
“Crusting”

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- Clean skin around wound with warm water and dry
- Dust with Stoma Powder (Lawson # 050829) directly on irritated skin
- Use 3M No-Sting Barrier pad (Lawson # 050338) to "blot" or "dab" gently on top of Stomahesive Powder
- Allow to dry 10-15 seconds



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- Clean area around stoma with water and pat dry.
- Dust with Stoma Powder directly on irritated skin.
 - Powder won't hurt your stoma
- Use a non-alcohol skin prep pad to “blot” or “dab” gently on top of Stoma Powder.
- After area dries for ~ 10-15 seconds, pouch as usual.
 - If skin itches and has an irregular red rash or if skin doesn't improve, you may have a yeast rash around your stoma, and you will need to call your WOC nurse or your doctor.

