# Simplifying wound healing Progress you can see





### Advanced solution for exudate management

The highest level of care means choosing wound dressings that are clinically effective, easy to handle, and simple to use – for confidence with every application.

The number of patients with chronic wounds is on the rise, adding to the growing challenges in healthcare. Infection risk remains a major concern, yet staff shortages, limited wound care training, and financial constraints make effective treatment even more difficult.

#### From evidence to impact

Recent data highlights Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone as a simplified and cost-effective wound healing solution that supports improved wound care outcomes.<sup>1,2,\*,\*\*</sup>

#### Simplifying wound healing

A randomised controlled study found the clinical performance of Biatain Silicone to be just as effective and more cost-efficient<sup>\*,\*\*</sup> when compared to a two-dressing treatment regimen.<sup>1</sup>

#### Progress you can see

An observational study saw Biatain Silicone with 3DFit Technology effectively manage exudate pooling and reduce the risk of infection with a single dressing, leading to improved healing for wounds with a depth of 2 cm or less.<sup>2</sup>

\* Compared to the use of a filler and foam dressing in wounds up to 2 cm in depth \*\* Based on UK pricing data



#### Improving outcomes in wound care

Treating wounds is no easy matter. Exudate pooling can lead to leakage, unhealthy wound edges and the risk of bacterial growth. And all of this can delay healing.

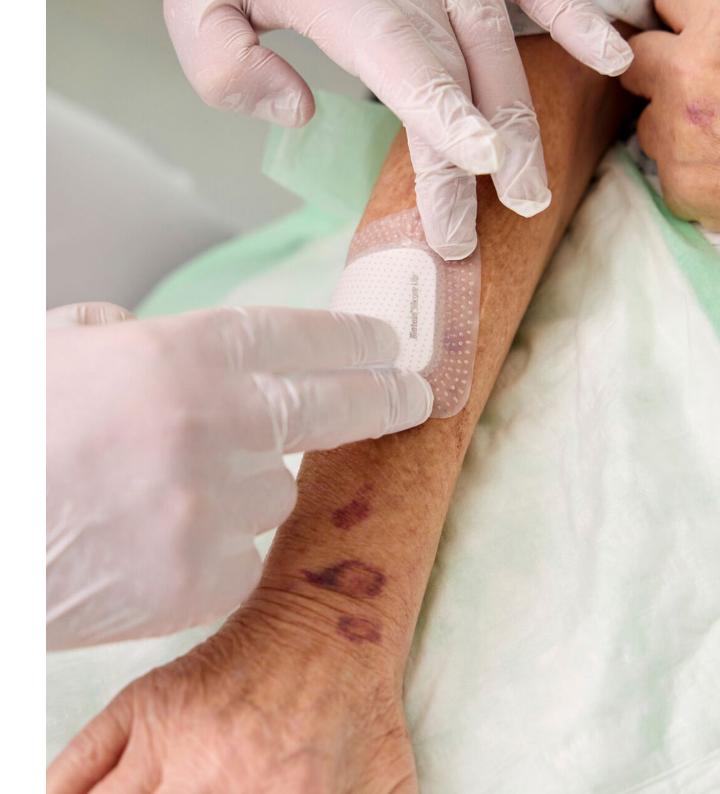
But with Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone as your primary dressing, you can create an optimal wound healing environment.

