

Fresenius Kabi guidelines on how to take an image of a wound

1. Ensure the image of the wound is clear and in focus, with the correct lighting.
2. Always have a completed Fresenius Kabi wound ruler in the image. If the ruler is unavailable, put a tape measure beside the wound and include a label within the photograph. This label must state the patients identity, initials, date of birth, date of photograph was taken, location of the wound and cause of wound.
3. Ensure all aspects of the wound are visible including wound bed, peri wound and wound edge.
4. Keep the camera at the correct angle.
5. Ensure the correct distance when taking the image. Don't be too far away from the image and don't be too close that the edges aren't visible.
6. Please always maintain patient dignity when taking images.

