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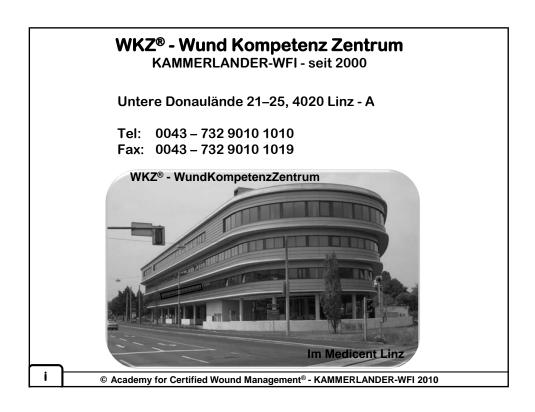
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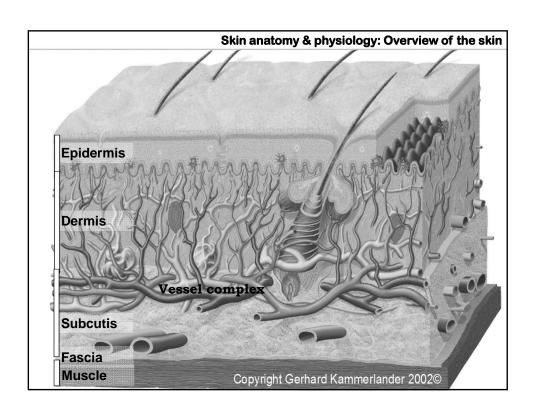
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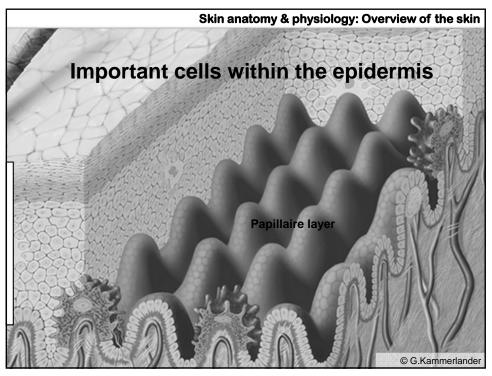
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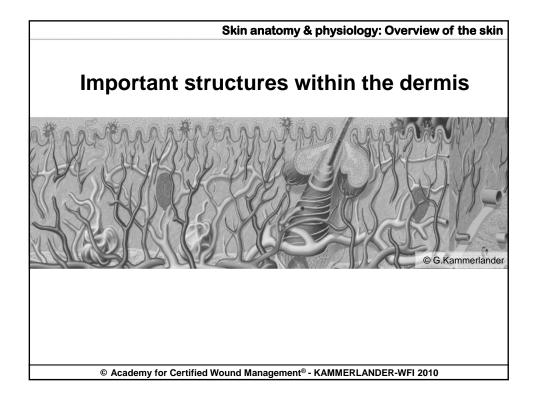
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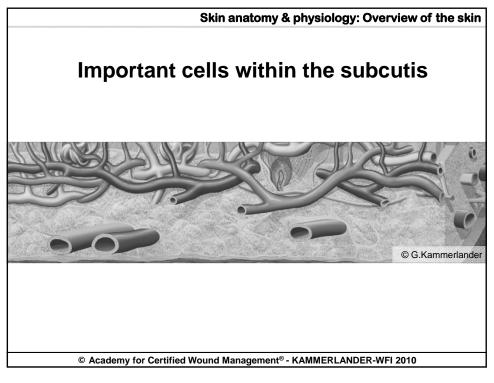


