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Choose eakin dot® 2-piece: for a peristomal wound

4 reasons to use:

- 1. Choosing the correct appliance is an important aspect in a person's overall recovery after ostomy surgery.1
- 2. The goal of both nurse and patient is to achieve a predictable, reliable wear time.2
- 3. Peristomal skin irritation is a very common early complication when managing a stoma.
- 4. Peristomal skin problems can be corrected with the appropriate pouching system.3,4

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Patient History:

- 69 year old man with a history of rectal carcinoma treated with chemo and radiotherapy and formation of permanent colostomy
- Independent with stoma care
- Discharged home using 1-piece drainable pouch changed daily





Problems:

- Painful, moist wound under stoma
- Frequent leakages



Nurse recommends eakin dot® 2-piece:

- eakin dot® 2-piece reduces trauma of frequent changes. Base plate changed twice per week
- Nurse also recommends using alginate dressing for 1 week to absorb moisture from wound



Nurse review:

- After 1 week the wound is healing well and alginate dressing is discontinued
- eakin Cohesive SLIMS® added to the stoma care routine to help manage the moisture from the wound
- After 2 weeks, the wound is completely healed and use of eakin dot® 2-piece is continued

Outcome:

- skinsmart hydrocolloid for longer-life wear resulted in a wear time of 3-4 days
- The nurse and patient found eakin **dot**® 2-piece to be easy to use as well as highly effective in the treatment of complex skin problems and in alleviating the effects of skin trauma

Clinical evidence for choosing eakin dot® 2-piece:

- Improves peristomal skin problems
- Ease of use
- skinsmart[™] hydrocolloid for longer-life wear
- Meets the individual needs of ostomates



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