APPLICATION OF MOIST WOUND HEALING CARE IN DIABETIC ULCER PATIENTS IN SRAGEN COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER

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ABSTRACT

Background: Diabetic wounds are chronic DM wounds characterized by open wounds on the surface of the skin accompanied by death of tissue around the wound. Moist wound healing is a method to maintain wound moisture by using a moistureretaining dressing, so that wound healing and tissue growth can occur naturally. **Objective:** To describe the results of the implementation of moist wound healing wound care on diabetic ulcer wounds at the Sragen Health Center, Sragen Regency. **Method:** Descriptive case study with moist wound healing at the Sragen Health Center with the application carried out for 3 consecutive days using the Bates-Jensen Wound Assessment Tool. Results: The application of the final comparison results between the two respondents was in Mrs. S after undergoing moist wound healing method treatment which was initially 28 (Wound Regeneration) decreased to 19 (Wound Regeneration) while in Mrs. Y the initial wound measurement results were 25 (Wound Regeneration) and decreased to 15 (Wound Regeneration). The comparison of the final results between the two respondents for the wound measurement results was 9:10. Conclusion: Wound care using the moist wound healing method is effective for healing diabetic ulcers.

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