

Diabetes Related Skin Issues

There are approximately 537 million adults living with diabetes, with more than 643 million expected by 2030 and 783 million by 2045.¹

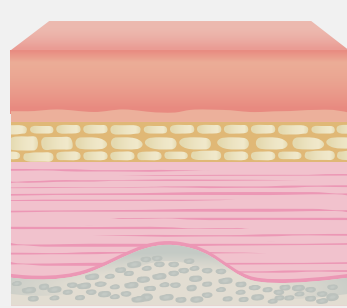


Skin Conditions

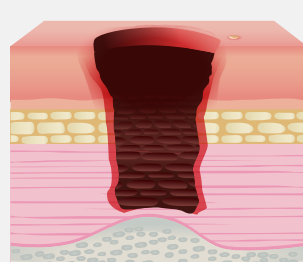
1/3 of people with diabetes will have a skin condition at some point during their life.²

These include:

- Dry skin
- Cracked heels³
- Foot ulcers
- Diabetic blisters
- Bacteria and fungal infections
- Impaired wound healing



NORMAL SKIN

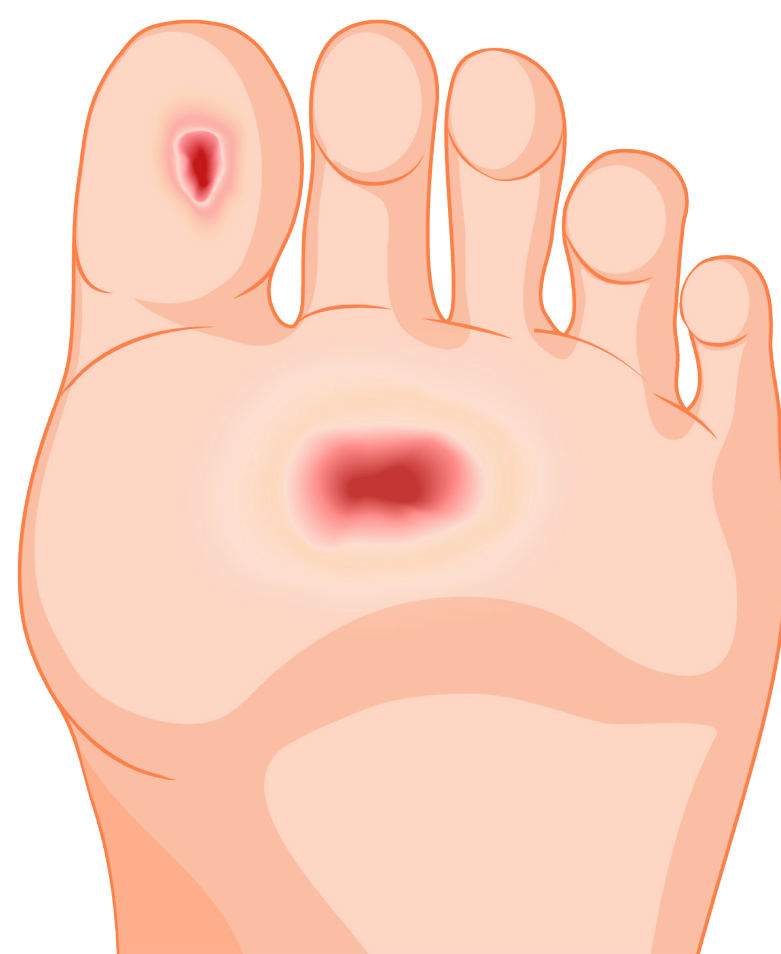
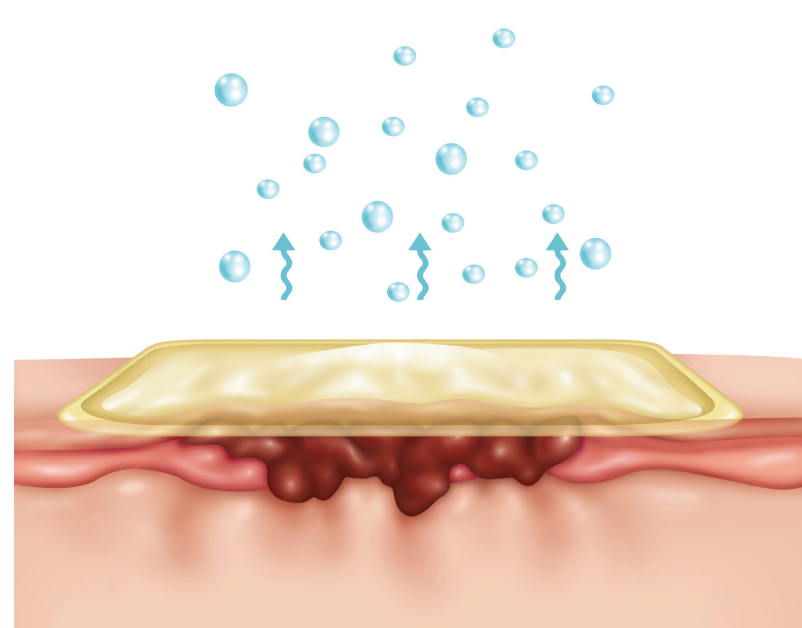


DIABETIC WOUND ON SKIN

Advanced Wound Dressings Can Help Treat Diabetic Ulcers

Hydrogel and Hydrocolloid dressings are clinically proven to help promote healing and manage diabetic ulcers. Some benefits include:

- **Manage Moisture**
Absorbs wound fluid to promote a moist wound healing environment.
- **Pain Relief**
Help to reduce pain.
- **Reduction of Healing Time**
Helps to heal wound faster than a traditional bandage.
- **Infection Prevention**
Protects the wound from external contaminants.



SOURCES:
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To learn more about advanced wound care offerings for diabetic applications, [click here](#).