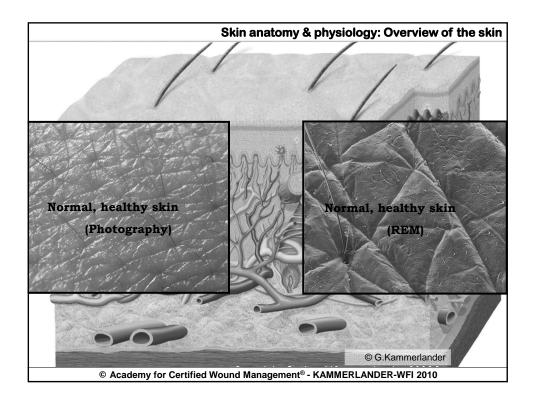




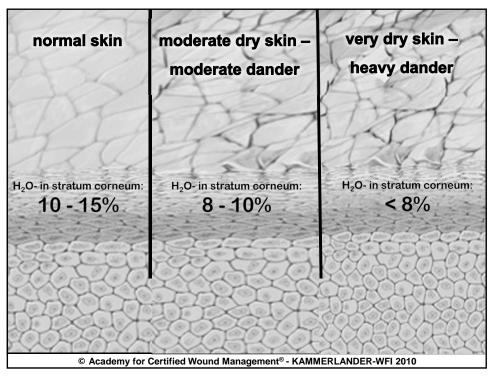


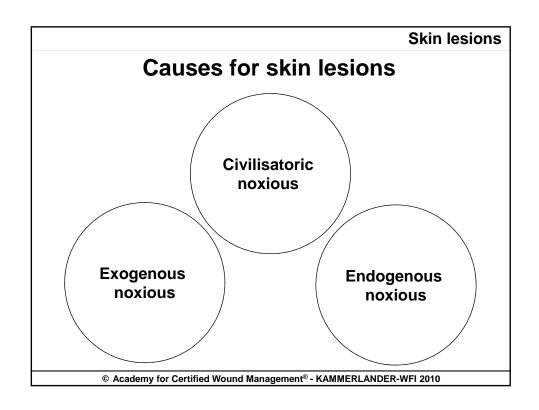








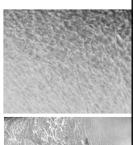






## dry / very dry skin

- > Squamos
- > Itching
- > Dryness of the skin and tension
- > Leasons of the skin
- > High sensitivity
- > Higher senisbility for external noxis:
  - · Less resistanz for soaps and syndets
  - Inflammation → Irritation
  - Ekzema → Allergy

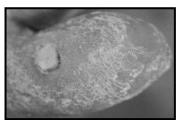




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### Very dry skin bei DFS (diabetic foot syndrome)





### Dry skin by venous leg ulcers





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### **SKIN CARE AND WOUND HEALING**

It is a basic principle in the management people with dry skin and with problem wounds, i.e. during each dressing change or nursing process, to specifically cream and attend the skin and the peri wound skin (individual and situated).





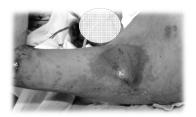


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### SKIN PROTECTION

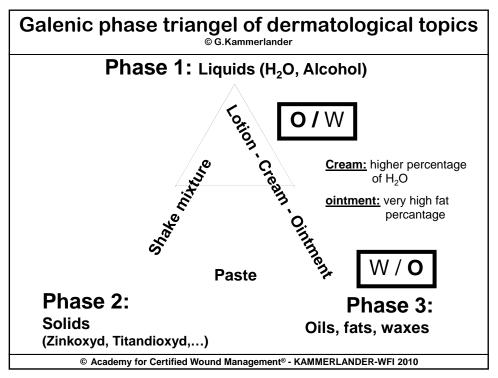
For skin care **W/O products** (water in oil) products are **advised for dry, itchy skin**. They should not contain color, well tolerated preserves (or without), **hypo-allergen** ingredients and possibly little perfume (or without -> people with multiple allergies).





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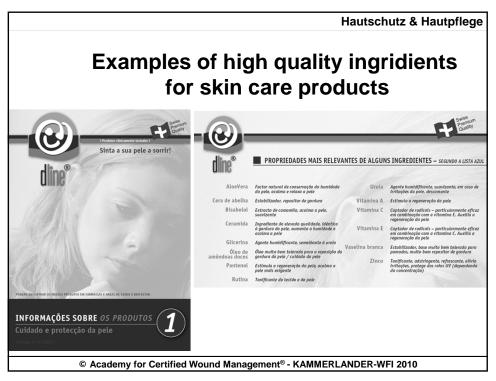


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# Examples of high quality ingridients for skin care products

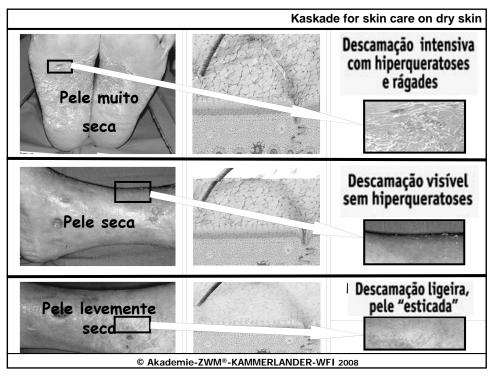
- · Aloe vera
- Ceramide
- Glycerin
- Panthenol (Vitamin B Derivat ) Synonyme: Panthenolo, Pantenol, Panthenolum, Pantothenol, Pantothenolum, Pantothenylalkohol, Dexpanthenol, 2,4-Dihydroxy-N-(3-hydroxypropyl)3,3-dimethylbutyramide DL-Panthenol =)
- Urea, Carbamid
- Vitamin A, C, E
- ...
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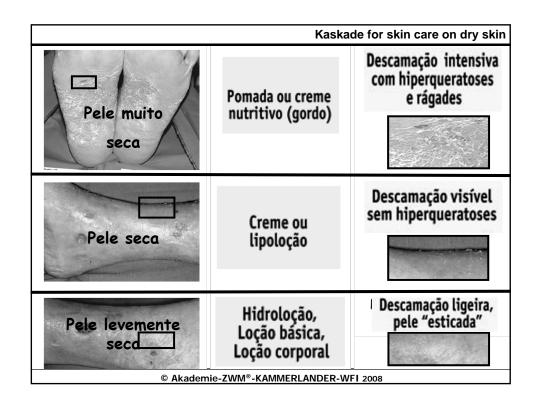




