

Tissue Viability Service



What we do

We help to heal your wounds, deal with pain and discomfort and help reduce the risk of infection.



We help with:

- pressure ulcers
- leg ulcers
- burns
- skin grafts
- surgical wounds
- diabetic wounds
- serious wounds
- wounds that are slow to heal



How to use our service

- your nurse or healthcare professional can refer you to our service
- your GP or podiatrist (foot care) can refer you



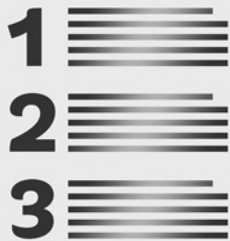


Your appointment

- we usually see you within 5 working days of your referral
- we see you at home or at your health centre

We will ask you about:

- your health
- pain and mobility
- your wound(s)
- medicines you are taking
- if you are eating properly
- treatment you already receive



Next steps

- together, we will make a plan to help you
- we will give you advice
- you will continue to see your normal healthcare professional
- if you don't get better they can contact us again