

Cutimed® Epiona

Boosts healing in chronic and stagnating wounds

Cutimed® Epiona
saves time
and reduces
treatment costs¹

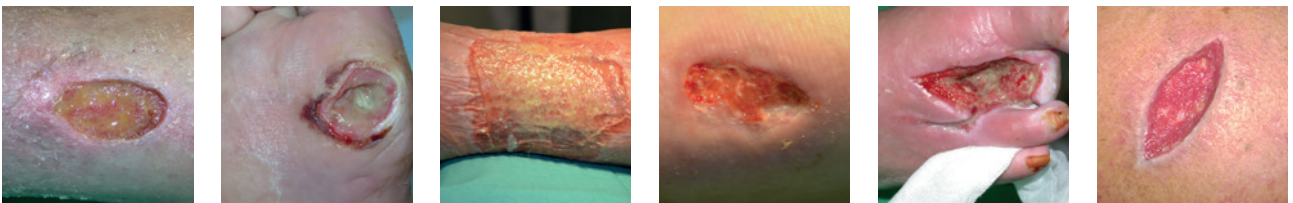


Cutimed®

Wounds sometimes need a boost in order to heal

Cutimed® Epiona – has many benefits

- Accelerated wound healing²
- Safe application^{2,3}
- Easy to combine with your current therapies (e.g. compression therapy)²
- Excellent hemostatic properties^{4,5}
- Broad indication for treatment of all wounds healing by secondary intention, free of necrotic tissue^{2,3}



Wouldn't it be great to be able to provide all those wounds with that extra boost they need to heal?

YES!

We have a solution

The Cutimed® Epiona effect.

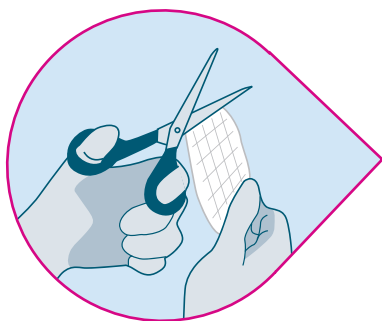
A boost for chronic wounds.



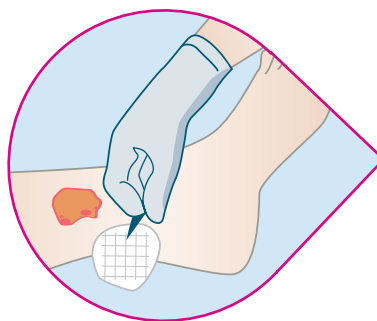
Smart performance, easy application

Cutimed® Epiona is suitable for all superficial and deep wounds healing by secondary intention, as you can easily combine it with every secondary dressing regarding the given exudate level.

1. Cut to size or fold into wound bed

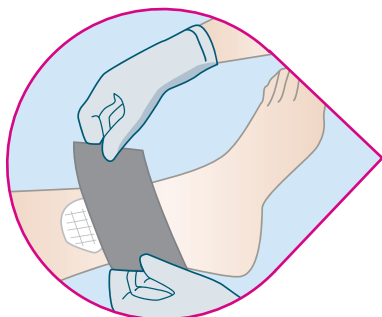


2. Apply on wound



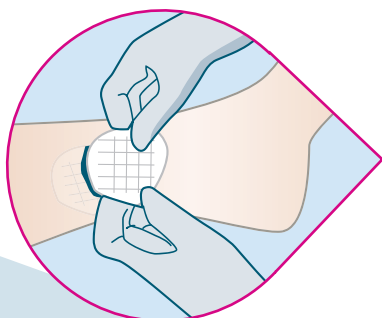
3. Choose and apply a secondary dressing

Depending on exudate level and wound phase, choose an appropriate secondary dressing either from the Cutimed® portfolio or your formulary



4. No need to remove Cutimed® Epiona

As the dressing will be reabsorbed, you can easily apply another dressing directly onto the wound. Cutimed® Epiona should be reapplied at intervals of up to 72 hours. Please change secondary dressings depending on exudate levels.



Speedy healing through unique 3D matrix

Imitating the performance of human dermis

Cutimed® Epiona is an **innovative dressing** based on a natural mode of action. Thanks to its 3D matrix, which is made from 90% native collagen with 10% calcium alginate, **Cutimed® Epiona** is characterised by its **unique similarity to the human dermis**.