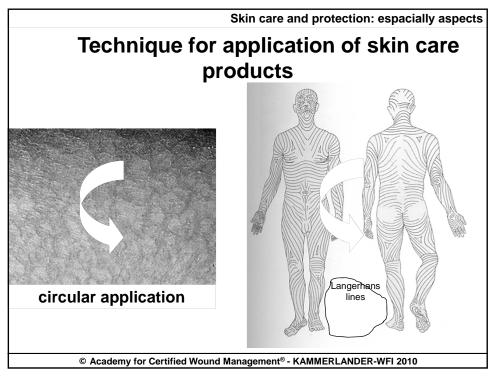












Bepanthen Salbe	sehr fett	plus Panthenol
dline_NCR-NutrientCream	sehr fett	plus hochwertige Zusätze **
Eucerin Dry Skin Salbe	sehr fett	plus Harnstoff *
Excipial Fettcreme	sehr fett	plus Vitamin E
Lanolin S. *	sehr fett ( häufig allerg. auf chron. kranker Haut )	
Mandelölsalbe gelb	sehr fett	
Neribas Salbe	sehr fett	
Pantothen Nycomed Salbe	sehr fett	plus Panthenol
pH - 5 Eucerin-Salbe	sehr fett	plus Harnstoff *
Remederm Creme	sehr fett	plus Urea & Vitam.E
Temetex-Basis/- Ultrabas S.	sehr fett	
Vaselinum album S.	sehr fett ( etwas weniger als gelbe Vaseline )	
Vaselinum flavum S.	sehr fett	





with Lanolinum

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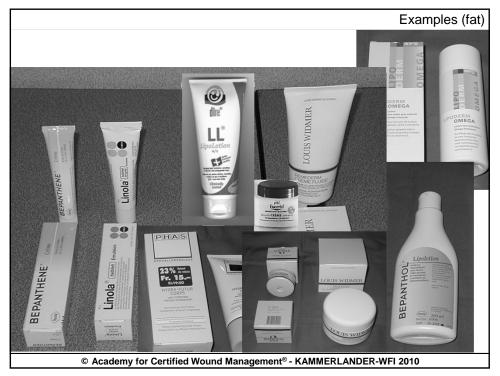
### Examples: skin care- fat

Basiscreme Glaxo	fett	
Bepanthen Creme	fett	plus Pantothen
Decoderm Basiscreme	fett	
dline_CC-CoolingCream	fett	plus Vitamin A + E
dline_LL-LipoLotion	fett	plus hochwertige Zusatzstoffe **
Silonda Lipid	fett	
Lasepton Lipid	fett	
Essex Salbe	fett	
Excipial Creme	fett	plus Vitamin E
Excipial Lipo-U-Lotio	fett	plus Urea
Eucerin Creme	fett	plus Urea *
Unguentum refrigerans = Coldcream = Kühlsalbe	fett	

<sup>\*\*</sup> High quality INCI: Aloe vera, Ceramid, Glycerin, Panthenol, Urea, Vitamine

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### **Examples: skin care- moderate fat**

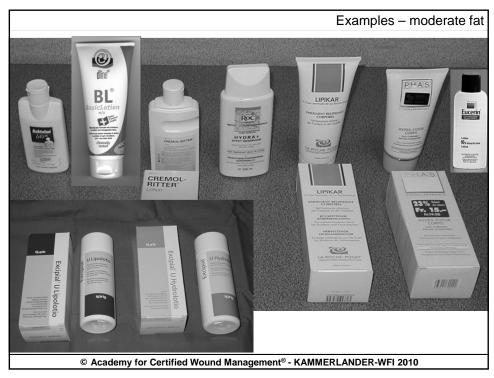
Dermocetyl Cr.	leicht rückfettend	
dline_BL-BasicLotion	leicht rückfettend	plus Urea
dline_HL-HydroLotion	leicht rückfettend	plus hochwertige Zusatzstoffe **
<b>Eucerin Intensiv Lotion</b>	leicht rückfettend	Dexpanthenol, Vitamin E
Excipial - U - Lotio	leicht rückfettend	plus Urea
Glaxo Basislotio	leicht rückfettend	
Menalind Professional	leicht rückfettend	Vit. E
Neribas Creme	leicht rückfettend	
Temetex Excipiens Cr.	leicht rückfettend	
Unguentum Cordes Cr.	leicht rückfettend	
Unguentum hydrophillicum Cr./ Ultrasic Cr.	leicht rückfettend	
Unguentum mollis Cr.	leicht rückfettend	

