



## Would you like to take part?

We are running a study to investigate which treatment heals surgical wounds better...



Wound dressings - absorbing wound fluid and protecting the wound from bacteria

OR



Negative Pressure Wound Therapy (NPWT) - using a suction pump to remove wound fluid

Research with small numbers of people suggests that different treatments *may ...*



Reduce the time it takes a wound to heal



Reduce the time someone spends in hospital

... but we do not know which treatment works best.

Our study will compare these treatments and measure what happens to people during their care. In the future this information will help people make more informed treatment choices.