

+ IODOSORB^o 0.9% Cadexomer Iodine Powder is an effective topical antimicrobial which prevents the formation of mixed-species biofilm, typical of chronic wounds*¹ and has been shown to physically disrupt and kill mature biofilms^{2,3} while enabling faster healing,** compared to standard care⁴⁻⁶

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Applying IODOSORB Powder



- 1 Wash hands thoroughly before and after use
- Using gloved hands, clean the wound and the surrounding area with either a gentle stream of water or saline
- DO NOT DRY** the wound surface



- 2 Apply IODOSORB Powder to the wound surface to form a layer 3mm deep, which conforms to the shape of the wound



- 3 Cover the wound completely with an appropriate secondary dressing
- Apply compression bandaging if appropriate
- Any remaining IODOSORB Powder should be discarded due to loss of sterility

Changing IODOSORB Powder



- 1 IODOSORB Powder should be changed when it has become saturated with wound fluid and all the iodine has been released
- This is indicated by loss of colour, usually two to three times a week
- If the wound is discharging heavily, daily changes may be needed
- If necessary, soak the dressing for a few minutes, then remove



- 2 Gently remove the IODOSORB Powder using a stream of water or saline
- Gently blot any excess fluid, leaving the wound surface slightly moist, before reapplying IODOSORB Powder



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IODOSORB Powder ordering codes

Size	Code	Carton
7 x 3g	66001286	7

*As demonstrated *in vitro* **In VLU's

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For detailed product information, including indications for use, contraindications, precautions and warnings, please consult the product's applicable Instructions for Use (IFU) prior to use.

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