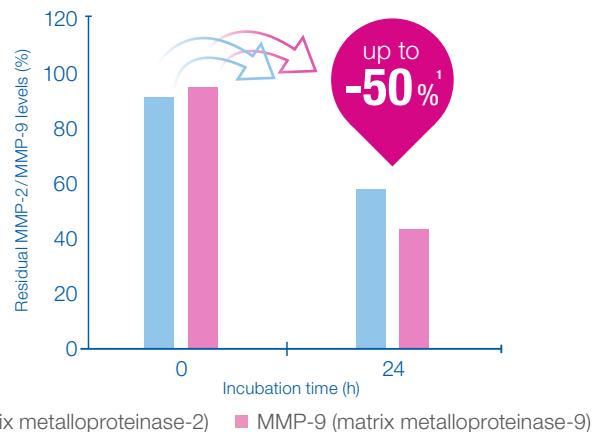
It mimics the function of a healthy dermis and boosts the wound healing process. As a result, **Cutimed® Epiona** is able to deliver that **extra boost** chronic wounds need to heal.

1. Eliminates harmful factors

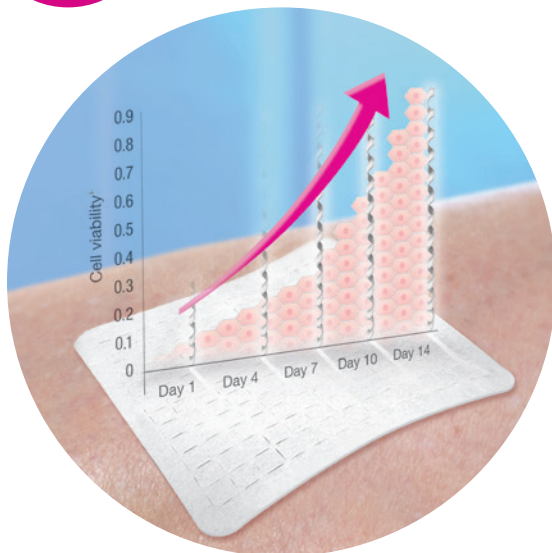
In vitro – binding of harmful inflammatory factors (MMPs)

Cutimed® Epiona shows excellent results in the binding of harmful inflammatory factors (MMPs) that are upregulated in chronic wounds. **Within 24 hours**, the amount of MMPs was **minimised by up to 50%** ($p < 0.001$).⁴

A significant reduction of the MMP rate has a positive effect on wound healing: removal of excess amounts of MMPs lowers the formation risk of a chronic wound.



2. Promotes cell growth



Supports wound granulation

During a 14-day in vitro test, **Cutimed® Epiona** showed impressive results of fostering fibroblast cell growth. **Cutimed® Epiona** performed 9 x better than Promogran™.

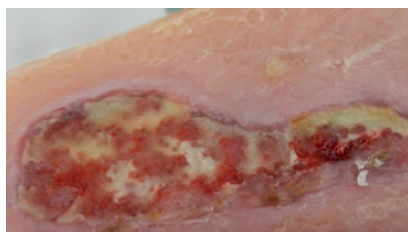
The increased amount of fibroblasts on **Cutimed® Epiona** can promote the formation of new granulation tissue.⁴

3.

Boosts wound closure

Case reports illustrate excellent wound healing with Cutimed® Epiona

Out of more than 30 case reports, as an example the case of a 69-year-old male patient with diabetes and impaired wound healing, who was unsuccessfully treated with common wound dressings for **14 weeks**, is shown. After starting to use **Cutimed® Epiona** for therapy, almost full wound closure was achieved after 8 weeks.³



