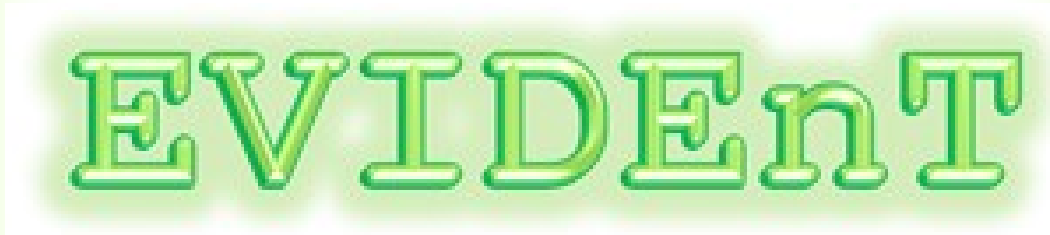


Child Information

Under 10 year olds



We would like to ask if you could take part in this research study.

This leaflet will explain why the study is being done and what will happen if you take part.

Talk about it with your family, doctor or nurse if you would like.

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What is the study for?

It is to test a new burns dressing (called Smartwound™).
A dressing is a special plaster.

The new dressing will not be tested on you.

Your old dressings will be used to test the new dressing
in the science laboratory

Why are you doing this study?

If someone gets too many germs in their burn they get
an infection and it can make them unwell.

The new Smartwound™ dressing will change colour and
show doctors and nurses when there are too many
germs in the burn.

Why are you asking me?

We are asking everybody

- ⇒ That has a burn and feels unwell
- ⇒ After two days of having a burn but do not feel un-
well

Do I have to take part?

No, it's up to you.

If you don't want to take part you don't need to say why
and your hospital care will stay the same.

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What happens if I do take part?

when you are having your dressing changed
We would take your old normal dressings



and wipe your burn with some gauze



and wipe your burn with two swabs



Then after 2 or 3 weeks we would ask you and your family some questions about your burn. This might be in clinic, at the hospital or on the phone.

Why would it be good for me to take part?

You will be helping us to understand burn infection better and this could help people with burns in the future.

Will anything bad happen because of the study?

No, everything we collect would normally go in the bin or get cleaned away when we normally change your dressing.

What will happen to my dressing and swabs?

They will be put in a fridge, and then they will be sent to the laboratory, where they will be used to test the Smartwound™ dressing.

What if I change my mind?

That's fine, you can say no at any time.

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What will happen to what we find out?

We will send you a letter with the results and we will write in healthcare newspapers and talk about what we find at meetings.

Who has checked the study?

This study has been checked by a health research committee and the hospital research team.

A group of parents and young people have checked this leaflet.

If you don't understand something about the study or have any questions you can ask your family or your nurse



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