

Triad[®]

Hydrophilic wound dressing

A *unique* approach

to wound management



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Triad® Hydrophilic Wound Dressing is a sterile* coating that offers a unique approach to wound management.

What do you currently use for difficult-to-dress wounds?



Apply anywhere

Triad is easy to apply, directly from the tube onto the wound or periwound skin, anywhere on the body.



Adheres to wet skin

Triad adheres to wet or dry skin and consistently stays in place, even in the presence of incontinence or maceration.



Keeps the wound covered

Triad creates a moist wound healing environment that facilitates autolytic debridement.



“With Triad, we’ve saved significantly and had better outcomes. We don’t need a nurse to change the dressing every day and that’s had a big impact on saving time and material.”

H KIRKLAND-KHYN**

Director of Wound Care, University of California, Davis, Medical Center

Impact of *difficult-to-dress* wounds

On wet or irregular surfaces, wound dressings may not always stay in place. Frequent dressing replacements could lead to:



Avoidable costs
related to using
extra dressings



Increased workload
for nurses replacing
dressings



**Delayed wound
healing** impacting the
total cost of care

Did you know?

57%

of wound care nurses
see difficult-to-dress
wounds every day¹

How do
difficult-to-dress
wounds impact
your facility?



Indications for *Triad*[®]



Wounds on *irregular surfaces*

Triad is designed to be applied directly from the tube onto the wound without the need for a secondary dressing.

Irregular surfaces could include the gluteal cleft, coccyx, perineum, buttocks, groin, face, hands, feet and other areas.

Triad is easy to apply, and can be used on the wound or periwound skin.

Did you know?

64%

of pressure injuries occur on the sacrum or buttocks²



Broken skin in the presence of incontinence

Triad is a sterile* coating that can be used on broken skin.

CMC allows Triad to adhere to wet skin, keeping the wound covered and protected from incontinence.

Did you know?

26%

of patients in acute care have urinary incontinence³



Maceration of periwound skin

Triad is easy to use on larger surfaces and can be used on the wound and periwound skin.

CMC allows Triad to adhere to macerated skin, keeping it covered and protected from wound exudate.

In one case, Triad resolved extensive periwound maceration within 48 hours.⁵



Day 1



Application



Day 2

Did you know?

42%

of chronic wounds
are macerated⁴



Facilitating autolytic debridement

Triad is hydrophilic, which means that natural moisture spreads evenly across the wound surface, maximizing contact and creating a moist environment.

A moist wound environment facilitates autolytic debridement, where the body's own enzymes break down necrotic tissue.

CMC allows Triad to absorb low to moderate levels of wound exudate or broken-down tissue.

In one case, Triad debrided 100% thick black eschar within one week.⁶



Day 1



Day 12



Day 21

Did you know?

The body's

own enzymes break down
necrotic tissue



Triad® instructions for use video:

Scan to view the video:



Ordering Information

Triad Hydrophilic Wound Dressing

Code	Size	Units	HCPS Code
1964	2.5 oz. (71 g)	12	A6240
1967	6 oz. (170 g)	12	A6240



For more information on adding Triad to your wound management toolbox or to get connected to a Coloplast representative, [visit TryTriad.com](https://www.trytriad.com).

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*Triad is only sterile on first application.

**H Kirkland-Khyn is a paid consultant of Coloplast. The cost savings described in this case study are only intended to be used as an example to help demonstrate the potential cost/resource/time of using Triad® Hydrophilic Wound Dressing and accessory products.

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