Beyond Musculoskeletal: Shockwave in Wound Care and Emerging Foot & Ankle Uses

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Live Virtual Webinar

Shockwave has been studied as an adjunct to standard care for diabetic foot ulcers and other chronic wounds, and is promoted for a growing list of other foot and ankle conditions. This program starts with why chronic wounds stall and the mechanisms by which shockwave is proposed to help. Faculty place shockwave within standard diabetic foot ulcer care and review the pivotal trials, meta-analyses and FDA regulatory pathway. They then cover wound selection and technique. The final segment reviews emerging uses, including peripheral neuropathy and Morton's neuroma, labels each by evidence level and off-label status, and gives learners insight for evaluating new shockwave claims.

Learning Objectives:
At the conclusion of this activity, participants will be able to:
1. Describe how shockwave is used as an adjunct to standard care for diabetic foot ulcers and other chronic wounds, including wound selection and technique.
2. Summarize the evidence and regulatory status for shockwave in wound healing.
3. Evaluate the evidence for emerging foot and ankle applications, including peripheral neuropathy and Morton's neuroma, and identify uses that are off-label.

Intended Audience: Podiatrists **Fees:** $ 0.00 **Refund Policy: N/A**

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