

Partner with us

Join us in active exchange
of fresh ideas to give patients
that healing feeling



Help patients feel like themselves again

geko[®]
wound therapy

Partnership is who we are

We are committed to partnering with healthcare professionals to solve challenging medical problems.

Fresh ideas

We welcome an **active exchange of ideas** to address clinical challenges in areas of unmet need where the geko[®] device might provide the answer. If you have a research idea or proposal you would like to discuss, we invite you to submit your idea, and the therapeutic area, using our online 'Partner with us' form.

Please visit: www.gekocodevices.com
or simply call: [+44 \(0\)845 2222 921](tel:+4420845222921)



Clinical partner process – clinical audits:

We provide support for every step of the partnering process.

Fresh ideas



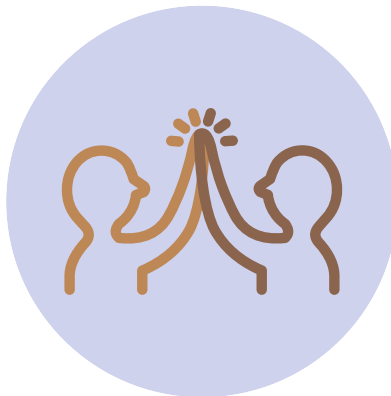
Idea review:

- Complete simple questionnaire

Eligible research:

- On-label use
- Demonstrable and meaningful benefits
- Alignment to company areas of strategic interest
- Reasonable sample size and timelines
- Well-designed written protocol
- Studies that provide data updates and a final written report

Support



Types of support:

- Protocol development assistance
- RCN accredited user training for the clinical audit team
- Sample product or funding (depending on the type of research and availability of funds)

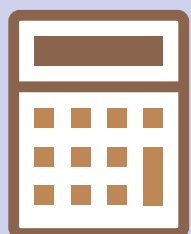
Data analysis



Expert statistical support:

- Data analysis assistance
- Data write-up support
- Poster creation support

Health economics



Independent health economic modelling:

- Expert analysis of geko[®] cost consequence and effectiveness within the study population

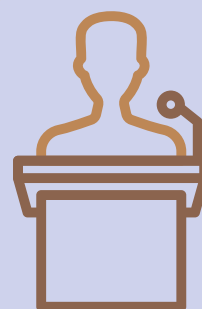
Business case



Help with making the case for purchase:

- Upload of clinical and health economic data into a payer communication tool
- The tool allows input of local patient numbers and costs, and output into a business case template for submission to procurement/purchasing
- Stakeholder support for the procurement process
- RCN accredited user training for wound care staff

Communications



Public relations:

- Publication of results
- Congress support (funding available for this*)
- Interview to camera
- Clinical team and findings feature on Firstkind's website
- PR (local, national and selected media)

*As allowed under local laws and regulations, and according to Firstkind Code of Conduct.



We place research at the heart of our business

Our research programme supports a global network of sponsored and investigator-led studies. Through local partnerships we work with clinicians to overcome challenges that are recognised worldwide. Together we identify clinical needs and translate these into cutting edge products and evidence-based therapies to simplify treatments for clinicians and improve patient outcomes.

About the geko[®] device

Through our innovative mechanism of non-invasive neuromuscular electrostimulation, we have developed the proprietary technology platform, OnPulse[®], embedded in our industry-leading brand, the geko device.

Our range of geko products are wearable therapy devices tailored to different clinical applications. Clinical applications of interest include wound healing, prevention and treatment of oedema, and reduction in pain.

The size of a wrist watch and worn at the knee, the easy-to-use geko device gently stimulates the common peroneal nerve activating the calf and foot muscle pumps, increasing venous, arterial and microcirculatory blood flow.^{1,2,3}

Clinically proven to increase blood flow in the deep veins of the calf⁴, the blood flow increase is equal to 60%⁵ of walking without a patient having to move.

The battery powered geko device:



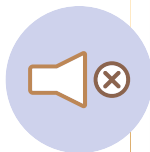
Has no wires or leads



Is quick and easy to fit



Weighs just 10g



Silent in operation

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