



Wound Care Patients

Your primary care physician can refer you or you may call our clinic to schedule your own appointment. Your insurance may require a referral. Treatment is administered on an outpatient basis. For more information, call 831-763-6043.



Find your way to
Monterey Bay
Wound Treatment and
Hyperbaric Medicine Center
located at



Better healthcare starts here.

75 Nielson Street
Watsonville, CA 95076
831-763-6043
www.WatsonvilleHospital.com

MONTEREY BAY
WOUND TREATMENT AND
HYPERBARIC MEDICINE CENTER
AT WATSONVILLE COMMUNITY HOSPITAL



Better healthcare starts here.



Time Doesn't Heal All Wounds

More than 3.5 million Americans suffer from wounds that will not heal after months, or even years, of traditional treatment. Chronic wounds are often painful and upsetting, and when associated with diabetes or poor circulation, they can be very difficult to heal.

Whatever the cause, it's important to diagnose and treat the problem correctly. That's why trained physicians and other specialists at Monterey Bay Wound Treatment Center are here for you.

A specially trained team of physicians, nurses, and technologists provide comprehensive, cost-effective wound care to patients with non-healing wounds.

Specialized Care for Serious Wounds and Conditions Such As:

- Diabetic Ulcers
- Pressure Ulcers
- Venous Stasis Ulcers
- Arterial Insufficiency Ulcers
- Surgical Wounds
- Traumatic Wounds
- Bone Infections
- Radiation Injuries
- Vasculitis and Other Inflammatory Ulcers
- Other Chronic, Non-Healing Wounds
- Carbon Monoxide Poisoning

Wound Healing Options

Your wound care physician may prescribe one or more of these therapies:

- Debridement (removal of dead or damaged tissue)
- Specially chosen dressings and wraps
- Hyperbaric oxygen wound therapy
- Bio-engineered tissue substitutes
- Skin and wound oxygen monitoring

What is Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy?

Hyperbaric Oxygen (HBO) chambers work by surrounding the patient with 100 percent oxygen at higher than normal atmospheric pressure in sessions, or dives, that last from 90 minutes to two hours. This increases the amount of oxygen in the patient's blood allowing wounds to heal from the inside out, and is a painless, proven way to help the body heal.

The HBO chambers resemble a reclining bed encased in a clear acrylic shell more than a yard in diameter. Patients can listen to music or watch movies on televisions and DVD players mounted above the chamber while remaining in constant contact with those outside the chamber through an intercom and private handset. The only physical sensation resulting from the treatment is a slight pressure on the eardrum, such as that felt when a plane lands, as the air in the chamber is compressed.