

Mepilex® Transfer Ag

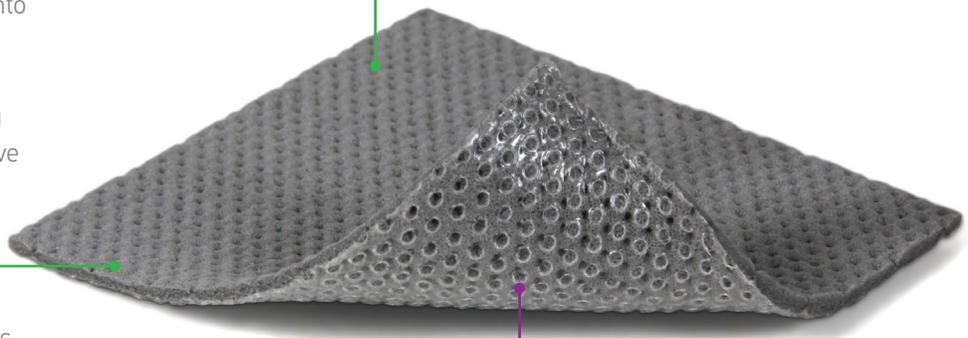
Safetac®
TECHNOLOGY



Antimicrobial wound contact layer with Safetac® technology

- Effectively manages exudate by transferring fluid into a secondary dressing
- Features Safetac® technology for less pain and trauma during dressing changes^{1,2}
- Provides a rapid and sustained antimicrobial effect³⁻⁷
- Uniquely conformable, thin foam construction

- The absence of a backing film allows exudate to transfer into a secondary dressing, that can be changed as needed, while Mepilex® Transfer Ag remains in place and effective for up to 14 days



- The antimicrobial silver sulphate impregnated, polyurethane foam transfers exudate into a secondary dressing
- Exclusive Safetac® technology supports less painful and less traumatic dressing changes^{1,2}

Safetac® technology. Less pain and less trauma.^{1,2}

Dressings with Safetac® technology are clinically proven to hurt less.¹ That means less stress⁹ and fewer disturbances to the wound, which can mean faster healing⁹ and resulting lower costs.¹⁰ Safetac® technology is available exclusively on Mölnlycke Health Care dressings.

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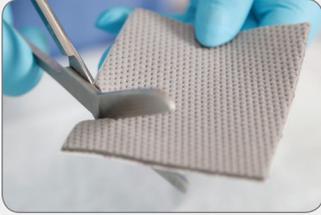


Skin stripping may occur with traditional adhesive



Minimal skin stripping with Safetac® technology

How to apply Mepilex® Transfer Ag



1. **Preparation** - Cleanse the wound and dry the surrounding skin thoroughly. If needed, cut Mepilex® Transfer Ag to the appropriate size or shape.



2. **Apply Mepilex® Transfer Ag** - Remove the release film, and apply the adherent side to the wound allowing at least 2-5 cm overlap on dry skin. Do not stretch the dressing during application.



3. **Apply secondary dressing** - Apply an absorbant secondary dressing that is appropriate for the exudate level. The secondary dressing should extend 2-5 cm onto the periwound skin.



4. **Apply fixation** - Use an appropriate fixation to hold the dressings in place, e.g. Tubifast®, Dermafit™, etc.

How Mepilex® Transfer Ag works

Mepilex® Transfer Ag is a thin and conformable, antimicrobial wound contact layer. The Safetac® technology layer ensures direct contact to the wound and the surrounding skin, including uneven surfaces. As the Safetac® technology layer seals around the wound, the foam structure of Mepilex® Transfer Ag allows exudate to move vertically into a secondary absorbent dressing. Mepilex® Transfer Ag maintains a moist wound environment in combination with an appropriate secondary dressing.

Mepilex® Transfer Ag inactivates wound related pathogens within 30 minutes^{3,4} with a sustained effect up to 14 days.^{5,6,7} By reducing the number of microorganisms, Mepilex® Transfer Ag may also reduce odor.

Areas of use

Mepilex® Transfer Ag is indicated for low to high exuding wounds including difficult-to-dress areas where an antimicrobial effect is needed, including:

- traumatic wounds
- partial thickness burns
- surgical wounds
- foot and leg ulcers
- pressure ulcers

Mepilex® Transfer Ag can be used under compression bandaging.

Wear time: Up to 14 days

Benefits of Mepilex® Transfer Ag

- Transfers exudate away from the wound
- Minimizes pain and trauma at dressing change^{1,2}
- Effective, sustained release of silver provides rapid antimicrobial effect within 30 minutes^{3,4} that is sustained for up to 14 days^{5,6,7}
- Promotes patient comfort during wear
- Conforms well to body contours
- May be cut to desired shapes
- Effective under compression bandages

Mepilex® Transfer Ag Ordering Information†

Product Code	Size	Pcs/box	Pcs/case	HCPCS
394190	4" x 5" (10 x 12.5 cm)	5	50	A6210
394890	6" x 8" (15 x 20 cm)	10	50	A6210
394590	8" x 20" (20 x 50 cm)	2	12	A6211
394990	4" x 47" (10x120 cm)	1	9	A6211

† Packaged sterile in single packs

Precautions

Please refer to the package insert for use for details.

References

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