



# Incontinence Care Study

## Traditional Care vs. Swash® Perineum Wipes



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**Where:** Hospital de Barcelona - SCIAS

**Objective:** Investigate if the usage of special Swash® Perineum Wipes can reduce the IAD incidence, compared to the traditional incontinence care.

**When:** From July 2017 on, until a number of 125 patients per group was reached.

**Swash® Perineum Wipes** (Experimental group)

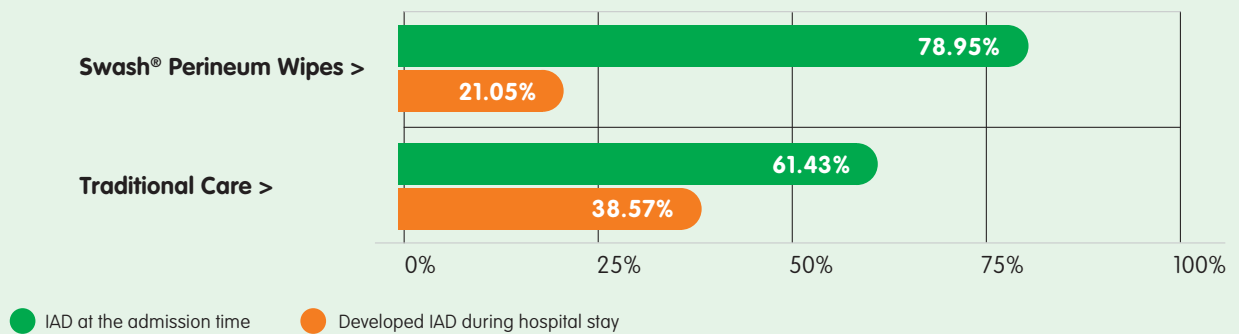
**Sample:** 126 patients<sup>1</sup> | 38.1% | 61.9%

**Traditional Care** (Control group)

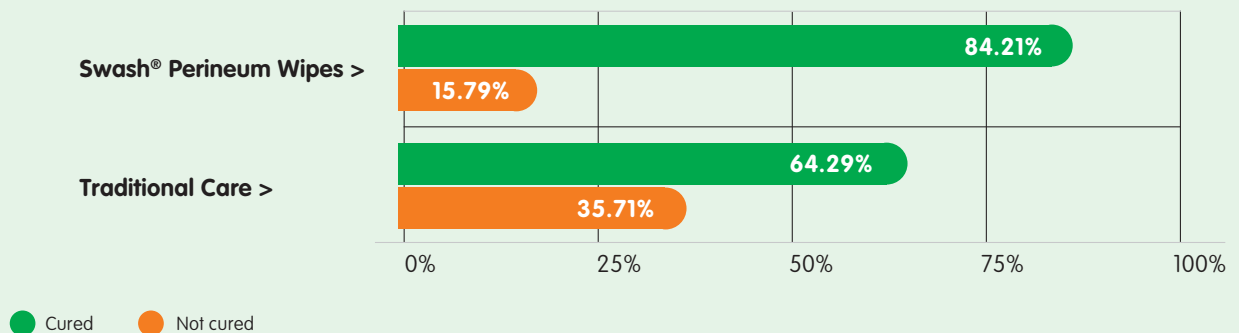
**Sample:** 125 patients<sup>2</sup> | 61.6% | 38.4%

### > Study results

#### PREVALENCE



#### CASES RESOLVED



#### CONCLUSION



“Under the conditions of our study: according to the results obtained we can say that the use of the special wipes Swash® Perineum for care perineal decreases the incidence of IAD compared to conventional hygiene.”  
“The resolution of IAD in the experimental group was almost 20 percentage points greater than in the control group.”

- Nurse Olga Isart Bosch -

<sup>1</sup> 3 patients excluded for not collaborating; 5 patients presented an extensive IAD with fungal involvement that required treatment topical or systemic pharmacological; 10.8% of patients in this group died during the admission.  
<sup>2</sup> 9.6% of patients in this group died during the admission.