



*Press Release: 25<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Wound Management Association*

## **A UNIFIED VOICE FOR QUALITY AND CARE IN WOUND MANAGEMENT**

*The conference theme: “Wound Care Shaping the Future – A Patient, Professional, Provider and Payer Perspective” promises to let many voices be heard when the world’s largest wound conference is held in London from 13th–15th May.*

The European Wound Management Association (EWMA) believes in the power of the best argument, and who better to provide that than the many voices from a wide range of different stakeholders, speaking as one? That is what is reflected in the conference theme “*Wound Care Shaping the Future – A Patient, Professional, Provider and Payer Perspective*”.

As an association representing many disciplines within health care, it lies in the nature of EWMA to open up for widely different interests and perspectives. Therefore, patients, politicians, health care professionals, and health care providers are invited to come together and give their views on how to provide the most appropriate and cost effective care in the light of today’s challenges to the care sector in Europe and the UK.

It is expected that around 3,500 delegates from all over the world will attend the 25<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Wound Management Association (EWMA). The event also marks the 35<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Tissue Viability Society (TVS), who is co-organising the event.

More than 900 scientific presentations will take place during the three days that the conference runs in the London ExCeL Conference Centre. All in all around 130 companies will be exhibiting their newest products.

EWMA continues to promote interdisciplinary collaboration in wound care next year where the conference will be held in Bremen, together with the German wound care society, Initiative Chronische Wunden e.V.

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More information:

[www.ewma2015.org](http://www.ewma2015.org)

A conference press kit can be found and downloaded under “Conference info” at [www.ewma2015.org](http://www.ewma2015.org) or picked up in print in the EWMA Secretariat Office during the conference.

What:

25<sup>th</sup> Conference of the European Wound Management Association  
35<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Tissue Viability Society (TVS)

Theme:

WOUND CARE – SHAPING THE FUTURE, a patient professional, provider and payer perspective

Time:

13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015

Place:

London ExCeL Conference Centre  
Royal Victoria Dock, 1 Western Gateway,  
London E16 1XL  
United Kingdom

About EWMA:

The European Wound Management Association (EWMA) is a European umbrella organisation linking wound management organisations, individuals, and groups with an interest in wound care. Central to EWMA’s objectives is support of the implementation of high quality multidisciplinary and cost-effective wound care. EWMA works to reach its objectives by being an educational resource, organising conferences, contributing to international projects related to wound management, actively supporting the implementation of existing knowledge within wound management, and providing information on all aspects of wound management.

For more information: [www.ewma.org](http://www.ewma.org)

About TVS:

The Tissue Viability Society (TVS) is probably the world’s oldest society dedicated to all issues of tissue viability, a growing healthcare speciality that primarily considers all aspects of skin and soft tissue wounds, including acute surgical wounds, pressure ulcers and all forms of leg ulceration. The TVS aims to improve outcomes for people with wounds through the sharing of information, the promotion of research and increasing the awareness of all aspects of good clinical practice in wound prevention and management. The TVS aims to be a society for members that means something and has tangible results. We want to speak on behalf of our membership in order to raise the profile of tissue viability within the UK and the Department of Health.

For more information: [www.tvs.org.uk](http://www.tvs.org.uk)