Week 0



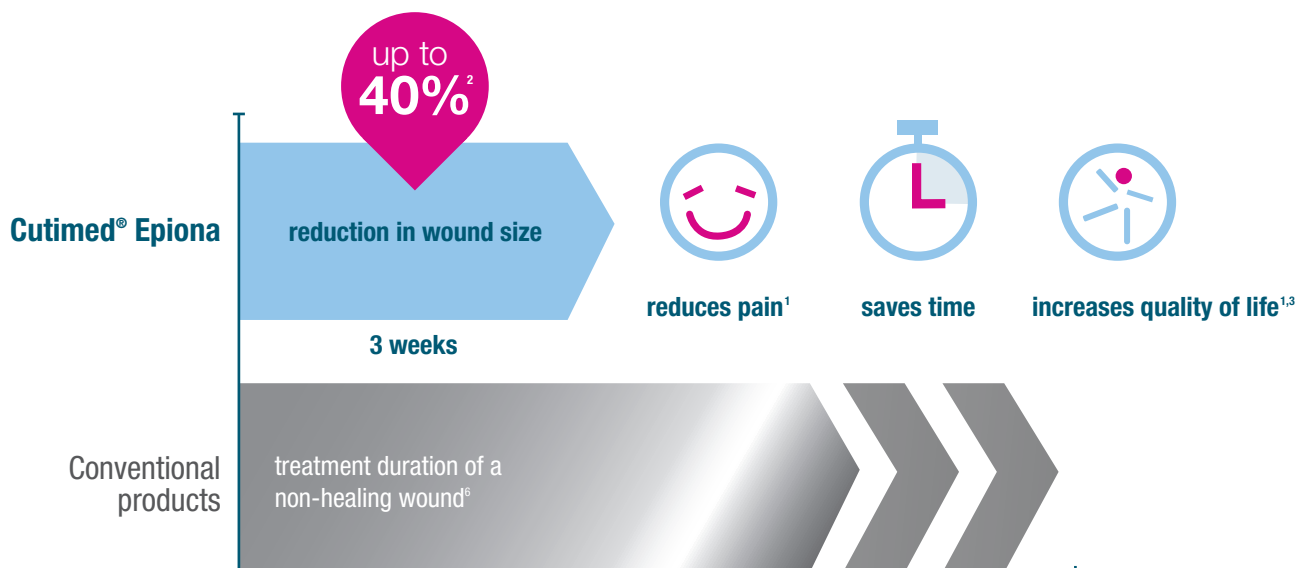
Week 2



Week 8

Cutimed® Epiona saves time and reduces treatment time and cost¹

Benefit from accelerated healing with **Cutimed® Epiona**. Particularly with chronic wounds, even stagnant ones, **Cutimed® Epiona reduces wound size by up to 40%** in an observational study.² Consequently, collagen dressings contribute to early patient mobilisation and reduction of treatment time and cost.¹



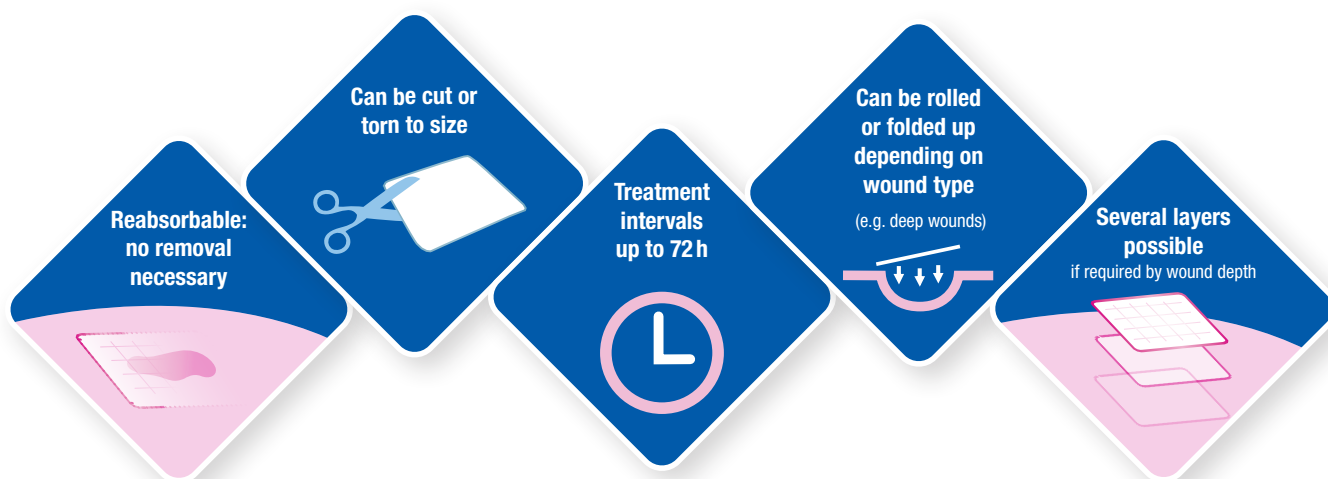
When to use Cutimed® Epiona

Following a holistic wound assessment **Cutimed® Epiona** is indicated for use on wounds healing by secondary intention which are free of necrotic tissue, such as:

- Diabetic ulcers
- Venous ulcers
- Pressure ulcers
- Ulcers caused by mixed vascular aetiologies
- Trauma wounds and surgical wounds
- Donor sites
- Second degree burns



Benefits at a glance



Ordering information

Essity code	Size	Pack Qty	PIP code
73229-00	5 x 5 cm	1 x 10	415-3615
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