


Product Information Sheet

CarboFlex Backorder Substitution for Actisorb Silver 220	
Classification	Odour Management: Activated Charcoal
Key Points	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CarboFlex is being used as a PHSA Supply Chain approved substitution for Actisorb Silver 220 all sizes (6.5 x 9.5 cm, 10.5 x 10.5 cm, 19 x 10.5 cm) Is different from Actisorb Silver 220 in composition: CarboFlex is comprised of an absorbent wound contact layer (containing alginate and hydrocolloid), an activated charcoal central pad, and a smooth water-resistant top layer and does not contain silver. Can be used as a primary dressing for shallow wounds or as a secondary dressing over wound fillers for deeper wounds. Absorbent wound contact layer will absorb exudate and form a soft gel.
Indications Precautions Contraindications	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refer to Actisorb Silver 220 Product Information Sheet. In addition to above: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do not use for clients with known sensitivity or allergy to alginate, hydrocolloid, charcoal or other components of the dressing. Not recommended for infants less than 12 months of age.
Formats & Sizes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sheet: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 15 x 17.5 cm 20 x 15 cm <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>
Application Directions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Refer to Actisorb Silver 220 Product Information Sheet. In addition to above: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> CarboFlex should overlap wound edge by at least 3.2 cm. Place directly onto shallow (less than 1 cm depth) wounds. For wounds with depth (more than 1 cm) fill wound with appropriate wound filler and place over wound filler. Place fibrous (non-shiny) side down. Does not require a secondary dressing. Secure with appropriate securement product (e.g. tape, kling, tubular bandage etc.).
Dressing Change Frequency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change when clinically indicated or if there is exudate strike through the top layer or if odour is no longer being absorbed. For non-infected malodorous wounds may be left in place for up to 3 days For infected wounds should be changed more frequently.
For further information please contact NSWOC/Wound Clinician	