NATIONAL OBSERVATORY AVF MANAGEMENT



This first National Observatory has been carried out by Laboratoires Brothier in 53 facilities across France:

- 38 haemodialysis units (public or private hospitals, clinics)
- 13 dialysis centers
- 2 paediatric nephrology units

This data collection about Arterio Venous Fistula (AVF) management allows us to:

- make an assessment of practices in France
- answer the surveillance request of products available on the market



Profile of haemodialysed patients

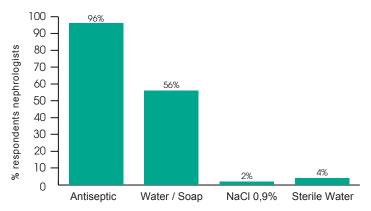
3/4 patients have an AVF.



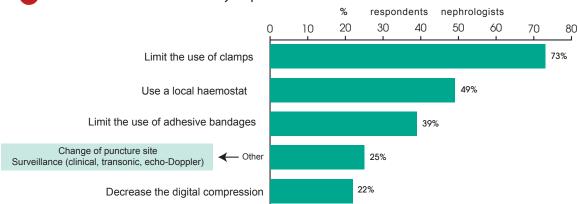
- More than 1/4 patients are at high risk of haemorrhagy according to 70% nephrologists.
- According to the majority of nephrologists, only 1 patient out of 4 is discharged with a prescription of a local haemostat.

Practices during connexion and disconnexion of the AVF

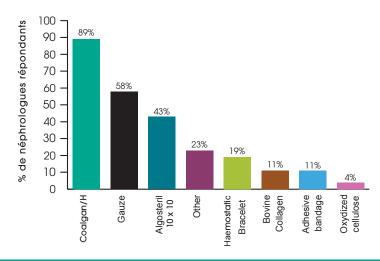
Most used products to clean the skin:



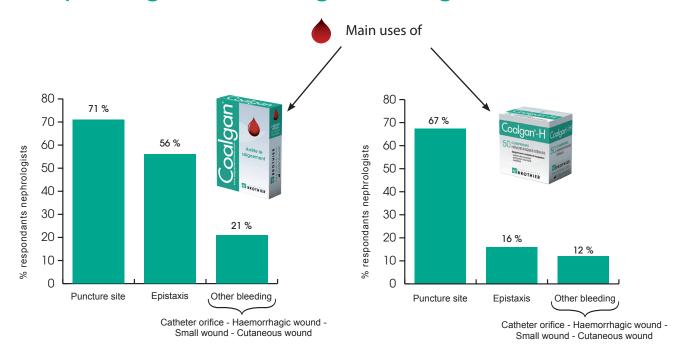
Actions considered mandatory to preserve the AVF:



- 3 most used products to stop the bleeding upon needle removal:
 - Coalgan/Coalgan-H
 - Gauze
 - Algostéril 10x10 cm



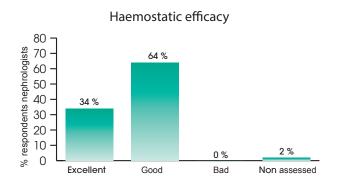
Nephrologists and Coalgan / Coalgan-H

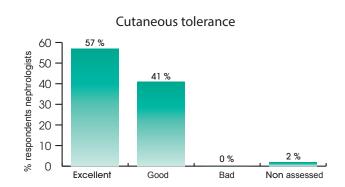


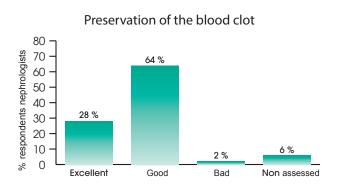
Nephrologist appreciation of Coalgan / Coalgan-H:

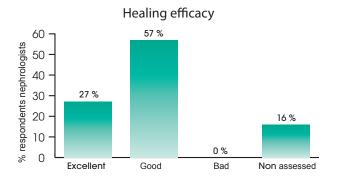
Coalgan / Coalgan-H efficacy has been assessed as good or excellent for the following criteria:

- 1. Haemostasis / Cutaneous tolerance (98%)
- 2. Preservation of the blood clot (92%)
- 3. Healing (84%)

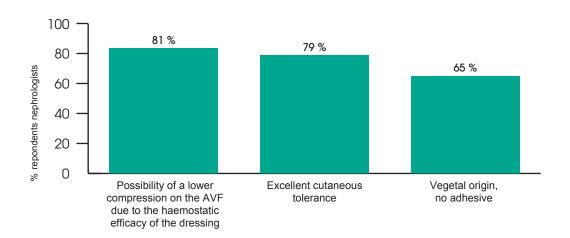








Benefits of Coalgan / Coalgan-H in the management of bleeding upon needle removal



USE PROTOCOL OF COALGAN® / COALGAN® -H ON PUNCTURE SITES



For each puncture site, fold Coalgan-H dressing in half.



Apply Coalgan-H and remove the needle.



Gently maintain Coalgan-H with the fingers until the bleeding stops.

Cover with a secondary dressing if necessary.

For complete information, read the instructions leaflets of Coalgan/ Coalgan-H.