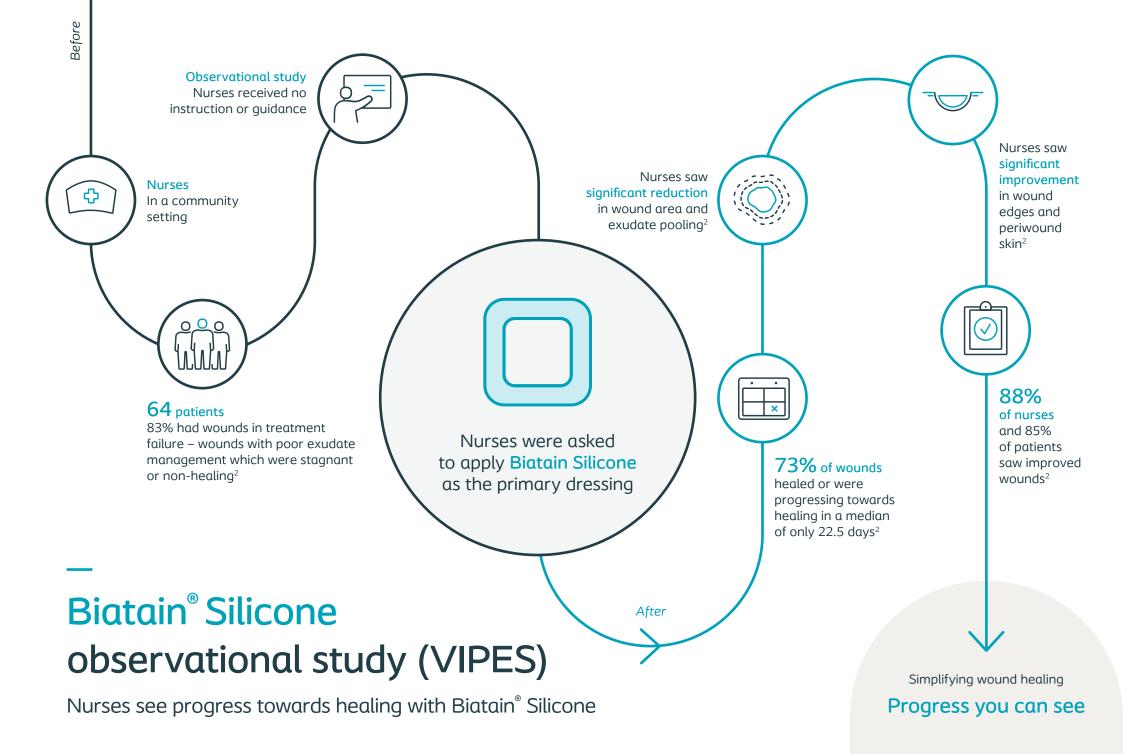
So, even for wounds up to 2 cm deep,\* you can manage exudate pooling and reduce the risk of infection with a single dressing.

\*Conformability may vary across product design

#### Biatain Silicone observational study (VIPES)

Managing the gap between the dressing and wound bed is crucial for healing wounds. Could nurses in a community setting achieve healing with Biatain Silicone as their primary dressing?





## Before \_\_\_\_\_ Wounds in treatment failure

Of the 64 patients who took part in the VIPES Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone observational study study, 83% of them had stagnant wounds and/or poor exudate management.



## **70%** of wounds had exudate pooling<sup>2</sup>

Exudate pooling can lead to leakage, unhealthy wound edges and bacterial growth, which can delay healing.



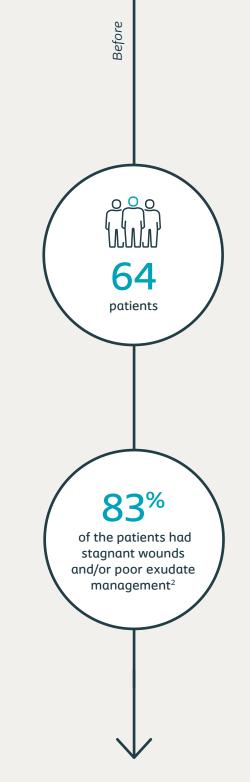
## 52% had unhealthy wound edges<sup>2</sup>

Exudate that leaks onto the periwound skin leads to maceration.



# **30%** had unhealthy periwound skin<sup>2</sup>

Poor exudate management can lead to unhealthy periwound skin and the risk of infection.



#### Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone as the primary dressing

Day one of the Biatain Silicone part of the VIPES observational study: nurses apply Biatain Silicone as the primary dressing. They receive no guidance, and only one instruction: observe the progress of the wound. What happened next was quite extraordinary.



