




## Skin and Wound Product Information Sheet

<b>Duoderm Extra Thin</b>	
<b>Classification</b>	<b>Cover Dressing: Hydrocolloid - Thin Non-Border</b>
<b>Key Points</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Composed of cellulose, pectin and and gelatine; provides an occlusive, moist environment</li> </ul>
<b>Indications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For wound with small amounts of exudate</li> <li>As a protective dressing for reddened skin or superficial skin breakdown</li> <li>May be used as a protective peri-wound border with Negative Pressure Wound Therapy (NPWT) dressings or dressings secured with tape that require frequent dressing changes</li> </ul>
<b>Precautions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>N/A</li> </ul>
<b>Contraindications</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Do not use for wounds with moderate to large amounts of exudate</li> <li>Do not use on untreated clinically-infected wounds</li> </ul>
<b>Formats &amp; Sizes</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Non border dressing                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>5 x 10 cm</li> <li>5 x 20 cm</li> <li>7 x 7 cm</li> <li>10 x 10 cm</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;">  </div>
Application Directions	Rationale
Cleanse/irrigate wound with sterile normal saline or agency approved wound cleanser; dry peri-wound skin.	Reduces wound debris and allows for adhesion of dressing or tape.
If required, apply skin barrier to peri-wound skin.	To protect the peri-wound skin from maceration and to improve the adhesion of the dressing or tape.
<b>To Apply</b>	
Peel back the clear cover on adhesive side of dressing.	
Apply to wound with a 3cm overlap onto intact skin. Dressing may be cut.	An overlap onto intact skin is required for adherence and wear time to be achieved.
Smooth edges on to peri-wound skin and hold hand over dressing for a few minutes.	Dressing adheres best when it is warm and gentle pressure is applied to the edges of the dressing.
<b>To Remove</b>	
Remove dressing by lifting an edge and pulling it in a lateral motion (away from the wound), do not pull up on the dressing. An approved adhesive remover may also be used.	To minimize the trauma to the peri-wound skin.
<b>Frequency of Change</b>	
Will depend upon amount of exudate. Dressing should be changed at 5-7 days.	
<b>Expected Outcome</b>	
Exudate is managed with no peri-wound skin maceration.	
<b>For further information, please contact your Wound Clinician.</b>	