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Challenging historic practice in leg and foot care: Ensuring compression is the default therapy for lower leg wounds

10th June 2025 When: Virtual via the Zoom platform Where: Time: 09.30-15:50 Programme 09.30-09.40 Welcome & Introduction - Sarah Gardner, Society of Tissue Viability Education Facilitator/Director, Wound Matters Ltd 09.40 - 09.55 What's happening in Legs Matter: A campaign update – Joanne Casey, Podiatrist and Senior Research Assistant, University of Southampton and Chair, Legs Matter 09.55-10.25 Using compression as part of lower limb trauma management in plastic surgery settings – Stephanie Brown, Clinical Practitioner - Plastic Surgery, Royal Stoke Hospital 10.25 - 10.35Q&A 10.35-10.50 The impact of prolonged use of reduced compression in VLUs - Jenny Moore, Regional Clinical Advisor, L&R Medical UK 10.50-11.00 **Comfort break** The use of compression in combined arterial and venous insufficiency - Annie Clothier, Vascular Clinical 11.00-11.30 Nurse Specialist, Aneurin Bevan University Health Board 11.30-11.40 Q&A 11.40-12.10 The use of compression for patients with diabetic foot ulceration - Jayne Robbie, Senior Lecturer Diabetes Care & Specialist Podiatrist, Birmingham City University & University Hospitals Birmingham NHS Trust 12.10-12.20 Q&A 12.20-12.35 Industry presentation by Sigvaris 12.35-13.05 Lunch 13.05-13.35 The importance of personalising compression therapy - Kate Williams, Associate Director of Wound Care, Accelerate CIC 13.35-13.45 Q&A 13.45 - 14.15Compression in Lymphoedema: Aligning Treatment Goals - Yolande Borthwick, Co-Chair, The British Lymphology Society (BLS) 14.15-14.25 Q&A 14.25-14.35 **Comfort Break** 14.35-14.50 Compression for Lower Limb Oedema 'A targeted and solution focused approach' - Tess Henry, Community Clinical Manager, Haddenham Healthcare Lymphoedema United – How to LIVE BETTER with Lymphoedema – Matt Hazledine, Founder of 14.50-15.20 Lymphoedema United 15.20-15.30 Q&A

15.30 Round up of the day / close

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