Skin grafting is often used as a treatment option for wound management and for pigmentary disorders, including Vitiligo.

Important Note: Only your physician can diagnose and appropriately treat your condition. If a skin graft has been recommended for you, your doctor is your best resource for information. Ask your doctor about the risks and benefits of graft harvesting options and whether a graft obtained using the CELLUTOME™ Epidermal Harvesting System is right for you.

You can access product indications and contraindications for use and other important safety information by calling KCI at 1-800-275-4524.

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EPIDERMAL GRAFTING is different than other grafting procedures in many ways. It is a minimally invasive procedure that involves the removal of only the top or epidermal layer of skin. Although patient circumstances can vary, in most cases, patients experienced little or no pain, and the donor site heals within two to three weeks.

The CELLUTOME™ System is a surgical tool that simplifies the harvesting of epidermal grafts in multiple ways:

1. **Automates the process to insure consistent and accurate graft size and thickness**
2. **Eliminates the need for donor site pain medication**

The entire harvesting procedure usually takes less than one hour. Your donor site (inner thigh) will be prepped/wiped with alcohol, then the CELLUTOME™ Harvester is strapped to your inner thigh. The graft development process is usually completed in 30-45 minutes. When the graft is ready for harvesting, the CELLUTOME™ Control Unit is turned off. The grafts are placed onto a transparent dressing and are then applied to the recipient site. The CELLUTOME™ Harvester is removed from your thigh, and a second transparent dressing is applied over the donor site.

As with any case study, the results and outcomes should not be interpreted as a guarantee or warranty of similar results. Individual results may vary depending on the patient’s circumstances and condition.

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