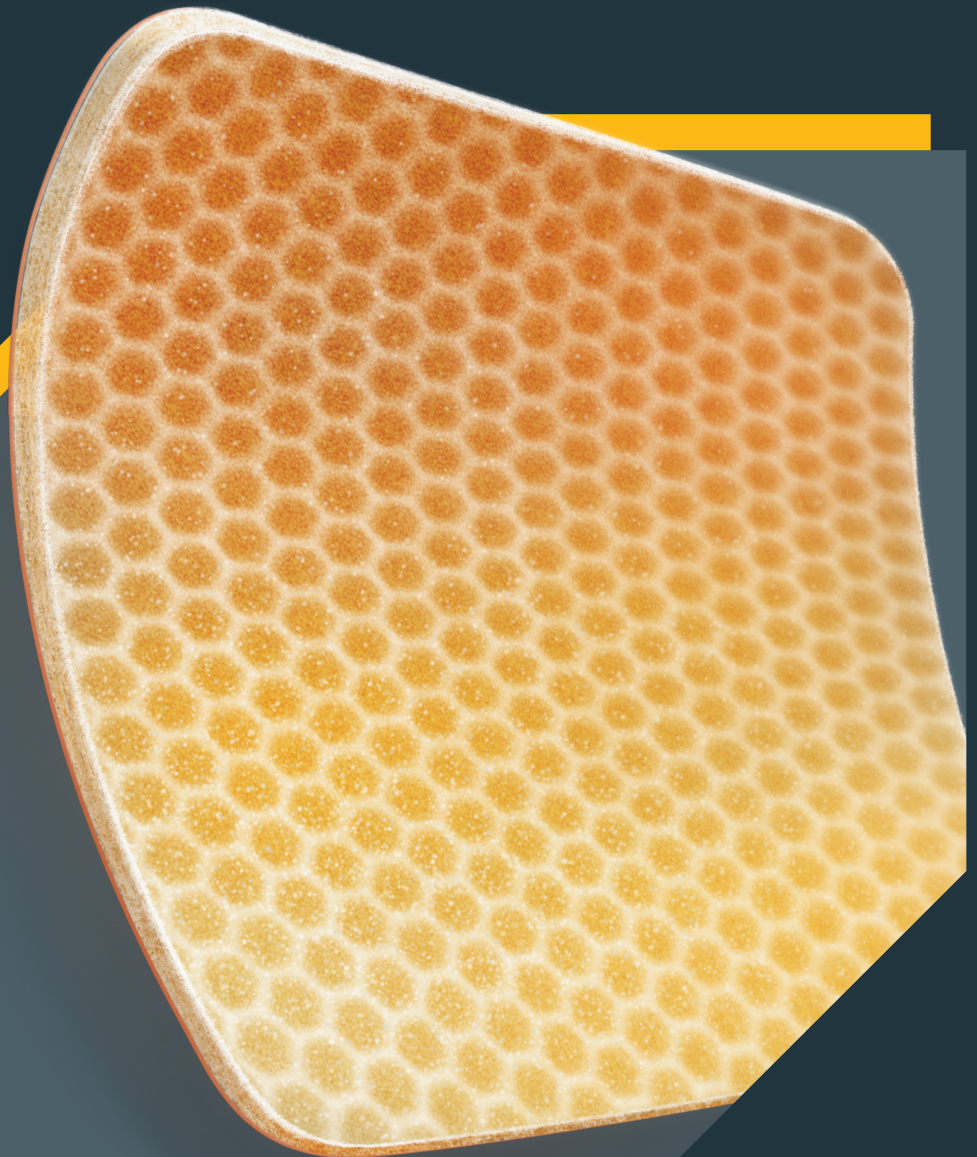


# Create the optimal wound healing environment with 100% sterile, medical-grade Manuka honey

**Advanced  
Wound Care**



## The wound-healing potential of 100% Manuka honey

Hard-to-heal wounds can be painful for patients and **challenging to treat** for clinicians. The unique properties found in honey can help you manage the different factors that delay healing in acute and chronic wounds—and deliver better outcomes.

