



Sequa[®] **Film**
PU Film Dressing

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Product Description

Sequa® Film Dressing consists of a thin film backing with a non-latex, hypoallergenic adhesive. The dressing is transparent, allowing continual site observation, and is breathable allowing good oxygen and moisture vapor exchange. It is waterproof and impermeable to liquids and bacteria. Sequa® Film Dressing is individually packed and terminally sterilized.

Indications

Sequa® Dressing can be used as a securement for IV catheter or wound dressing, to cover and protect catheter sites and wounds, to maintain a moist environment for wound healing, as a secondary dressing, as a protective cover over at-risk skin, to secure other devices to the skin. Do not use the dressing as a replacement for sutures and other primary wound closure methods.

Warnings

- Sequa® Film Dressing should not be placed over infected wounds.
- Do not insert the needle through the dressing
- Ensure patient is not sensitive or allergic to adhesive products prior to application.
- If infection is suspected, remove the dressing, inspect the catheter site directly, and determine appropriate medical intervention.
- For external use only.
- Do not use if individual pouch is open or damaged.
- Do not reuse, reuse may cause serious infection.

Precautions

- Do not stretch the dressing during application as tension can cause skin trauma.
- Make sure the skin is clean, free of soap residue and lotion and allowed to dry thoroughly before applying the dressing to prevent skin irritation and to ensure good adhesion
- Choose a dressing size that will adequately cover the insertion site and the catheter. At each dressing change, pay careful attention to disinfecting the skin around and under the character.
- Sequa® Film Dressing should not be re-sterilized.

Application

1. Prepare the wound or catheter site according to institution protocol. Allow all cleansing solutions and skin protectants to dry completely. Take Sequa® Film Dressing out from the package.
2. Peel liner from dressing, exposing adhesive surface. **NOTE:** For Sequa® Film Dressing Non-frame Style, remove and discard the latter liner before touching skin.
3. Center the transparent portion of the dressing over the catheter insertion site. Apply firm pressure to entire dressing starting in the center to the edges to enhance adhesion. **NOTE:** Remove the remaining liner of Sequa® Film Dressing Non-frame Style and smooth the dressing from the center outward to enhance adhesion. Do not stretch the dressing during application.
4. For Sequa® Film Dressing Frame Style, slowly remove frame while smoothing down dressing edges with your fingertips.
5. For Sequa® Film Dressing Non-frame Style, slowly remove PE/PET film while smoothing down dressing edges with your fingertips.
6. Smooth the dressing from the center towards the edges, using firm pressure to enhance adhesion.
7. After dressing has been applied, apply the sterile tape strip(s) to further stabilize catheter.
8. Record information on label, then remove it from liner and place on dressing.


Removal

1. Remove any tape strips applied to the top of the dressing.
2. Using a low and slow removal technique, start removing the dressing from where the catheter or tubing exits the dressing toward the catheter insertion site. Avoid skin trauma by peeling the dressing back, rather than pulling it up from the skin.
3. Support the skin and catheter with your fingers while removing the dressing

Storage

Protect from freezing, avoid excessive heat.

SYMBOLS USED ON LABELLING

 See instruction for use


 Keep away from sunlight

 Keep Dry


 Single Use

 Do not Re-sterilize

 Do not use if package is open or damaged


 **STERILE** EO Sterile. Method of sterilisation: EO sterilisation

 Manufacturer

 Use by: year and month

 **LOT** Batch number

 **REF** Product reference

 Does not contain Latex

 Storage Conditions

 **EC REP** EC Representative

 **CE** CE mark
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 **MD** Medical Device