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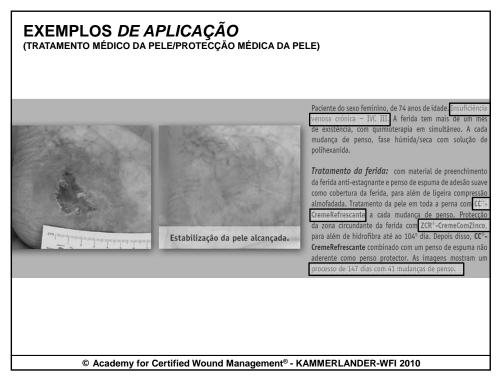


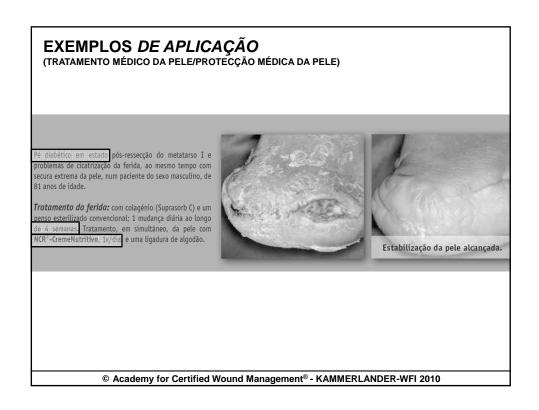




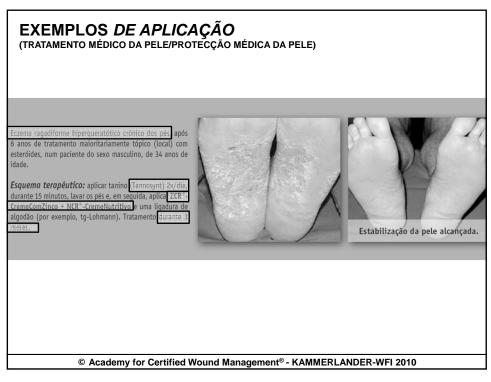
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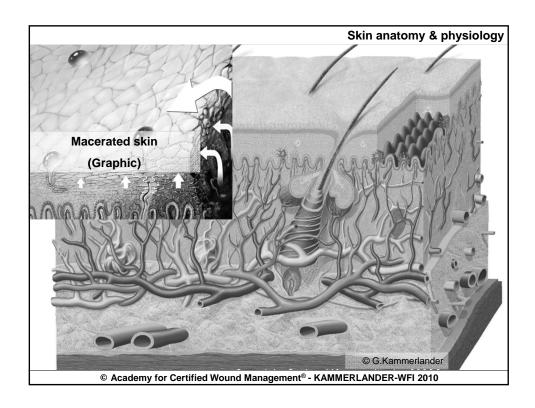




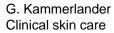




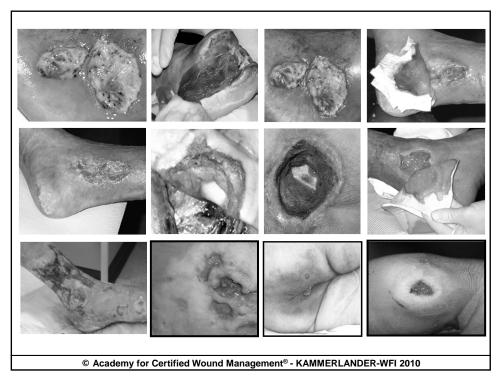


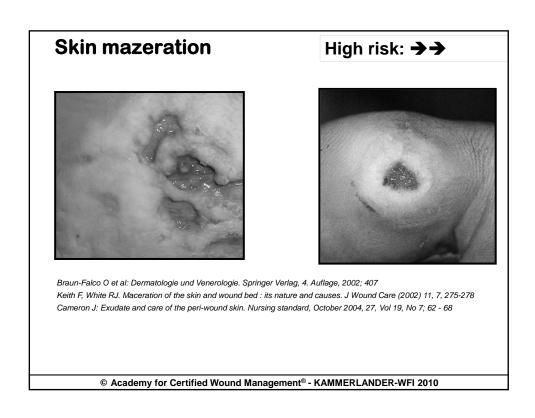


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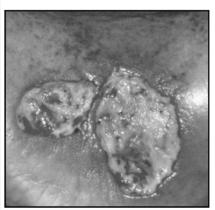








### Erythema/Irritation & wound: high risk



Quelle: A. Körber, J. Dissemond, Die Wundumgebung – Diagnostik und Therapie pathologischer Veränderungen; HARTMANN WundForum 1/2007



[1] Pschyrembel, 259. Auflage [2] Keith F, Cutting MN: Maceration of the skin and wound bed: its nature and causes. J Wound Care Vol.11. No 7, July 2002

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# Steps in Skin Care on the surrounding wound area

What is important before you use a skin care or skin protection systems?