In one study\*, the use of 100% Manuka honey gel resulted in:



**68% average**  
reduction in  
wound area  
measurement



**85% average**  
reduction in  
visually assessed  
necrotic tissue



**Three patients**  
achieving wound  
closure prior to  
the study's end

\*Purpose of the study was to evaluate the use of TheraHoney gel in transferring exudate while maintaining moisture without wound maceration. Seven patients with necrotic wound beds who could not undergo sharps debridement were chosen for a four-week study.

# Discover why honey is the natural solution

TheraHoney products contain 100% sterile, medical-grade Manuka honey with no fillers or additives. Honey is well-tolerated by patients and helps promote healing in hard-to-treat wounds. Its high sugar content and low water activity result in osmotic pressure that promotes **autolytic debridement** of necrotic tissue and creates a moist wound healing environment.

## Explore the 3 key benefits of TheraHoney



### Promotes natural debridement

Honey's high sugar levels (87%) help clear away necrotic tissue, maintain a moist wound environment for healing and reduce wound odor.



### Decreases wound pH

High wound pH can be a barrier to healing. The use of Manuka honey dressing is associated with a statistically significant decrease in wound pH.

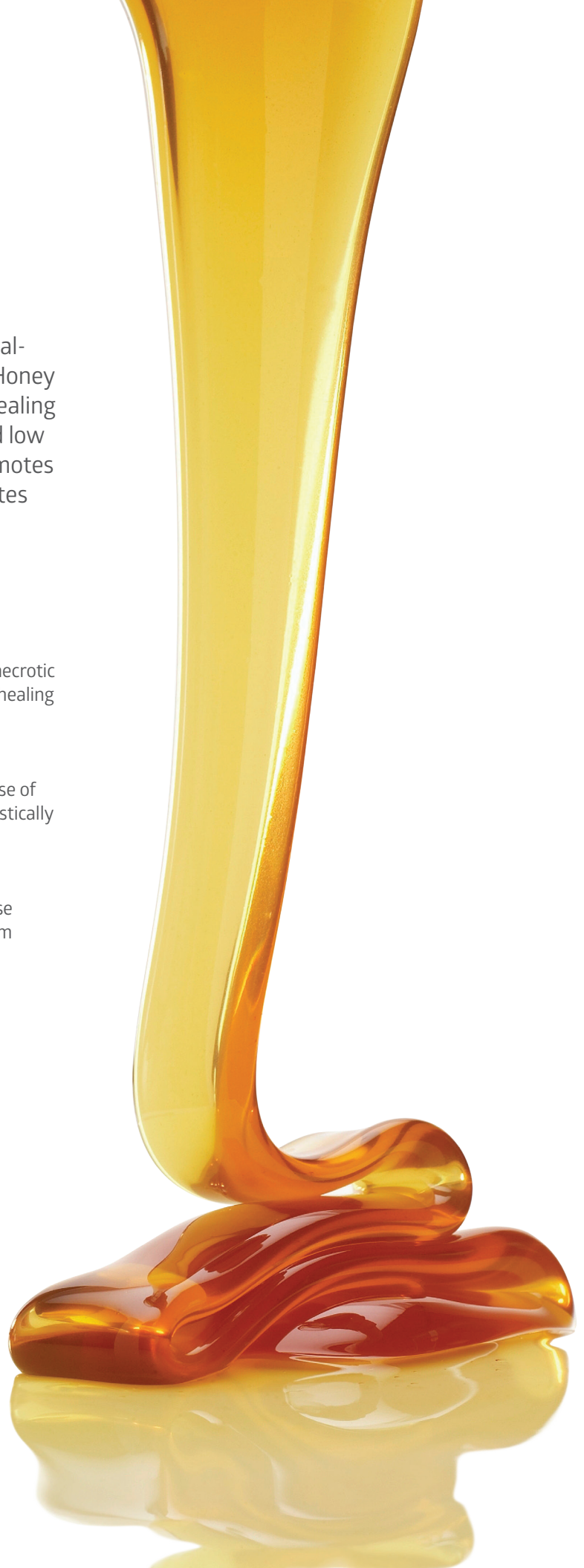


### Reduces wound odor underneath

Wounds can smell for a variety of reasons. The use of honey is known to reduce odors stemming from the wound bed.

