## Skin tear algorithm of care

Mölnlycke<sup>®</sup> has developed a simple classification guide to skin tears in accordance with the proposed standardisation of identifying and documenting skin tears produced by ISTAP.



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