BECOME AN EXPERT IN PRESSURE ULCER PREVENTION

You have a role to play in preventing pressure ulcers

The skin is key to our biology, our sensory experiences, our information gathering, and our relationships with others. This flexible and continuous covering of our bodies qualifies as an organ as it is a collection of different tissues performing the same function. The skin is the largest organ of the body, and is essential for life. However it is vulnerable to injury, especially in the very young and very old and those in our care with multiple medical issues.

Learn how to prevent wounds, know how to treat the cause of wounds and use best practices in wound care, though shared and collaborative practice between all health care professionals involved in wound care.

95 PER CENT OF PRESSURE ULCERS ARE PREVENTABLE

You are a resource in prevention, with timely and accurate assessment and reassessment of a person's pressure ulcer risk.

Learn how to prevent pressure ulcers on the LMS

Level 1 Wound Care Education is designed to support you to gain the skills to prevent, assess and treat partial thickness wounds such as Stage 1 and 2 pressure ulcers, skin tears, and wounds with superficial infections. It consists of eight on line modules on the Learning Management System (LMS). When you have completed all eight modules you will receive a certificate which you can print for your records.

Did you know? After taking wound care education via the LMS, you'll have an ongoing resource for wound care that you can access at any time.

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