

**INCREASING KNOWLEDGE OF NURSES ABOUT MODERN WOUND  
CARE DRESSING (HYDROCOLLOID) IN DIABETIC ULCER  
PATIENTS THROUGH POCKET BOOK MEDIA**

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**SUMARRY**

**Background** : Diabetes mellitus is a disease that occurs due to decreased insulin secretion, resulting in an increase in blood glucose levels. One of the complications that often occur in people with diabetic is complications in the legs, which are about 15%, namely diabetic ulcer. Diabetic wound treatment can effectively prevent amputation of the leg. To prevent amputation of diabetic ulcers is wound care. Wound care with modern dressings heal wounds faster because they use the principle of moisture balance. Hydrocolloid is a modern dressing that functions to keep the wound moist, protects the wound from trauma, prevents the wound from becoming infected, and is able to absorb exudate. Lack of public knowledge, especially diabetic about wound care with hydrocolloid bandages requires the right media as a means of health education, one of which is a pocket book. **Method** : scientific papers made through the media of information and education using an output, namely in the form of a pocket book. **Result** : the output is a pocket boook media for modern dressing wound care with hydrocolloid, this pocket book can provide benefits to the general public, especially diabetics sufferers. **Conclusion** : It is hoped that this pocket book can add insight and knowledge of diabetics to take advantage of modern dressings hydrocolloid for healing foot wounds in diabetics as a safe and effective way of healing.

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