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## 1. Check and assess the dressing material, the wound and the wound area around

- colour ( dressing, wound,... )
- odour
- reaction of the wound filler
- reaction of the wound cover
- · classificate the wound
- assess the wound area around



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# 2. Wound and Wound Area around

- cleansing / preparing -

## Wet to Dry Phase

#### Published in:

Wet to Dry Phase, G.Kammerlander, A. Andriessen et.al, JWC 09.2005 "Die Schwester der Pfleger", Bibliomed 01.2006; ZfW, mhp Verlag 01.2006 APTF, 2009

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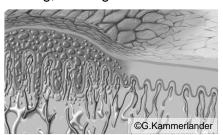
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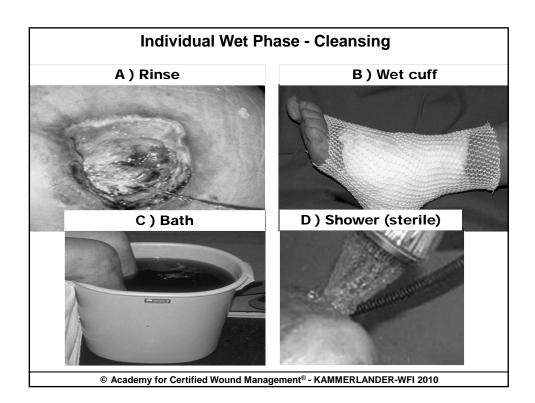
### **WET TO DRY PHASE**

(G.Kammerlander et al. ZfW, Bibliomed, Procare, Heilberufe 2003 G.Kammerlander, A. Andriessen et.al, Wet to Dry phase; JWC:09.2005, APTF 2009)

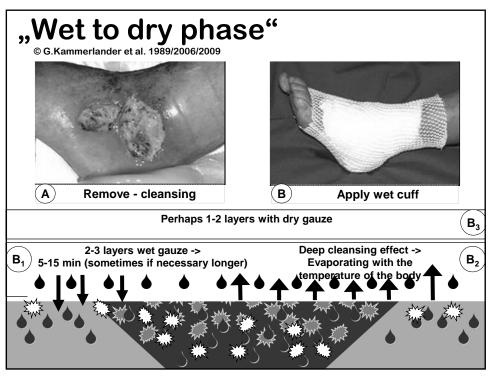
- The wet to dry phase may be applied during dressing changes for reduction of bacterial burden and removal of debris and exudate.
- ➤ In cases of skin irritation the method may be soothing and cooling, calming down the inflammation.



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3. Choose the dressing material and apply the new system

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### Interdisciplinary plan

3. Choose the right material

Problem	Aim	Treatment
Maceration wound area around	Stabilized skin area around	xxxxxxxxxxx
Irritated wound area around	normal coloured skin area around	xxxxxxxxxxxx
xxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxx	xxxxxxxxxxx

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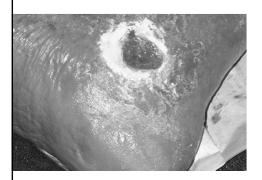
What type of protection is the right?

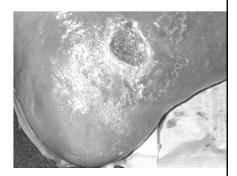
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Skin care and protection: special aspects

# Skin care and protection on irritated, macerated peri wound area





Negative example with Zincpaste

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**Negative example with Zincpaste** 

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Skin care and protection: special aspects

### Modern, Zincream Systems

( 3 Phases Liquid - Zinc - Oil/Fat)

## for peri wound area, Incontince, Intertrigor

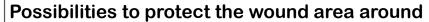
- -> like a cream (smooth)
- -> elastic (also after 1-4 days)
- -> very easy for cleansing (with wet & dry fase)

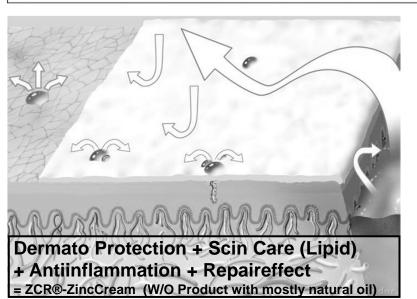
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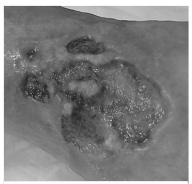
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### **ZCR®-ZincCream**

In case of inflamed, weeping, reddened and itching peri-wound skin, old valued zinc oxide cream may be applied.