## How it's made

Manuka honey is derived from the pollen and nectar of the *Leptospermum scoparium* plant in New Zealand. The honeycomb is used only one time, and once harvested, the honey is carefully filtered, irradiated and tested in a laboratory for high efficacy.



# Empower staff with the right tools and improve outcomes

We offer a variety of honey products to meet your patients' unique needs. Our portfolio includes four clinical options for hard-to-heal chronic wounds: foam, gel, sheet and HD dressing.

TheraHoney products are recommended for use on:

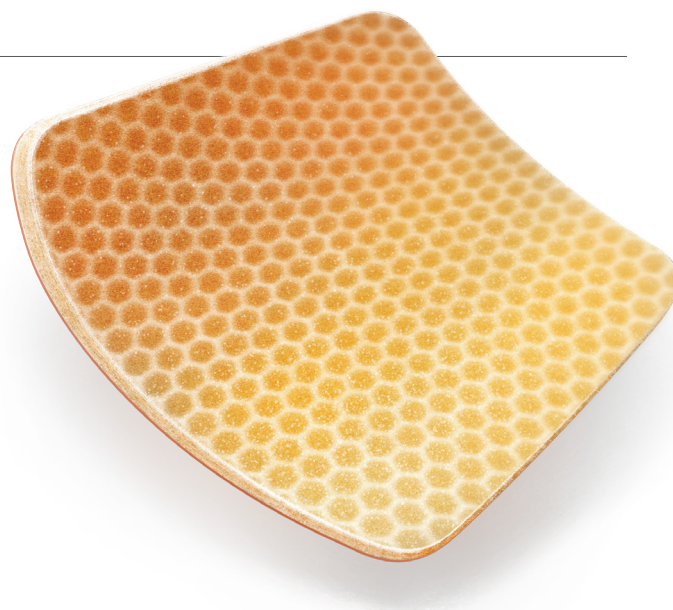
1. Partial and full-thickness wounds
2. Leg ulcers
3. Pressure injuries
4. First- and second-degree burns
5. Diabetic foot ulcers
6. Surgical wounds and trauma wounds
7. Minor abrasions, lacerations, minor cuts and minor scalds and burns

## Increase absorption while promoting autolytic debridement

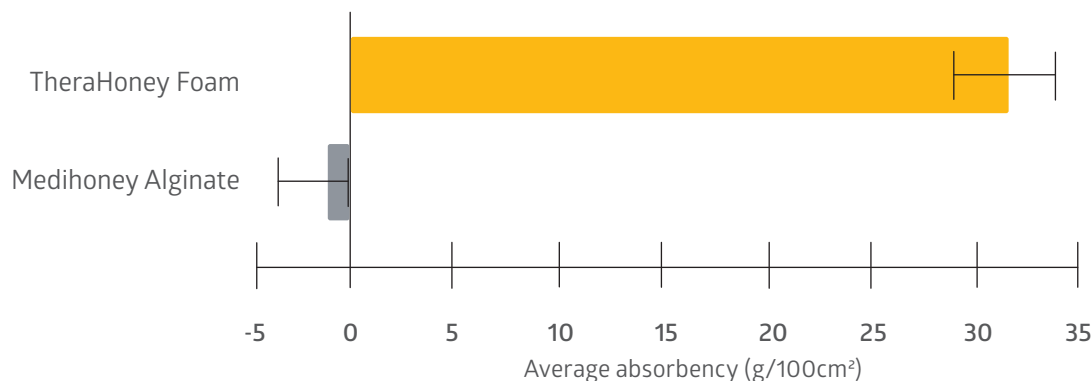
**Foam Flex Honey-Impregnated Wound Dressing** is the only honey-embedded foam dressing in the market. Its dual layer of 100% *Leptospermum scoparium* medical-grade honey and foam creates an optimal balance between moisture and absorption.

