

Peak body resources and example of best practice

- [Wounds Australia](#) is the peak body for wound management in Australia. Aims to improve wound management outcomes for all through education, research, communication and networking.
- [Australian and New Zealand Burn Association](#) - For health providers and the community. Referral criteria and links to burns centres across Australia and New Zealand.
- [Diabetes Australia](#) - A hub of links and resources for individuals with diabetes and health professionals
- [Australasian Lymphology Association](#) - The peak professional organisation promoting best practice in lymphoedema management, research and education.
- [Agency for Clinical Innovation: Pain Management Network](#) - Draws together knowledge of chronic pain specialists and evidence from multidisciplinary fields, and provides treatment protocols and assessment tools for health professionals and education resources for patients
- [Australasian Podiatry Council](#) - National body of affiliated state-based associations and Podiatry New Zealand. Professional representation for practising podiatrists, as a service for both members and the public.
- [Australian Commission on Safety and Quality in Health Care. Safety and Quality Improvement Guide Standard 8: Preventing and Managing Pressure Injuries, 2012](#)
- [The Royal Children's Hospital - Melbourne](#) - Provides quality, up-to-date health resource information. Search alphabetically for wound/skin related topics including: burns, cellulitis, lacerations, pressure injury and management, skin care, skin infections, wound care and wound dressings.
- [Wound Healing Institute of Australia](#) - The WHIA is an evolution of the WoundsWest Program, whose assets and services are now more widely marketed nationally through the Wound CRC. Resources, research, education and training. Integrates and collaborates research into innovative wound management tools, systems and technologies with aim of improving wound management outcomes.
- [Australian Association of Stomal Therapy Nurses](#) - National body for Ostomy, Wound and Continence nurses. Series of patient / carer education pamphlets for use by Stomal Therapy Nurses.
- [Dieticians Association of Australia](#) - Peak national dietetics organisation. Practical information for professionals.