



# Wounds Australia 2018

ADVANCING HEALING HORIZONS:  
TOWARDS THE CUTTING EDGE IN WOUND CARE

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# **Declaration of Financial Interests or Relationships**

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I have no financial interest or relationship(s) to disclose

One patient at a time

Dr Donald R Laub of Stanford University, who pioneered the idea that reconstructive plastic surgery could rehabilitate, reintegrate and transform lives-



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# THE LANCET Commission on Global Surgery

- An estimated 143 million people each year go without surgical attention they urgently need, according to the **Lancet Commission on Global Surgery**
- More than 99 million of those cases are in Asia and Oceania, where Interplast works
- Following 33 years of activity, Interplast has conducted 40,506 patient consultations, 23,440 surgeries over 750 programs across 25 countries in the Asia Pacific region
- [www.interplast.org.au](http://www.interplast.org.au)

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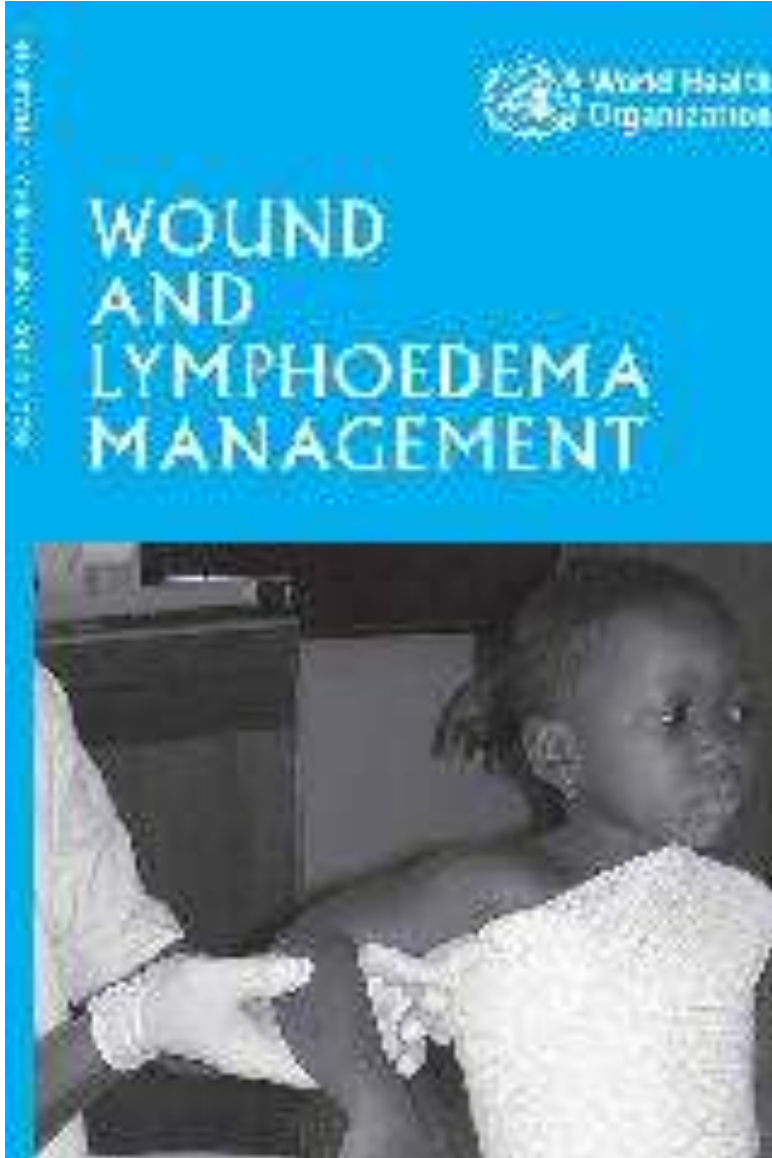












## WAWLC

- In 2007 a group of wound care providers from around the world, were asked to write a White Paper for the World Health Organization (WHO)
- WAWLC is a global partnership which was officially launched at a meeting in Geneva, Switzerland in October 2009
- The White Paper titled "Wound and Lymphoedema Management" was published in 2010



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## WAWLC objectives:

- To raise awareness of the importance of chronic wounds and lymphoedema, and their economic and social impacts;
- Develop global policy on modern wound and lymphoedema management;
- Support countries to develop the capacity necessary to utilize current knowledge on wound and lymphoedema in the care of patients;
- Contribute to strengthening the health systems in affected countries in order to achieve objective and to support research aimed at improving the management of wound and lymphoedema.





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## WAWLC's work focuses on six key pillars:

- Advocacy
- Resource mobilization
- Global coordination and networking
- Country support
- Effective interventions and research
- Monitoring and evaluation



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# Review and Update of International Aid Wound Kits

- Oral and parenteral drugs (analgesics, antibiotics...)
- Reusable materials (clamps, scissors...)
- **Non-reusable materials (bandage, dressings...)**
  
- Less than 30 basic items
- Less than 23 kg and less than 0.2 m<sup>3</sup>
- Could potentially be constituted at local level
- Similar price



# Consensus conferences to define new kit

## Workshop for consensus

- WAWLC, MSF, EWMA, HUG, Saf W
- In coordination with WHO

EWMA Copenhagen 2013

EWMA Madrid 2014

EWMA London 2015

CAWC Toronto 2015

First list of essential material : 42 item

Prototype of the kit : 26 items

15 kg

0.1 m<sup>3</sup>

**Kit for wound care essential material in low resource setting**  
**Kit pour matériel essentiel de soins de plaie en situation à ressources limitées**

Kit intended for medical or nursing staff, containing the supplies needed for treating 50 dressings.  
 Can be used during emergencies or in health centers.  
 Peut être utilisé dans les centres d'urgence ou dans un centre de santé.  
 Peut être complété par le module "désinfection" et le module "équipement de personnel".

	Item	Size	Packaging	Nombre pour un kit de 50 pansements
<b>Dress and dressing / Gaze et pansement</b>				
1	Non-sterile gauze sterile Gaze non stérile stérile	0.1 x 0.1	5 / pack	200
2	Non-sterile gauze unsterile Gaze non stérile non stérile	0.75 x 0.75	100 / pack	400
3	Gauze padding sterile Tulle gaze stérile	0.1 x 0.1	10 packs / pack	100
		0.15 x 2	1 roll	2
4	Transparent polyurethane film Polyuréthane transparent film	0.15 x 2	1	4
<b>Bandage / Bande</b>				
5	Cohesive bandage Bande adhésive	0.1 x 4.5	1	20
6	Padding (net, roll) Bande sous-coton, rouleau	0.1 x 3	10	10
7	Band crepe Craie-laine	0.1 x 4	1	20
<b>Tape / Spécimen</b>				
8	Tape adhesive (packing) Bande adhésive	0.02 x 5	1	10
9	Tape adhesive, roll (specimen, muscle) Bande adhésive, rouleau	0.1 x 5	1	5
<b>Clean and control / Gérer et contrôler</b>				
10	Iodine cream Crème Iodine	100g	1	5
11	Silver sulfadiazine Sulfadiazine argent	70g	1	5



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- Membership organisations- (not exclusive, some not shown)
- Currently the work of WAWLC has been in Cameroun, Ghana, Kuwait, Sierra Leone, Uganda, Haiti and Ethiopia



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of Wound Care



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du soin des plaies



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