



PolyMem[®] for Radiodermatitis dressings

PolyMem wound dressings help control inflammation and reduce pain while enhancing healing, increasing comfort and improving sleep patterns for radiotherapy patients.^{1,2,3,4}

Heal Better Feel Better[®]

Effects of Radiotherapy on the Skin^{3,4}

Tissue inflammation, a consequence of cell damage, can lead to:

- Skin damage, pain, and open wounds
- Sleep disruption which interferes with healing
- Modification of treatment plans

Patients using PolyMem dressings experienced:^{3,4}



- A 50% reduction in pain scores within 4 days
- Increased healing rates within 14 days
- Improved sleep patterns and longer sleep duration noticeable within 6 days
- Enhanced Quality of Life

Commonly Used PolyMem Dressings



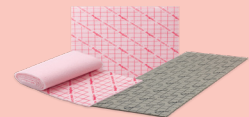
Silicone Border Adhesive

A water-resistant dressing offering a gentle-release adhesive alternative designed for fragile and sensitive skin.



Cloth Adhesive

A highly breathable border for locations where water-resistance is not required



Non-Adhesive

The preferred option for customizing dressing dimensions when non-adhesive fixation or taping is necessary.

PolyMem formulation incorporating silver is also available

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