






# Wound Care Formulary

PROBLEM	AIM	METHOD/TREATMENT	WOUND CARE PRODUCT
<p><b>TISSUE</b> Non-viable Necrotic/sloughy</p> <p>Viable tissue Granulation/epithealisation</p>	<p>To debride necrotic/sloughy tissue</p>  <p>To promote healing</p> 	<p>Autolytic</p> <p>(For sharp debridement/larvae therapy refer to tissue viability services)</p> <p>Moist interactive wound dressings</p>	<p>Hydrocolloid for dry necrosis – <b>Comfeel Plus</b></p> <p><b>Intrasite Gel, Purilon Gel</b> with Foam dressing, <b>Allevyn, Biatain</b></p> <p>Alginate for wet slough: <b>Kaltostat</b> and Hydrofibre -<b>Aquacel-</b></p> <p><b>Allevyn, Biatain Bioclusive, Comfeel Plus, Tricotex</b></p>
<p><b>INFECTION</b></p>	<p>Prevention and management of infection</p> 	<p>Local infection</p> <p>Systemic infection</p>	<p>Antimicrobial therapy – <b>Cadexomer Iodine. Silver: Acticoat, Aquacel Ag Contreet</b></p> <p><b>Systemic antibiotics with antimicrobial therapy as above</b></p>
<p><b>MOISTURE Imbalance</b></p>	<p>To promote moisture balance</p> 	<p>Treat underlying cause</p> <p>Control exudate (For VAC therapy refer to tissue viability service)</p> <p>To protect surrounding skin</p>	<p>Compression therapy for venous ulceration/lymphoedema: <b>Profore: 4 layer, Actico short stretch</b></p> <p>Alginate: <b>Kaltostat</b>, Hydrofibre: <b>Aquacel</b></p> <p>Foams: <b>Allevyn, Biatain</b></p> <p><b>Cavilon Barrier film</b></p>
<p><b>EDGE</b> Of wound non-healing</p>	<p>To reduce wound size</p> 	<p>Measure wound: length, width, depth</p> <p>Re-assess cause</p>	<p>Refer to tissue viability service for advanced wound management products:</p> <p><b>Promogram, Cadesorb, Larvae Honey, Grafting, Tissue engineering, VAC therapy</b></p>