

Wound Care

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The wound clinic at Hocking Valley Community Hospital uses a multidisciplinary approach including advanced wound care technologies and traditional medical therapies to healing wounds. Patients who suffer from diabetic ulcers, infections and other wounds that do not heal receive a personalized wound management plan.

Do you suffer from chronic wounds, pressure ulcers, diabetic ulcers, bone or skin infections? If you are a diabetic, over time the combination of poor blood flow and diabetic neuropathy inhibits wound recovery. If you have received radiation for cancer, your skin may have incurred injury. If you or your loved one lives with limited mobility, you are at risk for pressure ulcers. Treatment of these kinds of non-healing wounds can be a battle. Our specialty clinic brings together a team of specialists to provide you convenient therapy options.

At HVCH your caregiver might recommend evaluation and monitoring; cleaning and bandaging; patient education; medications; or surgical treatment that includes wound debridement.

Diabetic foot ulcers, radiation wounds, pressure ulcers, surgical incisions and burns are just few of the diagnoses our clinic can help you with.

Not sure if you should seek help yet? Ask yourself, "Has my wound been trying to heal for over 30 days?" "Is there drainage around the wound that produces odor or is discolored?" "Have you ever been diagnosed with diabetes and have a non-healing wound?" If you have answered yes to any of the above questions, we encourage you to contact our office at 740-380-8171 or ask your medical provider for a referral.



"Your knee wound is infected. I can't prescribe an antibiotic. If you don't have a drug plan, I can prescribe 'time' which I understand heals all wounds."