974939	10cm x 20cm	Box/100
66974930	50cm x 7m Roll (non-sterile)	Roll/1

*Not available in New Zealand

References

1. Robb WAT. Clinical Trial of MELOLIN: a new non-adherent dressing *Brit J. Plast. Surg* 1961; 14: 47-49.
2. Data on file. Technical study report; 2008: report CCA 1055/R1.

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