

Medical Record

Please be sure the chart notes contain medical justification that supports the detailed physician order and specify the type of debridement on non-surgical wounds (sharp, autolytic, enzymatic, mechanical, etc.)

		Thickness		Drainage								
Stalled	Bio-burden	Partial (Stage 2)	Full (Stage 3, 4)	Mod	Heavy		Primary Dressing	Wound Size	HCPCS	Secondary Dressing	HCPCS	Change Frequency
■	■	■	■	■	■		Collagen	Up to 49 s.i.	A6021 - A6023	Conforming Bandage & Tape	A6453 – A6455	Up to Daily
						Collagen Ag			Superabsorber w/Border	A6196, A6197		
							Collagen					
							Collagen Ag					
							Alginate	Up to 49 s.i.	A6196, A6197	Conforming Bandage & Tape	A6453 – A6455	Q3D
							Alginate Ag					
							Superabsorber	Up to 48 s.i.	A6196, A6197	Conforming Bandage & Tape	A6453 – A6455	
							Foam Silicone	Up to 36 s.i.	A6209 – A6211	Conforming Bandage & Tape	A6453 – A6455	
							Foam Silicone Ag					
							Foam Silicone w/Border	Up to 36 s.i.	A6212, A6214	None		
							Foam Silicone Ag w/Border					

Dressing Size

- Alginate and Collagen Pad – Approximate size of the wound
- Foam Pad – usually 2” larger than wound on all sides

The above dressing selections are consistent with CMS guidelines, however more options may be available.

To learn more, please call **1-877-742-1972**

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