# **MARATHON**<sup>®</sup>

#### No-sting skin protectant with 100% cyanoacrylate formula

Marathon<sup>®</sup> is a no-sting liquid barrier, with a 100% cyanoacrylate-based formula, designed to protect the skin from the negative effects of moisture, shear and friction.<sup>1</sup>

#### Ostomies

Including tracheostomies, colostomies, urostomies, etc.<sup>2</sup>

## Skin damage

Covering pressure ulcers (PU), grades I and II, superficial burns and abrasions, surgical wound-surrounding tissue.<sup>2</sup>

#### Catheters

For use with suprapubic catheters, percutaneous endoscopic gastrostomy (PEG) tubes, surgical drains, etc.

#### **Skin lesions**

For use in cases of medical device-related lesions, such as nasal canulae, continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP) masks, negative pressure therapy devices, etc.<sup>3</sup>

#### **Mechanical barrier**

Intended to provide physical skin protection when applying adhesive devices, such as dressings or colostomy wafers.<sup>2</sup>













## **Correct activation and application methods**



One-handed method



When two hands are needed



Standard method



Drip method



**Note:** Do not try to bend or snap the tube to activate.

#### **Pure skin protection**



<sup>1</sup>Fletcher J, Beeckman D, Boyles A et al (2020) International Best Practice Recommendations: Prevention and management of moisture-associated skin damage (MASD). Wounds International. Available online at www.woundsinternational.com <sup>2</sup>Kevin Y. Woo, PhD, NP, is Assistant Professor, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, Canada. Dimitri Beeckman, PhD, RN, is Professor, University Centre for Nursing and Midwifery. Ghent University, Ghent, Belgium. Debashish Chakravarthy, PhD, is Vice President, Medline Industries, Inc, Northfield, Illinois. The authors have disclosed that they have no financial relationships related to this article. Submitted December 15, 2016; accepted in revised form March 27, 2017. <sup>1</sup>Margi R, Gefera A. Evaluation of facial tissues stresses under medical devices post application of a cyanoacrylate liquid skin protectant: An integrated experimental-computational study. Int Wound J. 2022 Mar;19(3):615-632. doi: 10.1111/iwj.13660. Epub 2021 Aug 17. PMID: 34402167; PMCID: PMC8874053.

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