

Patient Information Card

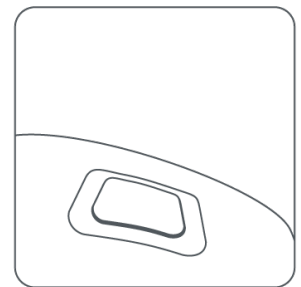
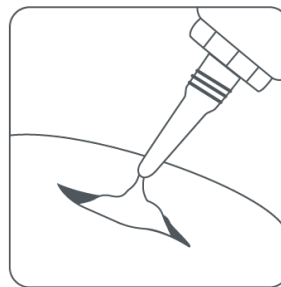
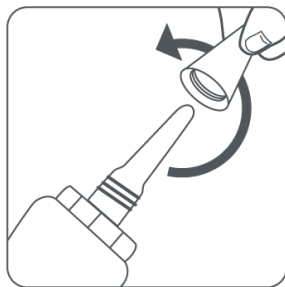
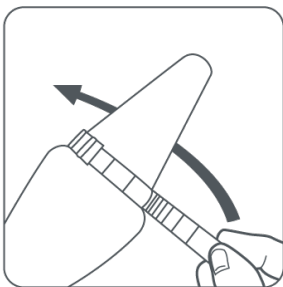
Woulgan® is a treatment for slow & non-healing wounds. It is a uniquely formulated gel with beta-glucan which reactivates stalled healing and accelerates the healing process.

It is recommended to start Woulgan treatment after a minimum of 4 weeks with standard care when your healthcare professional assesses that the healing progress is not satisfactory.

Your health care professional (HCP) has selected Woulgan as the most appropriate product for you following a full assessment of you and your wound.

Application:

- ◆ Cleanse the wound as directed
- ◆ Protect the wound edges, if applicable
- ◆ Cover the wound surface with a thin layer of Woulgan
- ◆ Apply new Woulgan® at every dressing change, typically twice a week
- ◆ Ensure any other aspects of care are followed e.g. wearing compression hosiery or appropriate footwear



Treatment period:

- ◆ Your healthcare professional will reassess after 4 weeks of Woulgan treatment and holistic care
- ◆ If improvements are evident, they may continue until healed or for a second 4-week period depending on which comes first
- ◆ After 8 weeks treatment, returning to standard dressings is recommended
- ◆ If the healing progression stalls again, another 4-week period of Woulgan treatment can be started: Continue as above

Observations – these are a normal part of healing:

- ◆ The wound exudate (fluid coming from the wound) may temporarily increase
- ◆ The wound may become more odorous temporarily
- ◆ The wound and its edges may temporarily become pinker
- ◆ If there is any dead tissue to be removed, the wound may look larger as it becomes cleaner
- ◆ Mild itching may be experienced as part of normal healing

Observations – contact your HCP if you see any of the below:

- ◆ The skin surrounding the wound becomes red and/or hot
- ◆ The wound odour changes markedly
- ◆ The wound colour changes markedly (other than as mentioned above)
- ◆ Serious itching is experienced (other than as mentioned above)
- ◆ Wound pain changes markedly

Look for these clinical improvements:

- ◆ Cleaner wound bed
- ◆ Healthier wound tissue
- ◆ Smaller size
- ◆ Less depth

For clinical queries, please contact your healthcare professional.

For product queries relating to **Woulgan[®] Bioactive Beta-Glucan Gel**, please contact 01482 631606