WatchCare™ Incontinence Management System

Information that elevates care.
The WatchCare™ Incontinence Management System provides caregivers with real-time incontinence detection and is designed to:

- **PROTECT**
  PATIENT’S SKIN

- **OPTIMIZE**
  CAREGIVER EFFECTIVENESS

- **IMPROVE**
  PATIENT EXPERIENCE
Incontinence is common in the hospital setting.\textsuperscript{1}
45% of incontinent patients have IAD during their hospital stay:¹
29.7% of patients with IAD have urinary incontinence alone:¹
IAD functions as an independent risk factor for pressure injuries:
Incontinence Detection and Hourly Rounding

Rounding does **NOT** appropriately address incontinence and incontinence interferes with hourly rounding.

WOULD YOU WANT TO LAY IN YOUR OWN EXCREMENT?³

HOURLY ROUNDDING IS NOT ENOUGH.⁴

Staff begin to worry about patient experience and skin health 10 minutes after an incontinence event.²
Single Exposure to Clinically Relevant Levels of Moisture Contained by an Incontinence Pad Compromises Skin Health

Studies have shown that skin is compromised within 15 minutes of exposure to a single event.\(^5\)

70% experienced skin irritation within 1 hour.
Evaluation of an Incontinence Management System in the Critical Care Environment: A Case Series

The incontinence management system **prioritized care**, improved staff workflow and **preserved patient dignity** for overall higher quality of care for patients with urinary and/or liquid fecal incontinence.

**Case Study Highlights:**

- Neuro-ICU
- Measured 10 patients, 79 incontinence events
- Decreased Exposure Time: 54 minutes → 9 minutes
- Provided a less invasive option in comparison to a Foley catheter
- Provided a voice for the patient
- Patients’ family members expressed appreciation

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WatchCare™ Incontinence Management System:

HOW IT WORKS

**MONITOR**
Monitoring system installs under the mattress on VersaCare® and Progressa® beds.

**DETECT**
Absorbent smart pads detect moisture and alert the system.

**INFORM**
Customizable notifications enable prompt, individualized care.
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References

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