Dear patient,

Please read the following instructions for use carefully as it contains important information that you should follow when using this medical device. Please contact your healthcare professional if you have any questions.

A specific bottle size is required to ensure that the product can be easily used. For this reason, the bottle containing 7 ml solution is partially filled. This is not a defect.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION AND PERFORMANCE

The LQD® Spray dressing contains chitosan-FH02® in an aqueous solution with a skin-neutral pH. After drying, the spray forms a thin, elastic, transparent film, which is removed as part of standard wound cleaning or remains on the wound until removal during natural skin renewal. As a spray, the product is also suitable for treating wounds that are difficult to reach and/or uneven.

Chitosan consists of the sugar components glucosamine and n-acetylglucosamine, which also occur naturally in the human body, and therefore has excellent biocompatibility. The chitosan-FH02® used in LQD® Spray is produced from shrimp shells in a form to promote maximum wound healing properties. Studies support the performance and tolerance of LQD® Spray.

APPLICATION

The wound should be cleaned according to current best practice.

Before using for the first time, pump the spray nozzle about 5 times until it emits a uniform mist. Please ensure that you aim the spray away from others who could inhale it. The system is then ready for each subsequent use.

If possible, hold the wound in a horizontal position and spray LQD® Spray evenly at a distance of approximately 10 cm.

Allow the spray film to dry uncovered for at least 2 minutes.

If necessary, the wound may be covered with an appropriate secondary dressing.

Please replace the cap after use to prevent the spray nozzle from sticking.

INDICATIONS

LQD® Spray dressing is used for the external, local treatment of chronic wounds (such as leg ulcers), secondary wound healing disorders, acute wounds and epidermal and superficial partial thickness burns.

FREQUENCY OF USE

LQD® Spray can be used as a primary wound dressing for each change of dressing.

NOTES ON APPLICATION

LQD® Spray is not fully effective if used with hydrogels or hydrocolloid dressings or if applied to heavily exuding wounds. Heavy fibrin coatings and necrotic tissue must be removed (debridement) before treatment with LQD® Spray.
CONTRAINDICATIONS
None known.

SIDE EFFECTS
In rare cases, a transient mild burning sensation and temporary skin redness may occur when administered.

When applied as intended according to the indication, no allergic reactions have been reported in connection with LQD® Spray to date.

However, intolerance reactions cannot be excluded with absolute certainty.

WARNINGS/PRECAUTIONS
Make sure that the pump head does not come into contact with the wound.

As a precaution, LQD® Spray should not be used if the bottle or pump system is damaged.

For external use only.

Inhalation or ingestion of the spray should always be avoided. Special caution is recommended in any user, including those applying or in the immediate vicinity of the treatment being applied, where there is a history or suspicion of shellfish allergy.

Do not spray in eyes.

Keep out of sight and reach of children.

There is no information available regarding the use of LQD® Spray by pregnant women or nursing mothers.

STORAGE AND EXPIRY DATE
The expiry date is specified on the label and on the packaging.

Store LQD® Spray at room temperature (15–25°C).

The special pump head system allows the contents to remain sterile for further use once opened.

Use within 6 months of opening.

COMPOSITION
Sterile chitosan-acetate solution 0.75%.
(Chitosan derived from shellfish)

Contains no preservatives.

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