

<b>Module Title</b> <b>Wound Care</b>	Reference SCQF Level SCQF Points ECTS Points Created Approved Amended Version No.	NU3708 SCQF 9 15 7.5 May 2002 July 2002 August 2016 4
<b>Keywords</b> Pathophysiology; Wound healing; Wound management.		

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**Prerequisites for Module**      **Indicative Student Workload**

None, in addition to course entry requirements or equivalent.

*Contact Hours*

Distance Learning  
20

**Corequisite Modules**

*Directed Study*

80

None.

*Private Study*

50

**Precluded Modules**

None.

**Mode of Delivery**

This module will be delivered online via CampusMoodle.

**Aims of Module**

To develop the students' knowledge and skills relating to wound care.

**Assessment Plan**

	Learning Outcomes Assessed
Component 1	1,2,3,4

**Learning Outcomes for Module**

The module will be assessed by one piece of written coursework.

On completion of this module, students are expected to be able to:

**Indicative Bibliography**

- 1.Examine the pathophysiological processes involved in the healing of wounds.
- 2.Discuss holistic wound assessment and the negotiation and planning of appropriate treatment option/s to manage them effectively.
- 3.Explore the contemporary evidence base and policy drivers relating to wound management.
- 4.Compare and contrast treatment option/s and reflect on the possible or actual outcomes.

- 1.BUSSE, B., 2016. *Wound management in urgent care*. London: Springer.
- 2.HEALTH IMPROVEMENT SCOTLAND (HIS), 2021. *Scottish Wound Assessment and Action Guide (SWAGG)*. [online]. Edinburgh: HIS. Available from: [https://www.healthcareimprovementscotland.org/our\\_work/patient\\_safety/tissue\\_viability\\_resources/wound\\_assessment\\_action\\_guide.aspx](https://www.healthcareimprovementscotland.org/our_work/patient_safety/tissue_viability_resources/wound_assessment_action_guide.aspx) [Accessed 12 January 2022].
- 3.KUMAR, P. and KOTHARI, V., eds., 2021. *Wound health research. Current trends and future directions*. Singapore: Springer Nature Singapore Pte. Limited.
- 4.PEATE, I. and GLENCROSS, W., 2020. *Wound care at a glance*. 2nd ed. Chichester: Wiley-Blackwell.
- 5.PROBST, S., ed., 2020. *Wound care nursing. A person-centred approach*. 3rd ed. Elsevier.

**Indicative Module Content**

The patient experience of wounds; Physical and psychological aspects of planned and unplanned wounds; Pathophysiology; Wound healing process; Factors influencing wound healing process; Wound assessment; Wound classification; Acute wounds; Chronic wounds; Wound management products; Product selection; Evidence based practice/research skills; Holistic care; Pharmacological management; Professional and ethical issues relating to wound care; Reflection and practice development.