**NB Any patient’s with Diabetes presenting with heel/foot pressure ulcers should be referred urgently to Specialist Podiatry.**

**Referrals to be completed by a Registered Healthcare Professional**

**Incomplete or illegible referrals will result in a delay and will be returned**

**Have you consulted the NHS FV Illustrated Care plans for each grade of Pressure Ulcer?**

[Tissue Viability – Departments A-Z (scot.nhs.uk)](https://staffnet.fv.scot.nhs.uk/departments/tissue-viability/?preview_id=5615&preview_nonce=6fbf4743ed&_thumbnail_id=-1&preview=true) or [NHS Forth Valley – Tissue Viability](https://nhsforthvalley.com/health-services/az-of-services/tissue-viability/)

[Pressure Ulcer Risk Assessment and Prevention Guide](https://staffnet.fv.scot.nhs.uk/departments/wp-content/uploads/sites/16/2021/03/Pressure_Ulcer_Risk_Assessment__Prevention_Guideline-Updated-Version-1-May-2020_final.docx%20)

**Have you consulted the Wound Management Formulary for advice in the first instance?**

[Wound Management Formulary](https://staffnet.fv.scot.nhs.uk/departments/wp-content/uploads/sites/16/2022/11/Wound-Management-Formulary-2022-final.docx) or Tissue Viability Website

[Tissue Viability – Departments A-Z (scot.nhs.uk)](https://staffnet.fv.scot.nhs.uk/departments/tissue-viability/?preview_id=5615&preview_nonce=6fbf4743ed&_thumbnail_id=-1&preview=true) or [NHS Forth Valley – Tissue Viability](https://nhsforthvalley.com/health-services/az-of-services/tissue-viability/)

**\* PLEASE ATTACH WOUND PHOTOGRAPHS AS APPROPRIATE TO THIS REFERRAL (if not available on Morse)**

**SEND FULLY COMPLETED REFERRALS TO*:*** **fv.tissueviability@nhs.scot**

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| **PATIENT INFORMATION**  | **Date:** |
| **Name:** |  | **D.O.B:** |
| **CHI:** |
| **Address & postcode:** |  |
| **G.P. Name & Address:** |  | **Consultant:** |

**Referrer’s details or person to contact with regards referral**

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| **Name:** |  |
| **Contact Number:** |  |
| **Email Address:** |  |
| **Base:** |  |
| **Role:** |  |

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| **Reason For Referral to TVS:** |  |
| **PMH:****- REASON FOR ADMISSION: If an inpatient in acute /community hospital** | **MEDICATION and any ALLERGIES please list****(TVS are unable to access Hepma)** |
| **Is the patient aware of the referral?** **If no, please state why.** |  |
| **Any Risk to Staff?**  |  |

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| **PRESSURE ULCER DETAILS** |
| **DURATION?: WEEKS- MONTHS- YEARS-** |
| **Admitted to hospital with PU - Yes/ No**  | **Hospital Acquired PU – Yes/No** |
| **Has IR1 been completed?:** |  |
| **GRADE: Please see grading tool:** Grade 3 Grade 4 SDTI Ungradable |
| [**Scottish Adaptation of the European Pressure Ulcer Grading Tool**](https://staffnet.fv.scot.nhs.uk/departments/wp-content/uploads/sites/16/2024/03/Scottish-Adaptation-of-the-European-Pressure-Ulcer-Advisory-Panel.pdf?rand=p6agxtbz0bi%20) |
| Has there been any previous pressure damage? When and Grade? |
| **Name of Pressure Ulcer Risk Assessment Tool:**  | **State Risk/Score:**  |

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| **Surface: What is the patient currently:** | **Sitting On**? (bed/chair/riserrecliner/sofa etc) | Any pressure relieving Cushion: |
| **Sleeping On**? bed/chair/riserrecliner/sofa etc)**Offloading Heels?** | Any Pressure relieving Mattress: |
| **Skin Assessment** | Is peri-wound skin intact Yes/NoComments |
| **Keep Moving** | What is current repositioning regime? |
| **Incontinence/ Moisture** | Any current Issues?State Management Regime: |
| **Nutrition** | Weight: MUST Score:BMI:Current Management as applicable: |

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| **Please list any posture or positioning problems, including concordance:** |

**DESCRIPTION OF PRESSURE DAMAGE:**

**Anatomical Location:**

**Please mark the position on the body map below**

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| **WOUND DIMENSIONS** (CM/MM) | **Length** |  | **Width** |  | **Depth** |  |
| **WOUND BED TISSUE****Complete in %** | **Necrosis/black** | **Slough/yellow**  |
| **Granulation/red** | **Epithelialising/pink** |
| **Hypergranulation** | **Any undermining tracking?** **Length/ depth (mm)** |
| **EXUDATE LEVEL**[**NHS Forth Valley Exudate Pathway**](https://staffnet.fv.scot.nhs.uk/departments/wp-content/uploads/sites/16/2019/03/Exudate-pathway.pdf?rand=h6uy1vo5uvw) | **Saturated/leaking**  | **Wet**  | **Dry/moist**  |
| **EXUDATE TYPE**[**NHS Forth Valley Exudate Pathway**](https://staffnet.fv.scot.nhs.uk/departments/wp-content/uploads/sites/16/2019/03/Exudate-pathway.pdf?rand=h6uy1vo5uvw) | **Clear/****Straw**  | **Red/pink**  | **Cloudy/milky/creamy**  | **Green/yellow/****Bluish??**  | **Yellow/brown**  |
| **ANY CLINICAL SIGNS OF INFECTION?** | **If yes****List them:** |  | **Has a swab been taken for culture?** | **When:** | **Result:** |
| **PAIN PRESENT? NOCICEPTIVE? OR NEUROPATHIC?**  | **Scale: 0 1 2 3 4 5** | **Current Pain Management?** |
| **State present wound treatment regime and how long in use:** |
| **Past wound treatments as applicable:** |

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| **What is the patient’s attitude/behaviour towards their current treatment/management?:** |

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| **Any Referrals to Other Services as Applicable?** | **Dates** |
| Orthotics |  |
| OT |  |
| Physio |  |
| Podiatry |  |
| Vascular |  |
| Dermatology |  |
| Other e.g. Dietician, wheelchair service |  |