Nurses were asked to apply Biatain Silicone as the primary dressing

Before

## After\_ How Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone improves healing

Biatain Silicone with 3DFit Technology improves healing by conforming to the shape of the wound up 2 cm deep\* even under compression. This creates an optimal wound healing environment that reduces leakage along with the risk of maceration and infection.<sup>2</sup>



of wounds healed or were progressing towards healing in a median of just 22.5 days<sup>2</sup>

73%

After

Conforms to the wound bed up to 2 cm deep\* even under compression to reduce gap formation and exudate pooling.

Absorbs exudate vertically to reduce maceration and infection spread to wound edges and periwound skin.<sup>2</sup>



Traps and retains 99.98% of the bacteria.\*\*



94% of nurses observed that the dressing conformed closely to the wound bed<sup>2</sup>

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\*\* Coloplast data on file 2022. Results based on in vitro test presented by C. Karlsson et al. A quantitative method for determination of bacterial trapping effect in wound dressings. Poster presentation EWMA 2018

#### After\_ Progress you can see

In a median of only 22.5 days, 73% of wounds had healed or were progressing towards healing.<sup>2</sup>

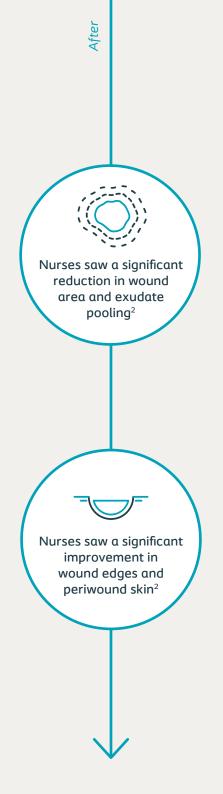
The results of the VIPES observational study demonstrate that Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone is effective at managing the gap between the dressing and the wound bed to promote wound healing.





Ulcer before

Ulcer after – 6 weeks later



# Not all silicone foam dressings are the same

For most wounds with a depth of 2 cm or less, Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone does the job of filler and secondary foam dressing.<sup>1</sup> It provides a simple and cost-effective wound healing solution<sup>1</sup>,\*\*\* that is easy to handle, apply and remove.<sup>2,3</sup>

This is what we mean by simplifying wound healing.



Easy to handle and apply<sup>3</sup>



Minimal pain upon removal of dressing<sup>2</sup>

\* Compared to the use of a filler and foam dressing in wounds up to 2 cm in depth \*\* Based on UK pricing data of dressing removals were considered easy<sup>2</sup>

After

#### **Biatain Silicone**

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## A reliable costeffective solution

The rising prevalence of chronic wounds not only extends the time needed for patient care, but it also imposes significant financial strain.

In a multicentre randomised controlled study, patients with exuding, non-infected venous leg or shallow diabetic foot ulcers were treated with either a Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone single-dressing regimen or a two-dressing\* regimen over 4-week periods.<sup>1</sup>

\*Aquacel® Extra filler combined with a Mepilex® secondary dressing

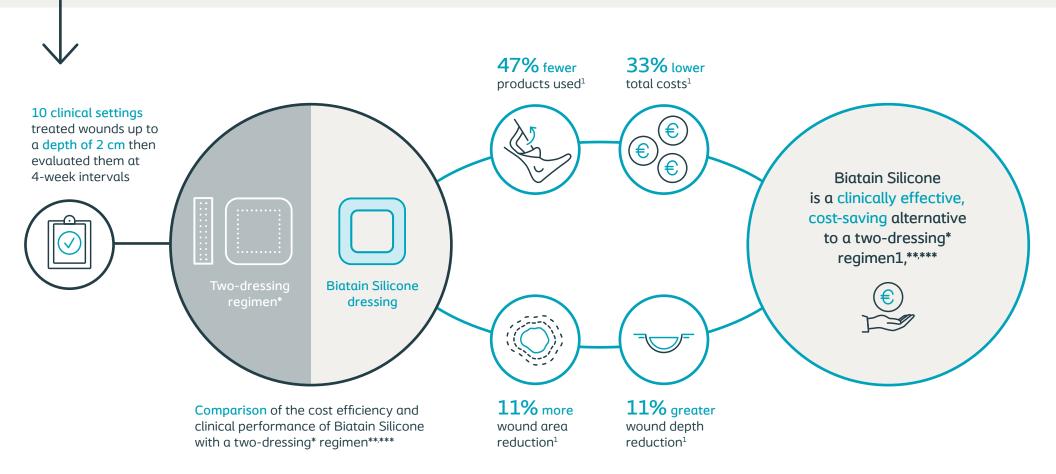
#### The Biatain Silicone multicentre randomised controlled study

