

Wound Care ⁵³⁰				
Task / Activity	Self-Assessment / Date	Competency Assessed Y / N	Competency Achieved	Signed off by Clinical Assessor / Date
Tier 2				
<p>Knowledge and Understanding</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrate an understanding of the investigations that may be used to determine the cause and appropriate treatment of a wound <p>Patient Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be able to address where frailty/frailty syndromes may impact on a patient's ability to safely manage a wound at home between appointments • Be able to assess the surrounding skin to asses for signs of vascular disease • Be able to provide a clear rationale for when wound swabs are/are not appropriate⁵³¹ • Be able to elicit the psychological impact of a wound and provide the patient with support and signposting to suitable services • Be able to provide the patient with clear self-management plan^{532 533} 				

⁵³⁰ <https://www.skillsforhealth.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/Wound-Care-Framework-2021.pdf>

⁵³¹ <https://bnf.nice.org.uk/treatment-summaries/skin-infections-antibacterial-therapy/>

⁵³² <https://www.nationalwoundcarestrategy.net/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/Shared-Care-for-Wounds-30.03.20.pdf>

⁵³³ <https://www.nationalwoundcarestrategy.net/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/NWCSP-Looking-after-your-wound-1.pdf>