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#### Application guide

IODOSORB Cadexomer Iodine Powder promotes wound bed preparation by removing barriers to healing from the wound.\* $^{1-8}$  With a simple and easy application and removal, $^{1,6}$  IODOSORB Dressing is clinically proven to treat infection in chronic wounds. $^{1,8-11}$ 

## **Applying IODOSORB Powder**



- 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



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



- 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**



- 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
- 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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\*e.g. slough, pus, debris, and biofilm.

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Cadexomer Iodine Powder

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

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# IODOSORB Cadexomer Iodine Powder Code Size Carton

7 x 3g

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