

### 1. PATIENT CHARACTERISTICS

- **Gender:** Male
- **Age:** 54
- **Problem description:**  
Highly macerated ulcers on front of right foot
- **Duration of the wound:**  
Right foot consistently problematic since 2012
- **Main co-morbidities:**
  - Diabetes mellitus, insulin dependent
  - Chronic Stage 3 renal failure
- **Location of wound:**  
Left plantar, right second toe plantar. Wound depth difficult to determine.

### 2. PREVIOUS TREATMENT

- **Location of care:** Homebased
- **Previous Wound therapy used:** Aquacel and Cutimed Sorbact

### 3. INITIAL TREATMENT

- **Preparation: What sort of debridement?**
  - Sharp debridement with curette
  - Vacutex left completely covering the wound, right drain in second toe
  - Right cutting
- **Moisture Level:**  
Right heavily
- **Wound bed:**  
Granulation tissue
- **Why use Vacutex?**  
Drain of the exudate
- **Dressing changes:**  
Once a day
- **Results with vacutex:**  
Maceration is significantly reduced

## 4. PICTURES



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