Example of a specific ZincCream from Switzerland...



...simple removal with a wet-dry-phase (without oil!)

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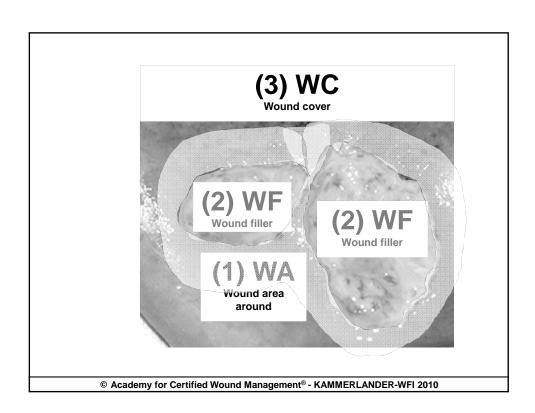
### ZCR®-ZincCream

- Only smooth zinc cream (3 phase) is to be used (typically no paste = 2 phase!!).
- Thick zinc paste allows secretion, bacteria etc.
   to be trapped under the paste

Example of a specific ZCR®-ZincCream from Switzerland...

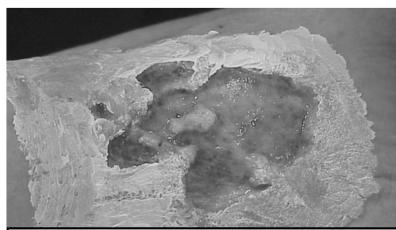
 Zinc cream (3 phase) is to be applied as a thin white film for skin protection (e.g. in case of application of enzymes, maggots, copious exudate, etc.

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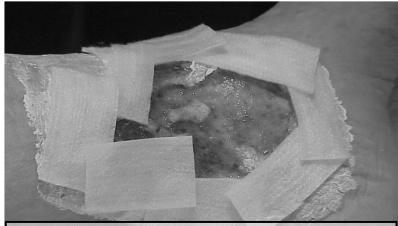
### Possibilities to protect the wound area around



Dermato Protection + Scin Care (Lipid)
+ Antiinflammation + Repaireffect
= ZCR®-ZincCream (W/O Product with mostly natural oil)

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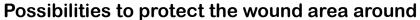


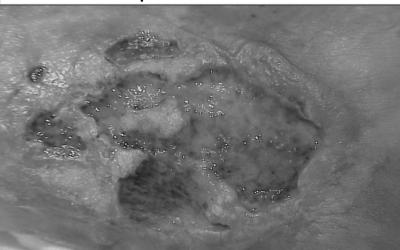
Dermato Protection + Scin Care (Lipid)
+ Antiinflammation + Repaireffect + Fluid Stop
= ZCR®-ZincCream (dline®) + Hydrofibre

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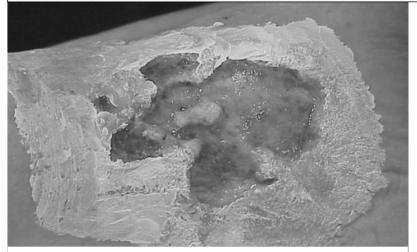


... Wound area around - before treatment - day 1...

Heavy maceration and irritation; very wet wound

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### Possibilities to protect the wound area around



... Wound area around – with ZCR®-ZincCream – day 1...

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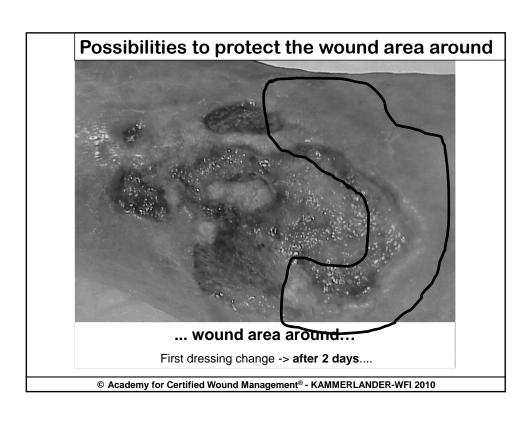
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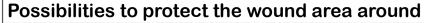


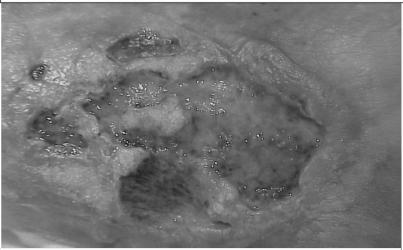
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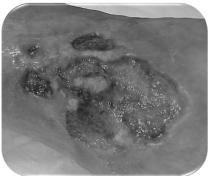
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Skin Care & Protection on irritated, macerated wound area around with ZCR®-ZincCream + Aquacel® -> Arrangement: after 2 days, 1 treatment



