

Mepilex® Border Ag



THE EFFECTIVE ANTIMICROBIAL BORDERED FOAM DRESSING WITH SAFETAC® TECHNOLOGY

- Minimizes pain and trauma at dressing changes^{1,2,3}
- Rapid and sustained antimicrobial activity⁵
- Effective exudate management

Safetac® technology layer

- Reduces pain and trauma during dressing changes¹
- Does not adhere to the moist wound bed, only to dry skin³
- Seals the wound margins and reduces risk of maceration⁴

Polyurethane backing film

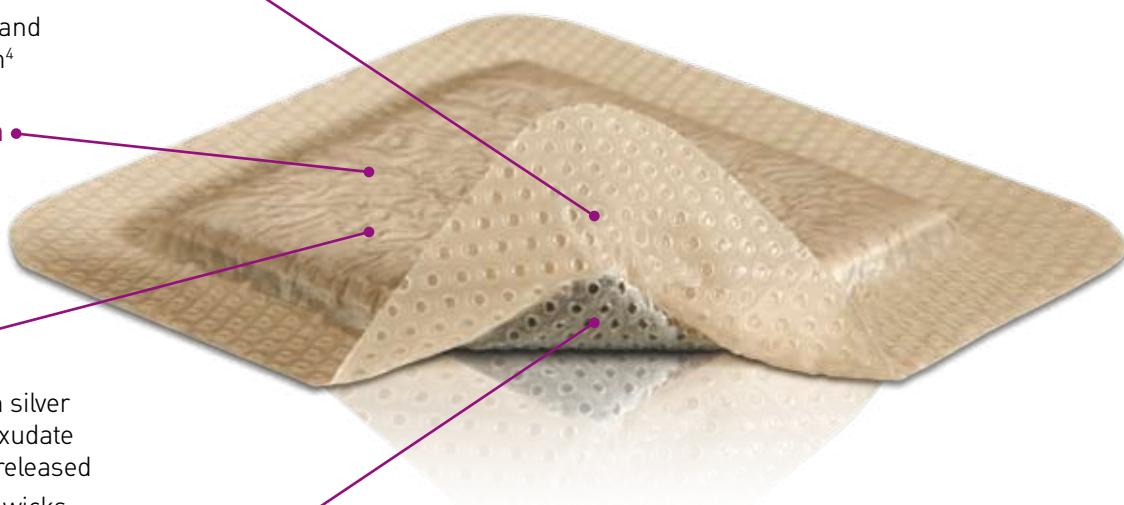
- Moisture vapor permeable
- Moisture proof
- Bacteria and viral barrier[†]

Multi-layered absorbent foam pad

- The compressed foam with silver absorbs and spreads the exudate while allowing silver to be released
- The super absorbant layer wicks and retains exudate
- The nonwoven layer spreads and retains fluid

Powerful silver performance

- Antimicrobial activity within 30 minutes and sustained effect for up to 7 days⁵



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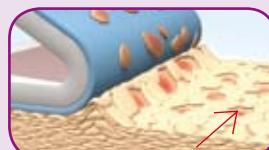
Starts to work in 30 minutes Sustained release for 7 days

Safetac® technology

Safetac® technology. Less pain and less trauma.

Safetac® is a patented adhesive technology that minimizes pain to patients and trauma to wounds. Safetac® technology is available exclusively on Mölnlycke Health Care dressings, including Mepilex® wound care dressings, Mepitel®, Mepiform® and Mepitac®.

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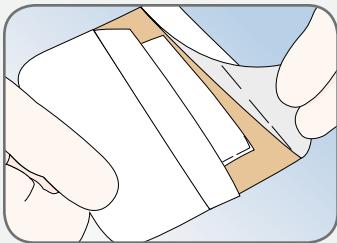


Painful skin stripping with traditional adhesive

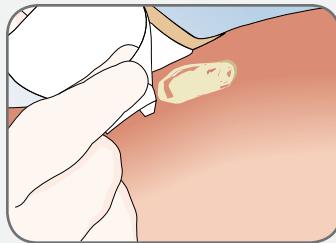


No skin stripping with Safetac® technology

How to use Mepilex® Border Ag



Clean the wound area. Skin barrier products not necessary. Remove the release film.



Apply the adherent side to the wound. Do not stretch.



How Mepilex® Border Ag works

Mepilex® Border Ag is an antimicrobial all-in-one foam dressing that effectively absorbs and retains exudate and maintains a moist wound environment. The Safetac® layer seals the wound edges, which prevents the exudate from leaking onto the surrounding skin and minimizes the risk of maceration. The Safetac® layer ensures that the dressing can be changed without damaging the wound or surrounding skin or exposing the patient to additional pain.

Mepilex® Border Ag inactivates wound related pathogens within 30 minutes with sustained effect up to 7 days.

By reducing the number of microorganisms, Mepilex® Border Ag may also reduce odor.

Benefits of Mepilex® Border Ag

- Minimizes pain and trauma at dressing changes
- Effective, sustained release of silver
- Self-adherent - no secondary fixation required
- Shower proof
- May be used under compression bandages
- Promotes patient comfort during wear
- May remain in place for several days depending on the condition of the wound
- May be lifted and adjusted without losing its adherent properties
- Low potential for skin irritation and allergy

Areas of use

Mepilex® Border Ag is designed for medium to high exuding wounds such as leg and foot ulcers, pressure ulcers, partial thickness burns, traumatic and surgical wounds, where a moist environment, exudate management, gentle fixation and antimicrobial action is indicated.

† Microbes larger than 25 nm

‡ Packaged sterile in single packs



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Mepilex® Border Ag Ordering Information [†]				
Product Code	Size	Pieces/box	Pieces/case	HCPCS
395290	3" x 3" (7.5 x 7.5 cm)	5	70	A6212
395390	4" x 4" (10 x 10 cm)	5	50	A6212
395490	6" x 6" (15 x 15 cm)	5	50	A6213
395690	6" x 8" (15 x 20 cm)	5	45	A6213
395890	4" x 8" (10 x 20 cm)	5	35	A6212
395790	4" x 10" (10 x 25 cm)	5	35	A6212
395990	4" x 12" (10 x 30 cm)	5	25	A6213

Mepilex® Border Sacrum Ag

382090	7.2" x 7.2" (18 x 18 cm)	5	40	A6213
382490	9.2" x 9.2" (23 x 23 cm)	5	25	A6213

Precautions

- Do not use on patients with a known sensitivity to silver.
- Do not use Mepilex® Border Ag during radiation treatment or examinations e.g., X-ray, ultrasound, diathermy or Magnetic Resonance Imaging.
- Do not use Mepilex® Border Ag together with oxidizing agents such as hypochlorite solutions or hydrogen peroxide.

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