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| **WOUND ASSESSMENT**   * Identify and manage underlying aetiology * Optimise control of additional factors that can impede wound healing such as nutrition, smoking, comorbid conditions. * Determine long and short-term goals of care * Develop a plan of care in consultation with the client or carer and evaluate its effectiveness |

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| **Exudate Level** | **Eplitheliating**  Aim-Moisture balance | **Granulating**  Aim-Moisture balance | **Necrotic slough**  Aim-Rehydrate  Autolysis | **Infected wounds**  Aim-Reduce bacterial burden |
| **Low** | * Low adherent low absorbency dressing * Semi permeable film * Tulle gras * Hydrocolloid   *Fragile skin*   * Silicone tulle/foam | * Tulle gras * Hydrocolloid * Hydrogel * Silicone tulle/foam   *Fragile skin*   * Silicone tulle/foam | * Hydrocolloid * Hydrogel | * PHMB solution/gel * PVP I Tulle gras * Cadexomer iodine paste * Wound honey calcium alginate * DACC hydrogel * Tea tree gel * Hypertonic saline * Silver impregnated |
| **Moderate** | * Gelling fibre * Foam * Absorbent dry pad   *Fragile skin*   * Silicone foam | * Gelling fibre * Foam * Absorbent dry pad * Single use topical negative pressure   *Fragile skin*   * Silicone foam | * Foam * Cadexomer iodine ointment * Hypertonic saline   *Fragile skin*   * Silicone foam | * PHMB solution * Cadexomer iodine ointment/powder * Wound honey calcium alginate * Silver impregnated * Hypertonic saline * DACC compress |
| **Heavy** | Secondary dressing as required | * Gelling fibre * Foam * Multi-layered silicone * Ostomy/drainage bag * Topical negative pressure * Absorbent dry pad * Super absorbent dry dressing | * Foam * Multi-layered silicone * Ostomy/drainage bag * Absorbent dry pad | * PHMB solution * Cadexomer iodine powder * Wound honey alginate * Silver impregnated * Hypertonic saline * DACC compress * Topical negative pressure |
| **Additional interventions** |  |  | Refer to AWAS for low frequency ultrasonic or sharp debridement | Medical review  Wound swab +/- systemic antibiotics |
| Malodour: Charcoal/odour absorbing dressings (consider infection and need for debridement if indicated).  Exposed bone/tendon: Maintain moisture balance/viability. Gelling fibre, calcium alginate, hydrogel  Friable bleeding wounds: Achieve haemostasis: calcium alginate or stomahesive powder  Cavity wounds-refer to packing protocol BC-CP-0029 | | | |

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| **Complex, non-healing wounds:** liaise with CON/CNCM, AWAS referral (NP), Medical governance review.  Refer to escalation process for wound management BC-WI-0196.  Refer to BC-GLCL-0010 Wound product guideline Western Australia specific for product descriptions brand names. |

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**GUIDELINES FOR LOWER LEG COMPRESSION BANDAGING ACCORDING TO AETIOLOGY**

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| **0.5 – 0.69** | | **0.7 – 0.8** | | | | **0.8 – 1.2** | | | | **> 1.2** | | | |
| Mixed Arterial/Venous  Trial of bandage according to tolerance | | Mixed Venous/Arterial  Trial of bandage according to tolerance | | | | Absence of Arterial Disease (Venous)  Trial of bandage according to tolerance | | | | Possibly Calcified  Trial of bandage according to tolerance | | | |
| Light compression (16-18mmHg) | | Light to moderate compression (25mmHg) | | | | Moderate to high compression (30 – 40 mmHg) | | | | Moderate to low compression (30 – 20 mmHg) | | | |
| Padding bandage eg Soffban® (0mmHg) |  | **3-layer system**  Padding bandage eg Soffban® (0mmHg) | |  | | **4-layer system**  Padding bandage eg Soffban®(0mmHg) | |  | | **3-layer system**  Padding bandage eg Soffban® (0mmHg) | |  | |
| Lastodur® Light (figure 8 application 16-18mmHg) |  | White crepe (0mmHg) | |  | | White crepe (0mmHg) | |  | | White crepe (0mmHg) | |  | |
| +/- Tubular elasticated bandage eg Tubigrip®  Remove tubular elasticated bandage at night (if client/carer unable to remove use tubular retention bandage eg Tubifast®) |  | Cohesive bandage Coban® (22mmHg) | | https://www.alphasport.com.au/uploaded/thumbnails/db_file_img_969_800x700.jpg | | Light elastic bandage Lastodur® (figure 8 application 16-18mmHg) | |  | | Cohesive bandage Coban® (22mmHg) | | https://www.alphasport.com.au/uploaded/thumbnails/db_file_img_969_800x700.jpg | |
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| **Other Bandaging Options (requires CON, CNCM or NP approval)** | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Tubular elasticated bandage e.g. Tubigrip® \* (may need to remove at night)  Padding and crepe bandage required |  | | Coban Lite® (2-layer system)  or | | http://multimedia.3m.com/mws/mediawebserver?mwsId=SSSSSuH8gc7nZxtUOxmxlY_vevU9eChshvTSevTSeSSSSSS--&boundedSize=1500 | | PütterPro 2® (2-layer system) | |  | | Coban Lite® (2-layer system) | | http://multimedia.3m.com/mws/mediawebserver?mwsId=SSSSSuH8gc7nZxtUOxmxlY_vevU9eChshvTSevTSeSSSSSS--&boundedSize=1500 |
|  |  | | Shaped tubular elasticated bandage eg Tubigrip® \*  Padding and crepe bandage required | | https://cdn.totaldiabetessupply.com/media/product-images/1474.jpg | |  | |  | |  | |  |
| **Prevention and Post Healing** (continuing bandaging for 2 weeks post healing) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Compression Stockings  Class 1 (20-30mmHg) | | | Compression Stockings  Class 1 (20-30mmHg) | | | | Compression Stockings  Class 2 (30-40mmHg) | | | | Compression Stockings  Class 1 (20-30mmHg) | | |