Hyiodine®

Application Guide

Hylodine, a viscous gel based on a high content of hyaluronic acid (1.5%), is designed to heal chronic and acute wounds.

The optimal concentration of iodine complex (0,25%) preserves hyaluronic acid from degradation by bacterial enzymes, while simultaneously allows usage of Hyiodine in the treatment of infected wounds. Hyiodine effectively promotes granulation growth and wound epithelialization. Hyiodine is highly effective especially in the treatment of diabetic wounds, sinuses, and fistulae.

INDICATION



Diabetic foot ulcers Leg ulcers Surgical dehiscence Pressure ulcers Fistulae Sinuses Dry wounds Highly exuding wounds Sloughy tissue Granulating tissue Re-epithelizing tissue Infected wounds* Skin grafts*

* See instructions for use



Do not use Hylodine on black necrosis or fungating wounds.

APPLICATION ACCORDING TO WOUND TYPE

TYPE OF APPLICATION	INFECTED, SLOUGHY WOUNDS	NON-INFECTED, CLEAN WOUNDS	
INDIRECT APPLICATION	Apply Hyiodine via carrier dressing: non-woven fabric or sterile gauze*	11 , ,	
DIRECT APPLICATION TO THE WOUND	Apply Hyiodine directly to the wound, cover with alginate dressing. Do not use polyurethan foam or other non-adherent dressing!	Apply Hyiodine directly to the wound, cover with oily gauze or polyurethan foam.	
FREQUENCY OF REDRESSING	24 hours	48 hours	

* INDIRECT APPLICATION

Depending on the wound size, apply the recommended amount of Hyiodine on the carrier (square of non-woven fabric or gauze). Work Hyiodine into the carrier with your fingers until it has become saturated. If you press the saturated gauze between two fingers, you should be able to squeeze out a small amount of the gel. Apply the prepared dressing to the wound and cover with a suitable secondary dressing based on the exudate output of the wound.

DOSAGE

Wound size		Hyiodine quantity	Dressings ii 22 g bottle
5 x 5 cm	(25 cm ²)	2 ml	12
7,5 x 7,5 cm	(56 cm²)	5 ml	5
10 x 10 cm	(100 cm²)	7–8 ml	3

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

INFECTED WOUNDS

Change the dressing every 24 hours. There is no need to use antibiotics if MRSA infection is present.

Do not leave the dressing on infected wounds for more than 24 hours. If the dressing is left in place for too long, it may cause the infection to grow.

HIGHLY EXUDING WOUNDS

Choose an appropriate secondary dressing.

If the secondary dressing needs to be changed frequently (several times a day), the carrier with Hylodine may be left in the wound, and only the secondary dressing need to be changed.

FISTULAE AND SINUSES

Inject a small amount of gel directly into the wound. Afterwards fill (drain) the cavity with carrier (gauze, non-woven fabric) well saturated with Hyiodine.

If the cavities are very small, apply Hyiodine directly by syringe.

DRY WOUNDS

Combine Hyiodine with oily gauze or silicone dressing in order to prevent the gel from drying out.

SKIN GRAFTS

Use Hyiodine to prepare the wound bed for skin grafting.

Apply Hyiodine 24 hours after the graft placement.

Recommended application: use saturated carrier (gauze, non-woven fabric)

Do not use Hyiodine within the first 24 hours following graft placement.

EXAMPLES OF APPLICATION



Hyiodine application to the wound bed via saturated carrier.

- Usage of less than the recommended amount of Hyiodine may cause a significant reduction in product effectiveness and sticking to the wound.
- Once opened use within 6 weeks.
 Store in cold.



Drainage of deep fistulae by well saturated carrier.

- It stored in fridge, bring
 Hyiodine to room temperature
 before use to enable easy
 application.
- No adverse effects or allergic reactions to the product have been reported.



Filling of cavity by well saturated carrier.

 Hyiodine is not an antimicrobial dressing; however, due to the presence of iodine Hyiodine may be applied to infected wounds. Please note that dressings must be changed daily!