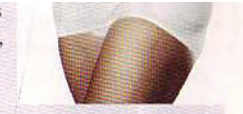


make bathing safer, like a step to get into the bath or a grab rail for the shower. The range also includes items to monitor your health so customers can keep track of their progression, for example, cholesterol monitoring between visits to their doctor. Co-operative Xest offer a portfolio of products, which will give your patients complete piece of mind, as they are all carefully chosen on quality, price and usability.

To find out more, tel: 0800 622 600



Relief for cancer treatment side effects

Painful skin and nail conditions caused by chemotherapy and radiotherapy treatments can now be treated thanks to an innovative range of natural cosmetics. Recently launched in the UK by Feel Better Ltd, the Evolife range provides solutions to problems such as cracked and broken nails (Evonail); flaking and broken skin and red breast (Evoskin); mouth ulcers (Evomucy); dry mouth (Evodry); and body odour (Evodeo). Reactions from French medical professionals have been overwhelming, Dr Achille, an oncologist said: 'I am entirely satisfied with the results. There is no equivalent to EVOLIFE products on the pharmaceutical-cosmetics market today. We intend to keep using them!'

If you are interested in testing Evolife or learning more about the product range, please visit www.feelbetterduringchemo.com, send an email to contact@feelbetterduringchemo.com or call 0871 911 1725



Breastlight heightens breast health awareness

Breastlight is an award winning new handheld device for women to use at home to help them become more aware and confident about their breast health. Regular use leads to heightened breast health awareness which may result in the earlier detection of breast abnormalities. When used as part of a normal breast awareness routine, Breastlight allows women to become familiar with the internal 'map' of breast tissue. The device works by shining a very bright but harmless red LED light through breast tissue. Veins and other blood vessels show up as dark lines, the 'map'. This is normal. If a woman detects dark spots, shadows or any other changes, it is recommended that these are followed up by a doctor. Breastlight has undergone extensive clinical and market testing with over 1,200 women to date. A study conducted at the Edinburgh Royal Infirmary and the University of Aberdeen showed that Breastlight detected 70 of 74 diagnosed tumours and 50 of 55 benign diseases in the women studied.

Breastlight is available online at www.breastlight.co.uk and is priced at £77.50. For enquiries, tel: 0845 301 1452



New data confirms antimicrobial activity of Flaminal® on MRSA

In a study recently published in Wounds, Flaminal®, an alginate gel dressing containing a unique antimicrobial enzyme system, has been shown to kill antibiotic-resistant bacterial strains, including MRSA, and promote wound healing. Flaminal® contains a glucose oxidase lactoperoxidase guaiacol (GLG) enzyme system, an improved version of the naturally occurring oxidase-peroxidase enzyme system, which has been shown in a number of studies to be bactericidal. Unlike many of the current antimicrobial dressings, which kill bacterial and human cells indiscriminately, Flaminal® combines strong antimicrobial activity with non-cytotoxicity i.e. it does not damage the human cells involved in wound healing.



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