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Wound Care: Advanced Therapies for Wound Intervention

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Majority of my career has been in a sales capacity with a variety of different companies through my former business Excel Foodservice Marketing. Recently returning to focusing on the healthcare segment exclusively.

Description:

We will review the functions of key nutritional components that assist in wound healing. Then introduce the changes to the 2019 NPIAP International Guidelines for treatment of pressure ulcers/injuries. This will also include some of the current research to support some of the recommendations and changes to the guidelines. Finally, there will be detailed breakdown of the difference between proteins, amino acids and dipeptides and their role.

Objectives:

- Will be able to identify NPIAP 2019 International Guidelines for treatment of pressure ulcers/injuries.
- Will be able to define recommended energy and protein intake for patients with pressure injuries.
- Will be able to define the difference between proteins, amino acids and dipeptides and how they impact the wound healing process.