

Taking a photograph of your wound

Why should you take a photograph of your wound?



Clinical reasons

- ✓ To help a doctor or nurse to assess your wound and provide the right treatment
- ✓ To see how the wound changes over time
- ✓ To help if you see a different doctor or nurse
- ✓ To help spot if a wound is getting worse



Personal reasons

- ✓ Peace of mind
- ✓ So that you can see how your wound is changing
- ✓ It may be more convenient as you may not need to travel to the clinic or surgery

Ask your clinician for a leaflet explaining how to take a photograph of your wound.

Alternatively, scan the QR code or visit:

[nationalwoundcarestrategy.net/
wound-care-patient-resources](https://nationalwoundcarestrategy.net/wound-care-patient-resources)

