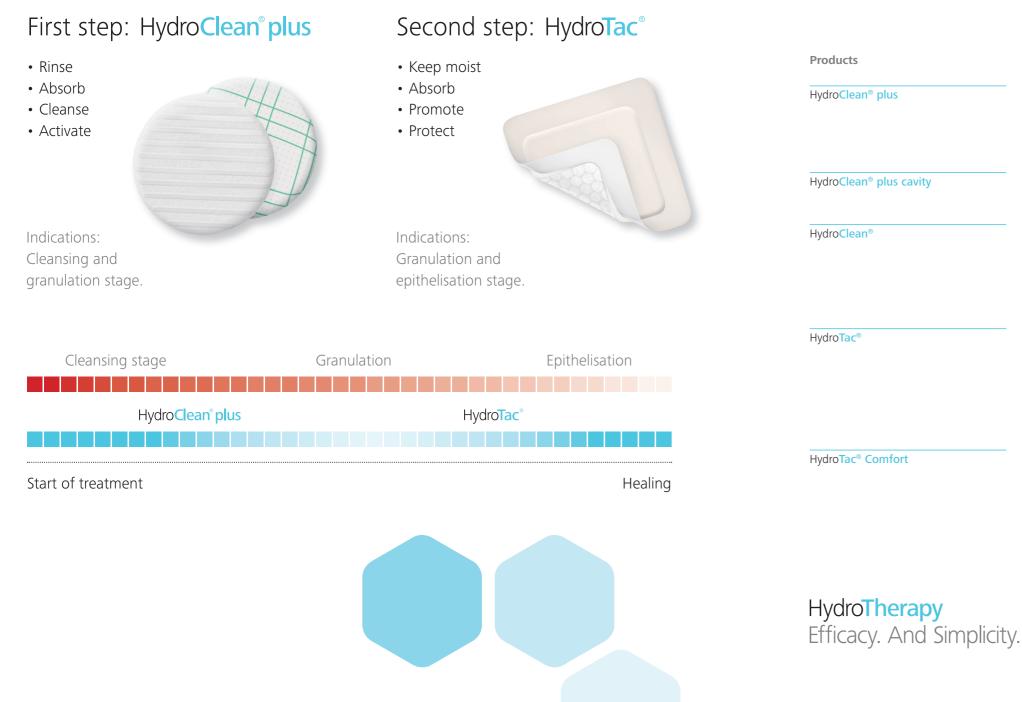
HydroTherapy Effective and simple.

HydroTherapy is the convincing treatment concept especially for the treatment of chronic and poorly healing wounds. It consists of only two wound dressings which are used one after the other during the healing process: HydroClean plus and HydroTac. Thanks to their special gel technology, both products actively contribute to the healing process and thereby add dynamics to the wound.

The entire wound-healing process in two steps:

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Size

ø4 cm

ø 5.5 cm

7.5 x 7.5 cm

10 x 10 cm

HydroClean [®] plus cavity	ø4 cm
	7.5 x 7.5 cm
HydroClean [®]	ø 4 cm
	ø 5.5 cm
	Oval 4 x 7 cm
	7.5 x 7.5 cm
	10 x 10 cm
HydroTac [®]	ø 6 cm
	10 x 10 cm
	10 x 10 cm
	10 x 20 cm
	15 x 15 cm
	20 x 20 cm
HydroTac [®] Comfort	8 x 8 cm
	12.5 x 12.5 c
	15 x 15 cm



HydroTherapy Efficacy. And Simplicity.

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HydroClean[®] plus Cleanses and activates.

Necroses and coatings are known for providing bacteria with protection against the patient's own immune defence system. Bacteria can thus proliferate and spread unhindered so that infections can occur or become aggravated. But even if no infection occurs, the bacteria continuously release toxins that can cause or intensify an inflammatory reaction. In both cases, the result is delayed or even interrupted wound healing.

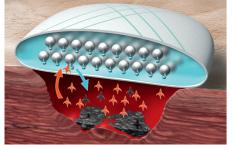
HydroClean plus helps to prevent this: due to its special absorbing and rinsing mechanism, necroses and coatings as well as the germs they contain are removed from the wound and firmly bound in the wound-dressing pad. In the interior of the wound-dressing pad, the bacteria are killed by the antiseptic PHMB* bound there.

Waterproof """ covering film

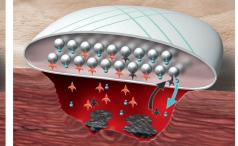
SAP** core with a high content of Ringer's solution

Non-adherent wound contact layer with silicone strips

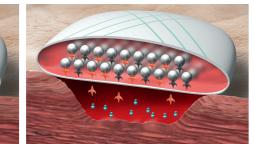
Unique absorbing and rinsing mechanism:



Continuous release of Ringer's solution.



Absorption of necroses, fibrin, bacteria and exudate.



Optimal wound environment for starting and facilitating the healing process.

HydroClean[®] plus Exemplary and convincing.

In a study conducted in France, 52 patients with an average age of 74 years completed a 14-day treatment with either the polyacrylate-based hydrogel (HydroClean) or with an amorphous hydrogel. By day 14, 61% of the wounds treated with HydroClean exhibited a 50% reduction in fibrin coatings and necrotic tissue. In the case of the wounds treated with the amorphous hydrogel, there was only a reduction of 25%.

The case example:



Day 0: The wound is almost entirely covered with fibrin coatings.

Day 7: The fibrin coatings have already been considerably reduced by HydroClean and granulation tissue has formed.

The evaluation:

The study proves for the first time the superiority of polyacrylate-based HydroClean over a comparable treatment option, such as amorphous gel, in the cleansing stage of venous leg ulcers.

The result:

The wounds of patients treated with HydroClean were more than twice as effectively cleared of fibrin and necroses than wounds treated with amorphous hydrogel.

* PHMB = polyhexanide = polyhexamethylene biguanide ** SAP = super-absorbent polymer = polyacrylate

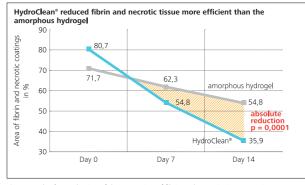
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Day 15: The fibrin coatings have been fully removed with HydroClean, and the wound consists mainly of granulation tissue.

The comparison with amorphous hydrogels:



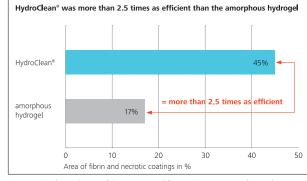


Figure 1: Absolute reduction of the proportion of fibrin and necrotic tissue over time.

Figure 2: Absolute reduction of the proportion of fibrin and necrotic tissue from inclusion at Day 0 to Day 14.

Convincing results:

The results show that HydroClean was at least 2.5 times more effective in reducing the proportion of fibrin and necrotic tissue than the amorphous hydrogel.

Clear benefits:

- Heals chronic wounds through its inflammation-inhibiting effect
- Greater reliability and protection against infection through binding bacteria
- Considerable shortening of the critical stage through active wound cleansing
- Greater cost-efficiency through shorter treatments

