Flaminal® Hydro

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Properties

Flaminal® Hydro is a new class of wound healing agent, called Enzyme Alginogel®. It consists of an antibacterial enzyme system embedded in hydrated alginates. Flaminal® Hydro supports the healing of a wound in a number of ways:

1. Flaminal® Hydro keeps the wound clean
2. Flaminal® Hydro keeps the wound moist
3. Flaminal® Hydro offers antimicrobial protection
4. Flaminal® Hydro is safe for the skin and wound tissue
5. Flaminal® Hydro reduces wound odour caused by bacteria
6. Flaminal® Hydro helps to reduce excessive protease activity (protease = enzyme that breaks down proteins)
7. Flaminal® Hydro reduces bacteria released from a biofilm
8. Flaminal® Hydro protects the wound border

These are the prime properties for ensuring rapid wound healing.

Flaminal® Hydro is indicated for slightly to moderately exuding wounds such as:
- leg ulcers
- diabetic ulcers
- 2nd degree burns (deep, superficial)
- wounds from radiotherapy
- oncology wounds
- complex grazes
- wounds from dermatosurgery

How to use

Applying or renewing Flaminal® Hydro is easy and painless. Proceed as follows:

1. First clean and rinse the wound
2. Dab and dry carefully
3. Cover the entire wound bed with a sufficiently thick layer (e.g. 4-5 mm) of Flaminal® Hydro.
4. Cover Flaminal® Hydro with a non-adhesive dressing.
Good to know

- You choose Flaminal® Hydro based on the amount of exudate.
- During the initial phase of the treatment the wound may become larger due to debridement.
- During Flaminal® Hydro treatment, dry whitish alginate flakes may appear on the wound edge. They should not be removed.
- The dressing with Flaminal® Hydro can remain in place as long as the gel structure is intact (1 to 4 days, depending on the amount of exudate).
- The colour of the alginates may change slightly due to their natural origin. Colour changes have no effect on the quality of Flaminal® Hydro.

Precautions

Some wounds may indicate a complementary treatment. Consult a physician or wound specialist. Flaminal® Hydro can be used on infected wounds under medical supervision. Alginates have a faint odour. This odour has no influence on the healing process. Should there be a sudden distinct odour, consult a physician or wound specialist. Flaminal® Hydro is not indicated in patients with a known allergy to one of the components (see under “Composition”). Flaminal® Hydro cannot be used on the eyelids or in the eye. Should it come into contact with an eye, rinse the eye thoroughly with running water and consult a physician.

Storage

Keep at room temperature (below 25°C) in a dry place in the original pack. The expiry date (USE BY) Year/Month is the first day of the indicated month and year. Recap the tube or jar carefully immediately after use. Once opened, and if recapped carefully, a tube of Flaminal® Hydro can be stored and used until the expiry date on the tube and box. A jar of Flaminal® Hydro 500g however cannot be used more than one week after its first opening. We recommend that a pack of Flaminal® Hydro be used for one patient only (single patient).

Composition

Alginate  (total alginate content 3.5% (g/g)); macrogol; hydroxypropylcellulose; enzyme system (glucose oxidase, lactoperoxidase, glucose, guaiacol); potassium sorbate; potassium iodide; buffer; purified water Ph.Eur.

Presentations*

Tube of 10g / 15g / 25g / 30g / 40g / 50g
Box of 5 tubes of 15g
Jar of 500g
*not all presentations are available in every country

Flaminal® Hydro is a medical device.