 Documentation: Wound Care Dressing
Quick reference guide
This document outlines how to document a wound care dressing.

Ordering Wound Care Dressing
1. Place an order for Wound Care Dressing and select the most appropriate order from the search results.
2. Document the management plan for the wound dressing in the Order Comments. Include the wound location and dressing change frequency.

3. Ensure PRN is selected in the Order Details

Selecting PRN will ensure the Care Compass task is available in the PRN/Continuous Tab for the clinician to complete at a clinically appropriate time. The task will not drop off until the order is Cancelled/Discontinued.

4. Sign the order

Wound Care Documentation
1. Open the Activities for the patient in Care Compass

2. Select the PRN/Continuous tab to view the PRN tasks

3. Highlight the Wound Care Dressing task and select Document

4. This will open up the Incision/Wound Care band in Interactive View

5. Create a dynamic group for your Wound, if not already completed, by selecting the

6. Enter the relevant Wound description and select OK

7. Enter the relevant details as per the performed wound care dressing

8. Sign the Incision/Wound documentation by selecting the

Flagging the Incision Wound Dressing will also ensure the wound is visible on the Patient Summary page for clinical handover.

Flagged events drop off after 30 days.

Refer to documentation for initial wound management plan.