Can Biatain Silicone's one-dressing treatment regimen reduce costs without compromising on clinical performance?



## Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone multicentre randomised controlled study

Delivers costs savings without compromising on clinical excellence\*\*\*,†



\* Aquacel<sup>®</sup> Extra filler combined with a Mepilex<sup>®</sup> secondary dressing

\*\* Compared to the use of a filler and foam dressing in wounds up to 2 cm in depth

\*\*\* Based on UK pricing data

† In wounds up to 2 cm in depth

## The Biatain® Silicone family

You can choose from a range of Biatain Silicone dressings to find the right type, size and shape for the wound you are treating.

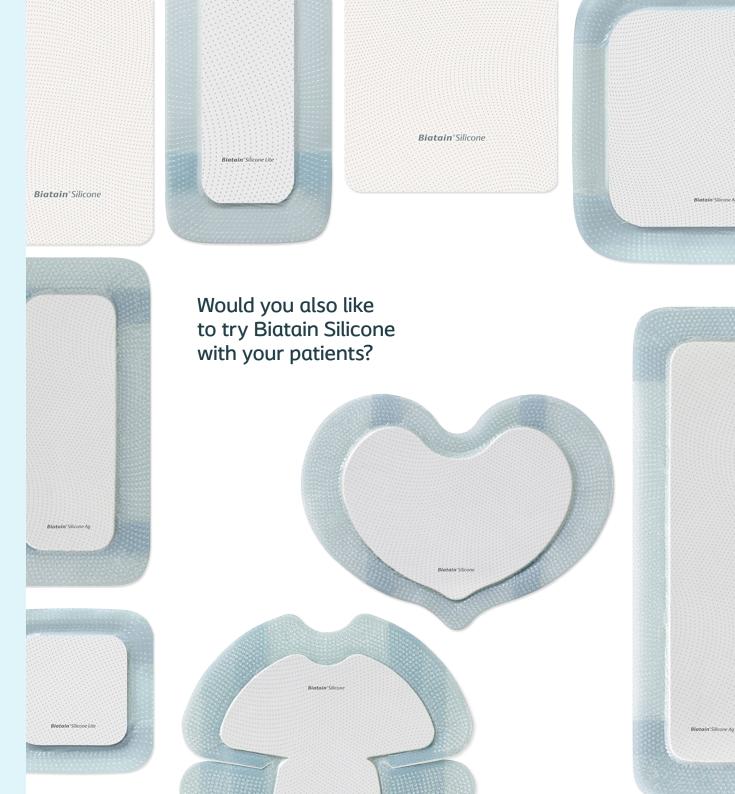
Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone for exuding wounds

Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone Ag for infected, exuding wounds

#### Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone Non-Border

for exuding wounds, when a non-bordered product is preferred

Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone Lite for less exuding wounds





#### Just as you are there for your patients, we are here for you

We aim to make life easier for you and your patients. With innovative products such as Biatain<sup>®</sup> Silicone you can create an effective healing environment for your patients. And with additional access to training and support, you can continue to build your competence and confidence in treating wounds.

Visit Coloplast Professional to download our latest initiative, **Wound Type Specific Pathways**, which offers guidance on seven common wound types. You can also sign up for webinars, book training sessions, request samples, and much more



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