



WHAT IS HYPERBARIC OXYGEN THERAPY?

Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy (or HBO) is a medical treatment that enhances the body's natural healing and strengthens the immune system. HBO is an effective treatment option for most common wounds.

TREATMENT CLOSE TO HOME

The Center for Wound Healing at JFK Medical Center is conveniently located in Edison, New Jersey – with easy access to all neighboring areas of Plainfield, Scotch Plains, Woodbridge, Metuchen, Somerset, Iselin, Rahway, and Westfield. It is easily accessed from the NJ Turnpike, Garden State Parkway, Route 287 and other major freeways.

CONTACT US FOR MORE INFORMATION

For further information or to arrange a consultation with one of our wound care specialists, please call **732-321-7022** or log on to www.jfkwoundhealing.org.

Please contact a member of our staff with any other questions you may have regarding your treatment.



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THE CENTER FOR

WOUND HEALING

AT JFK MEDICAL CENTER



Comprehensive

Wound Treatment

to Improve your

Quality of Life

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The Center for Wound Healing at JFK Medical Center is a comprehensive outpatient center designed to prevent and treat chronic or hard-to-heal wounds.

Led by Dr. Gary Breitbart, a board-certified vascular surgeon, our multidisciplinary team consists of physicians, nurses and technicians and therapists working together in collaboration to create an atmosphere of trust and comfort while delivering comprehensive wound management.



WHO IS A GOOD CANDIDATE?

If you are one of nearly 6 million Americans suffering from a chronic or non-healing wound or a wound that has not responded to prior treatment, the Center for Wound Healing at JFK can help you. At the Wound Care Center, physicians provide comprehensive management for your wound while your primary physician continues to treat the underlying condition and provide for your overall care. This ensures complete continuity of care.

- Inadequate or Poor Nutrition
- Unusual Pressure
- Chronic Swelling
- Effects of Radiation
- Venous Disease

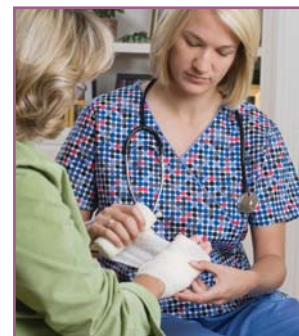
YOUR EVALUATION AND TREATMENT OPTIONS

All patients undergo a thorough diagnostic examination to identify the type of wound you have and the underlying problems causing the wound. After this, a program specifically tailored to your needs will be initiated based on the most effective treatment options to relieve pain and speed healing. Treatments vary from case-to-case, but the most common treatments include both medical and surgical care combined with the advanced wound care technology.

Your treatment plan will include regular visits for therapy and progress assessments throughout the course of treatment.

Treatments may include:

- Hyperbaric Oxygen Therapy (HBO)
 - Negative pressure therapy
 - Bioengineered skin substitutes
 - Orthotics and off-loading (Braces)
 - Advanced dressing materials
 - Growth factors



TYPES OF WOUNDS TREATED AT THE CENTER

The wounds most frequently treated include:

- Non healing wounds
- Diabetic foot ulcers
- Chronic venous stasis ulcers
- Decubitus ulcers
- Radiation-induced bone and soft tissue injuries
- Chronic osteomyelitis
- Necrotizing soft tissue injuries
- Compromised skin flaps

WHAT CAUSES THESE TYPES OF WOUNDS?

Chronic and hard-to-heal wounds can be difficult to treat for various reasons.

A few of the major causes can be:

- Diabetes
- Bone Infections
- Compromised Blood Flow
- Infection