

3M™ Inadine™ (PVP-I) Non Adherent Dressing

What is it?

Inadine Dressing is a low adherent knitted viscose fabric impregnated with a polyethylene glycol (PEG) base containing 10% povidone iodine; equivalent to 1.0% available iodine.

How does it work?

Inadine Dressing is designed to protect wounds even when they are infected, providing a long-lasting antimicrobial effect against bacteria, mycobacteria, fungi, protozoa and viruses¹, including resistant species such as MRSA.^{2,3}

Inadine (PVP-I) Non Adherent Dressing minimises adherence to the wound bed, therefore reducing the risk of damage to the granulation tissue at dressing removal,⁴ and in clinical practice has been shown to reduce pain for patients.^{5,6}

As PVP-I is depleted, the dressing will change colour from orange to white. This evolution in colour provides an indication on how frequently dressings should be changed, avoiding unnecessary dressing replacement, when compared to other dressings.¹ This could help improve cost effectiveness in treatment.⁵



When do I use it?

Inadine Dressing is indicated to manage ulcerative wounds and may also be used for the prevention of infection in:

- ▶ Minor burns/abrasions
- ▶ Traumatic skin loss

Ordering information

| Item code | Size | Items/box | NHSSC code | Drug tariff code |
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| 3M™ Inadine™ Dressing | | | | |
| P01481 | 5 × 5cm | 25 | EKB501 | 037-1195 |
| P01512 | 9.5 × 9.5cm | 25 | EKB502 | – |
| P01491 | 9.5 × 9.5cm | 10 | EKB095 | 037-1229 |

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