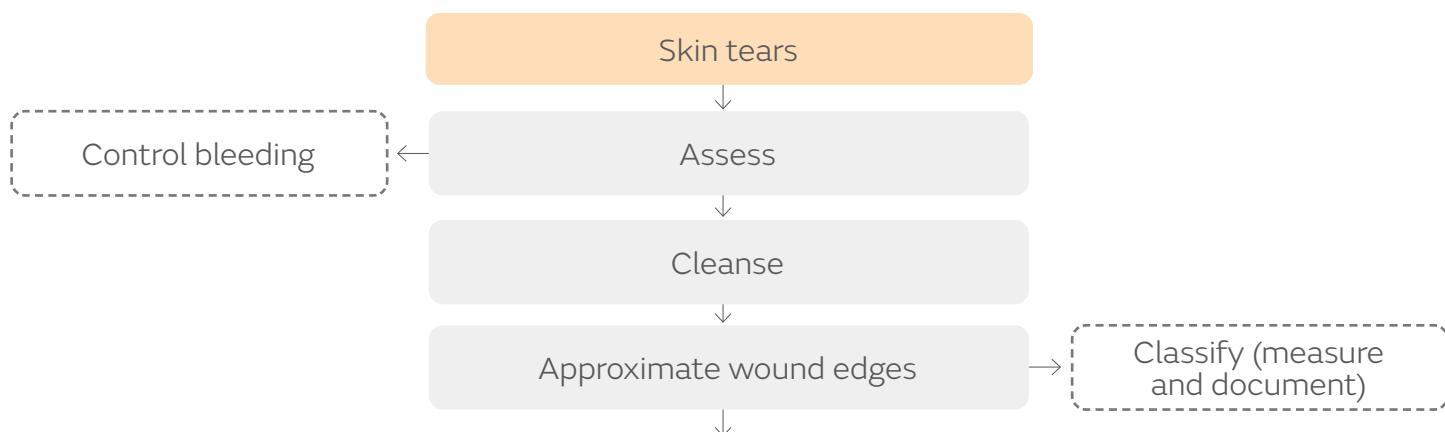


+ Management of skin tears¹



Goals of treatment

Treat the cause
Implement prevention
Protocol

Moist wound healing
Avoid trauma
Protect peri-wound skin

Manage exudate
Avoid infection
Pain control

Treatment options in accordance with local wound conditions

Type 1: No skin loss



Type 2: Partial flap loss



Type 3: Total flap loss



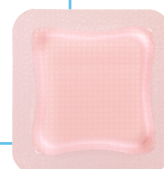
Select appropriate dressing in accordance with wound conditions, and apply.

In direction of skin flap, draw an arrow on top of the dressing to aid removal.



Product solution

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Foam Dressing



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