

extriCARE™ Negative Pressure Wound Therapy (NPWT) System

Instructions for Use

Overview

The extriCARE™ 2400 Negative Pressure Wound Therapy (NPWT) System consists of one AC power cable and one 100cc canister. Dressings, additional canisters, carrying cases, and other accessories are sold separately.

The extriCARE™ device is a battery-operated pump that, when used with the proprietary dressing, creates a negative pressure environment. This may promote and expedite wound healing.

Dressing Application Instructions

01 Wound Cleaning

Before applying the dressing, clean and debride the wound as per usual protocol. Clip hair around wound and where the dressing will be applied. Ensure the skin that will be under the dressing is clean, dry, and free of surfactants and oil. Areas of skin damage must be addressed prior to application of dressing. Use of “skin prep” is also recommended.

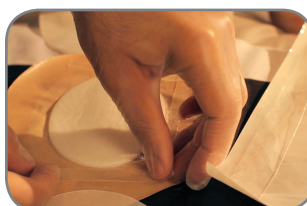
Note About Wound Packing:

If needed, the clinician may loosely place dressing material into areas of depth, undermining, and tunneling. The decision on material used is based on availability and clinician preference.



02 Dressing Preparation

Peel paper protectors off of dressing and stick to the sides of the dressing for ease when applying the Gel strips. Remove the blue film on one side of the Gel strip and place next to, but not touching the gauze pad then remove clear film. Use Gel strips to outline the gauze while overlapping the strips to provide a seal around the wound site.



03 Dressing Application

After dressing has been prepared, place gauze pad over cleaned wound site while avoiding stretching or folding of the dressing. Apply slight pressure where Gel was applied to create a tight seal.



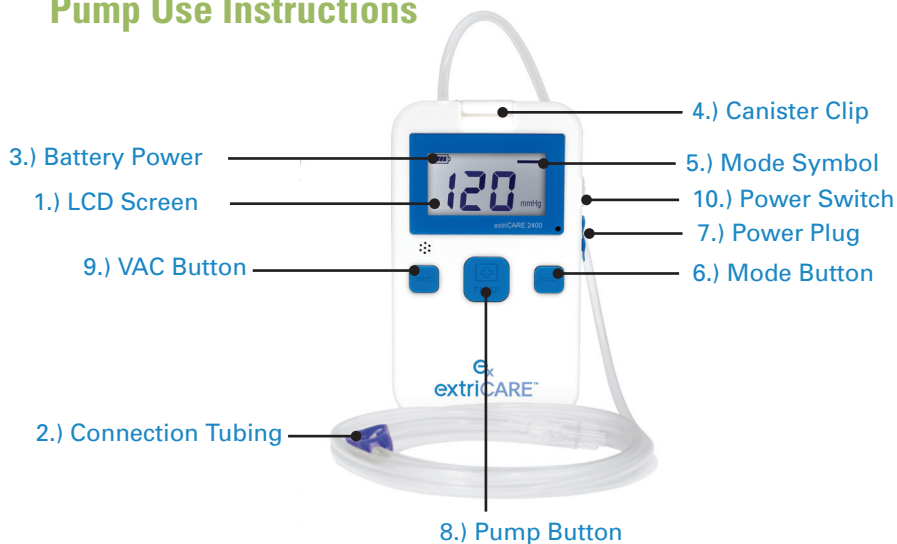
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04 Connecting to the Pump

After placing the dressing on the wound, pat down edges and smooth around dressing with fingers. Attach the tubing to the pump to begin treatment. Carrying case is included for mobility while using this product.



Pump Use Instructions



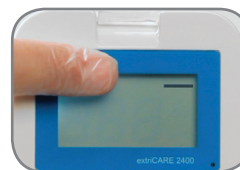
1. **LCD SCREEN:** Indicates the pump operating pressure and displays symbols (also features a blue backlight).
2. **CONNECTION TUBING:** Tubing which connects canister to drainage tubing.
3. **BATTERY POWER:** Indicates how much battery power is left. Icon has 1-4 bars representing 25%, 50%, 75%, and 100% battery power.
4. **CANISTER CLIP:** Clip that connects the canister to the NPWT device.
5. **MODE SYMBOL:** Indicates pump operating mode (continuous or intermittent).
6. **MODE BUTTON:** Allows user to set the pump to either continuous or intermittent mode.
7. **POWER PLUG:** Enables user to charge device.
8. **PUMP BUTTON:** Used to turn pump on or off. Can also be used to exit a setting.
9. **SET BUTTON:** Used to program desired pressure.
10. **POWER SWITCH:** Used to turn the system power on and off.

Step 1: Push the ON/OFF switch down to the ON position.

Step 2: Hold down the VAC button until you hear a beep to adjust the pressure. After the beep, tap the VAC button to change the pressure. Press the center PUMP button to confirm the pressure.

Step 3: Hold down the MODE button until you hear a beep to change the operating mode. After the beep, tap the MODE button to vary between continuous and intermittent mode. Press the center PUMP button to confirm the operating mode.

Step 4: Hold down the PUMP button until you hear a beep. Treatment will begin.



Continuous mode, with pressure



Intermittent mode, with pressure