# Control your riskControl your outcomes

The PICO System is the first
Negative Pressure Wound
Therapy System, to be indicated
to aid in the reduction of the
incidence of both superficial
and deep incisional SSIs for high
risk patients in Class I and II
wounds, post-operative seroma
and dehiscence when used on
closed surgical incisions\*

\*PICO 7/14 sNPWT, for up to 7 days of therapy.

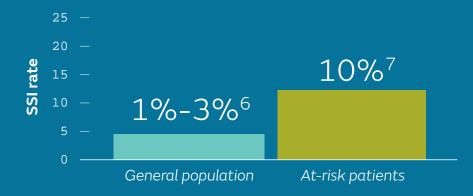
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Single Use Negative Pressure Wound Therapy System



## Higher risk demands higher standards



The rate of surgical incision complications for at-risk orthopedic patients is higher than it is for the general population.<sup>6,7</sup>

7x

The combination of obesity with diabetes revealed a nearly sevenfold increase in periprosthetic knee infections when compared with obese patients without diabetes.

### How do you define high risk?

Certain comorbidities are believed to be the main culprits:9



Diabetes



Obesity



Immune deficiency



Hypertension



Smoking

## More procedures – and more risk

An aging population means a projected increase in total joint arthroplasty (TJA) procedures – and complications from those procedures.<sup>1,2</sup>

The most common surgical site complications for total joint replacement procedures are:



### Surgical site infection

The number one reason for readmissions after total joint surgery<sup>3</sup>



### **Prolonged drainage**

Shown to increase the risk of infection by:

- 42% following a total hip arthroplasty (THA)<sup>4</sup>
- 29% following a total knee arthroplasty (TKA)<sup>6</sup>



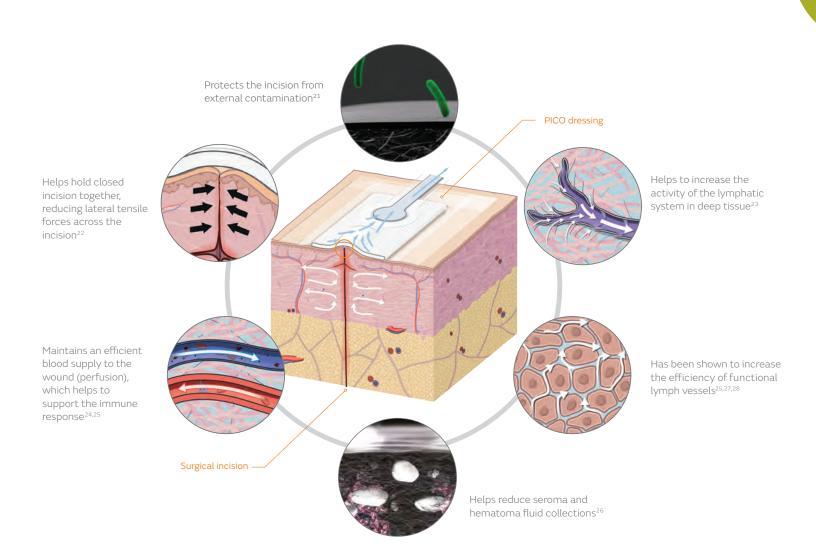
#### **Dehiscence**

In one study, 43% of the procedures in which patients developed dehiscence were considered failures<sup>5</sup>

## Does standard incision care meet your standards?

PICO sNPWT is a negative pressure wound therapy system with a proprietary mode of action that can help raise the level of care for orthopedic surgical incisions:

- Manages low to moderate levels of exudate<sup>10-12</sup>
- Canister-free and portable, which can help improve patient mobility<sup>14,15</sup> and increase satisfaction rates<sup>16</sup>
- Provides therapy for up to seven or 14 days
- Delivers compression-like therapy to the incision and its margins<sup>13,15,16</sup>
- May improve scar quality<sup>17-20</sup>



## Where negative pressure meets positive outcomes

In a randomized controlled trial, the PICO<sup>o</sup> sNPWT System has been shown to:

- Reduce superficial SSCs by up to 76% while also reducing exudate, length of stay and dressing changes<sup>25</sup>
- Save an estimated \$8,800
   per high-risk patient following primary
   hip and knee arthroplasty, compared
   to standard care<sup>27</sup>

See more case studies at: possiblewithpico.com

### Case studies

#### High-risk patient with total hip replacement

65-year-old female with hypertension, diabetes, BMI 35 kg/m², osteoarthritis







Individual results will vary.

### High-risk patient with knee implant

77-year-old male with hypertension and osteoarthritis







### **Patient** satisfaction, powered by PICO<sup>\$</sup> sNPWT

The PICO sNPWT System features a portable, canister-free design that has been shown to increase patient satisfaction rates across the clinical spectrum vs tNPWT.<sup>16</sup>

- May improve scar quality<sup>17-20</sup>
- Portable system allows patients the freedom to continue daily activities<sup>14</sup>
- Gentle silicone adhesive makes application and removal easy $^{14}$  while minimizing pain upon removal  $^{11,17-20}$
- Waterproof dressing, allowing patients the ability to shower<sup>14</sup>
- Quiet system better enables patients to sleep<sup>14</sup>
- Now offering therapy for up to 14 days with PICO 14 System



#### Important Safety Information

The PICO pumps contain a MAGNET. Keep the PICO pumps at least 4 inches (10 cm) away from other medical devices at all times. As with all electrical medical equipment, failure to maintain appropriate distance may disrupt the operation of nearby medical devices.

see Instructions for Use (IFU) for indications, contraindications, warnings, precautions and other important information

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