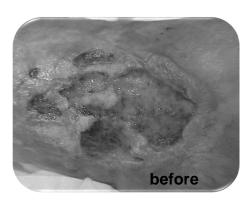


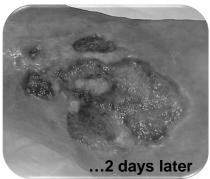
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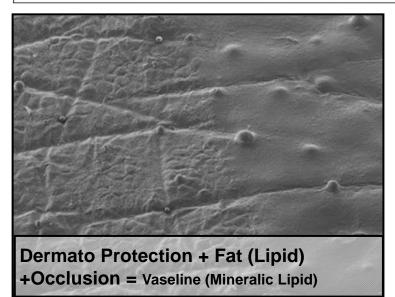






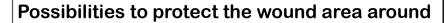
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### Possibilities to protect the wound area around



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Dermato Protection + Fluid Stop Hydrofibre (Aquacel – ConvaTec®)

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### Possibilities to protect the skin

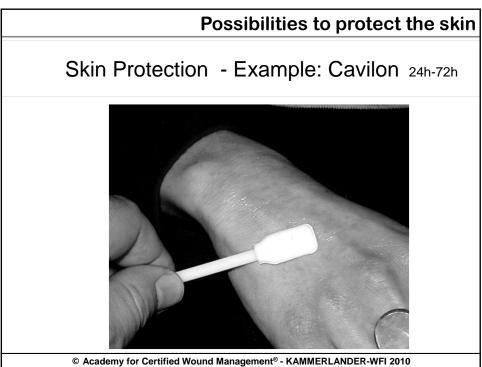
Skin Protection - Example: Cavilon 24h-72h

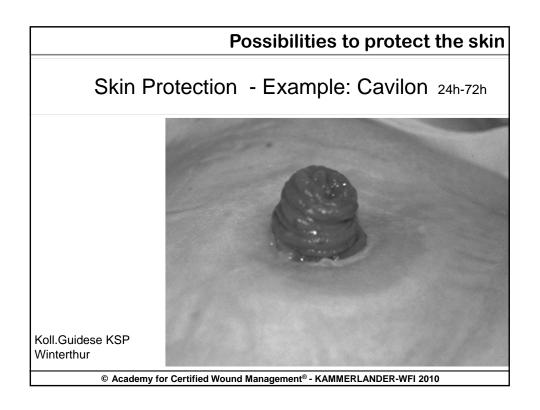


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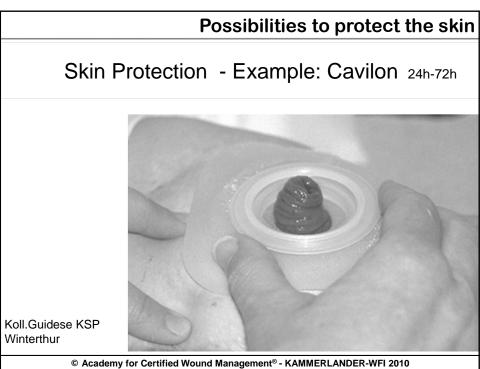
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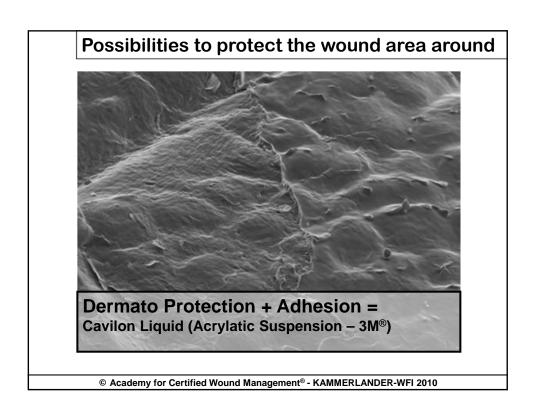