### Key benefits:

- Can be used on wounds with any drainage level
- Foam layer helps reduce risk of maceration
- Reimbursable as a foam dressing A6209
- No secondary dressing needed



### Absorbency Testing<sup>4</sup>



<sup>1</sup>Dr. Peter Molan, Honey Research Unit, Department of Biological Sciences, University of Waikato, Hamilton, New Zealand. Molan PC. Debridement of wounds with honey. *Journal of Wound Technology*. 2009; 5:12-17. <sup>2</sup>Gethin GT, Cowman S, Conroy RM. The impact of Manuka honey dressings on the surface pH of chronic wounds. *International Wound Journal*. 2008; 5(2):185-194. Available at: <http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/18494624>. Accessed November 6, 2014. <sup>3</sup>Wahab N. Promotion of autolytic debridement by maintaining a moist wound healing environment via the use of medical grade honey in a long term acute care setting. Presented at: The Clinical Symposium on Advances in Skin and Wound Care; October 2013; Orlando FL. <sup>4</sup>Livingston M. The use of *Leptospermum* (manuka) honey gel to manage wounds that have significant presence of necrotic tissue. Presented at: The Wound, Ostomy and Continence Society's 45th Annual Conference; June 2013; Seattle, WA.



# TheraHoney Wound Gel, TheraHoney Sheet, TheraHoney HD Sheet

## Treat difficult-to-dress wounds

**Honey Wound Gel** is easy to apply and provides a moist wound healing environment to help promote autolytic debridement.

**Key benefits:**

- Can be used on wounds with no to moderate drainage
- Unlike the leading competitor gel, TheraHoney gel contains 100% Manuka honey

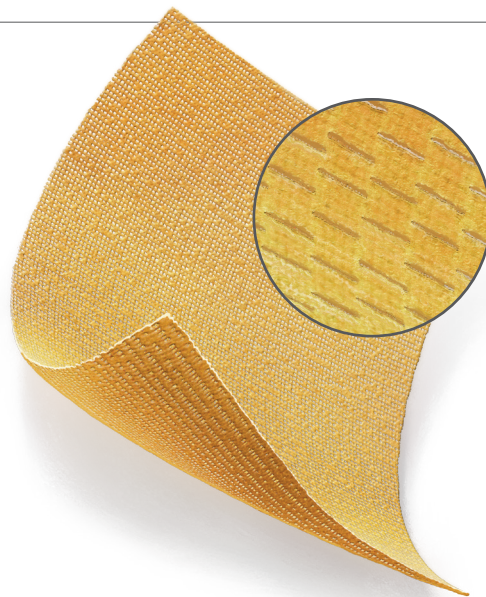


## Create a custom-fitting dressing

**Honey Wound Dressing Sheet** helps advance healing while permitting the passage of exudate into a secondary dressing.

**Key benefits:**

- Can be used on wounds with any drainage level
- Easy to apply and cut to size
- Porous texture allows for passage of exudate into a secondary dressing



Enlarged to show fenestration detail

## Get twice as much honey

**TheraHoney HD Sheet** has all the benefits of the traditional TheraHoney Sheet, with double the honey.

**Key benefits:**

- Can be used on wounds with any drainage level
- Available in two sheet sizes
- Includes "ribbon" option for tunneling or undermining wounds



Also available in a ribbon

## Ordering information:



### Foam Flex Honey-Impregnated Wound Dressing

Item No.	Description	Pkg.	HCPC
MNK1344	TheraHoney Flex, 4 x 4" (10.2 x 10.2 cm)	10/bx	A6209

The only  
honey-embedded  
foam dressing  
currently on the  
CMS fee schedule

### Honey Wound Gel

Item No.	Description	Pkg.	HCPC
MNK0005	TheraHoney Gel, 0.5 oz	10/bx	A4649*
MNK0015	TheraHoney Gel, 1.5 oz	12/cs	A4649*



### Honey Wound Dressing Sheet

Item No.	Description	Pkg.	HCPC
MNK0077	TheraHoney Sheet, 4 x 5" (10.2 x 12.7 cm)	10/bx	A4649*

### HD Honey Wound Dressings

Item No.	Description	Pkg.	HCPC
MNK0082	TheraHoney HD, 2 x 2" (5.1 x 5.1cm)	10/bx	A4649*
MNK0087	TheraHoney HD, 4 x 5" (10.2 x 12.7 cm)	10/bx	A4649*
MNK0089	TheraHoney HD Rope, 1 x 12" (2.6cm x 0.5cm)	10/bx	A4649*



Add H to the end of the item no. to get an each SKU

\*The current physician fee schedule does not price for HCPC A4649.

## Make skin health second nature

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