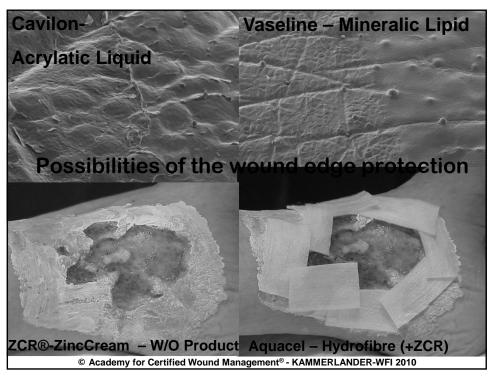


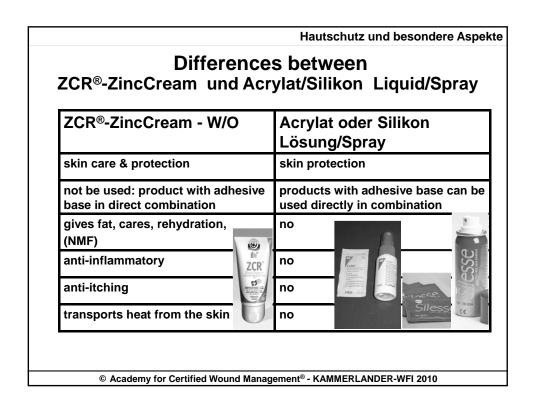














### SKIN CARE AND WOUND HEALING CONCLUSION

- > Without skin care the risk for PU is high per definition.
- Wound cleansing is conducted together with management of the wound edges, the peri-wound skin, protection and skin care.
- Vitality and stability of the wound environment influences the process of wound healing, as well as the quality of scarring and the risk for reoccurence. Complications may be prevented, the treatment period may be shorter and less complex.
- ➤ If the peri-wound skin condition is not/not sufficiently taken into account in the approach to wound treatment, inflammation, irritation and other skin disorders may occur.

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Skin care & allergy

### Patients with chronic ulcers and allergy

**70% - 80%** of leg ulcer patients has an

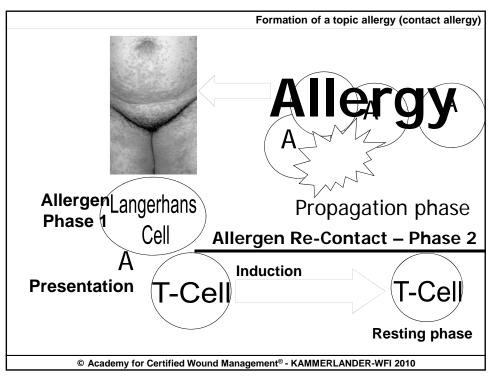
Typ IV (T-Cell indicated) – allergy based on

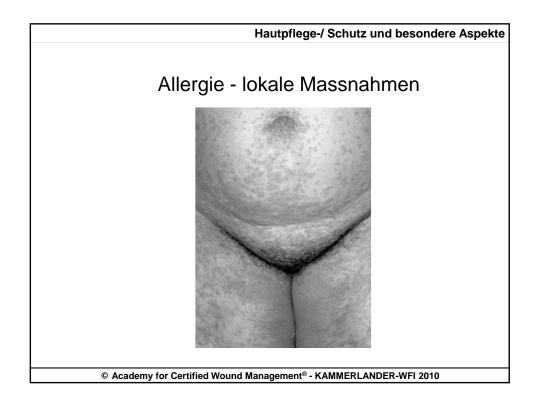
### 1 oder more local substances

(Ernst G. Jung - Dermatologie - Hippokrates - 1989 Stuttgart)

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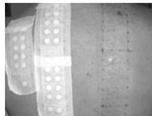




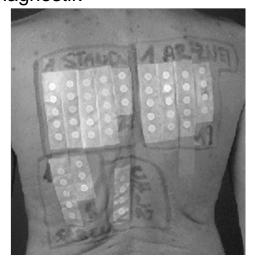
#### Hautpflege-/ Schutz und besondere Aspekte

# Allergie - lokale Massnahmen - Diagnostik -





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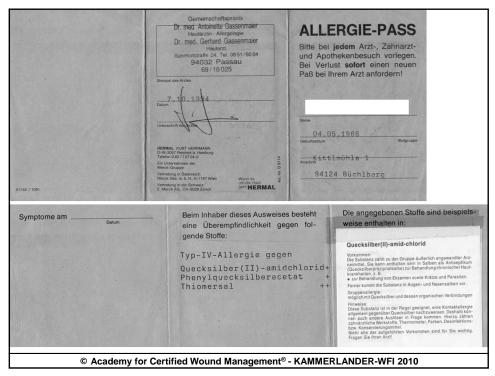
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### LOCAL CORTICOSTEROIDS

In case of allergic or immunological inflammatory processes of the wound or peri-wound skin, topical application of steroids over approximately 1-4 days, is the means of choice.

The risk for skin damage (e.g. telangiectasia, atrophy of the skin, epidermis, dermis, subcutis, sensatory disorders, striae) is large, especially in Cortisones with an active ingredient of over hydrocortisone – acetate 0,5 – 2% application > weeks or months (depending on steroid class 2-4)

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Local cortisone **in principle** should not be applied longer than 1 week in so called skin folds (genital area, pleads, under the breasts, etc.) as occlusion may occur, enhancing the local activity (up to a hundred fold) possibly causing adverse reactions.

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