

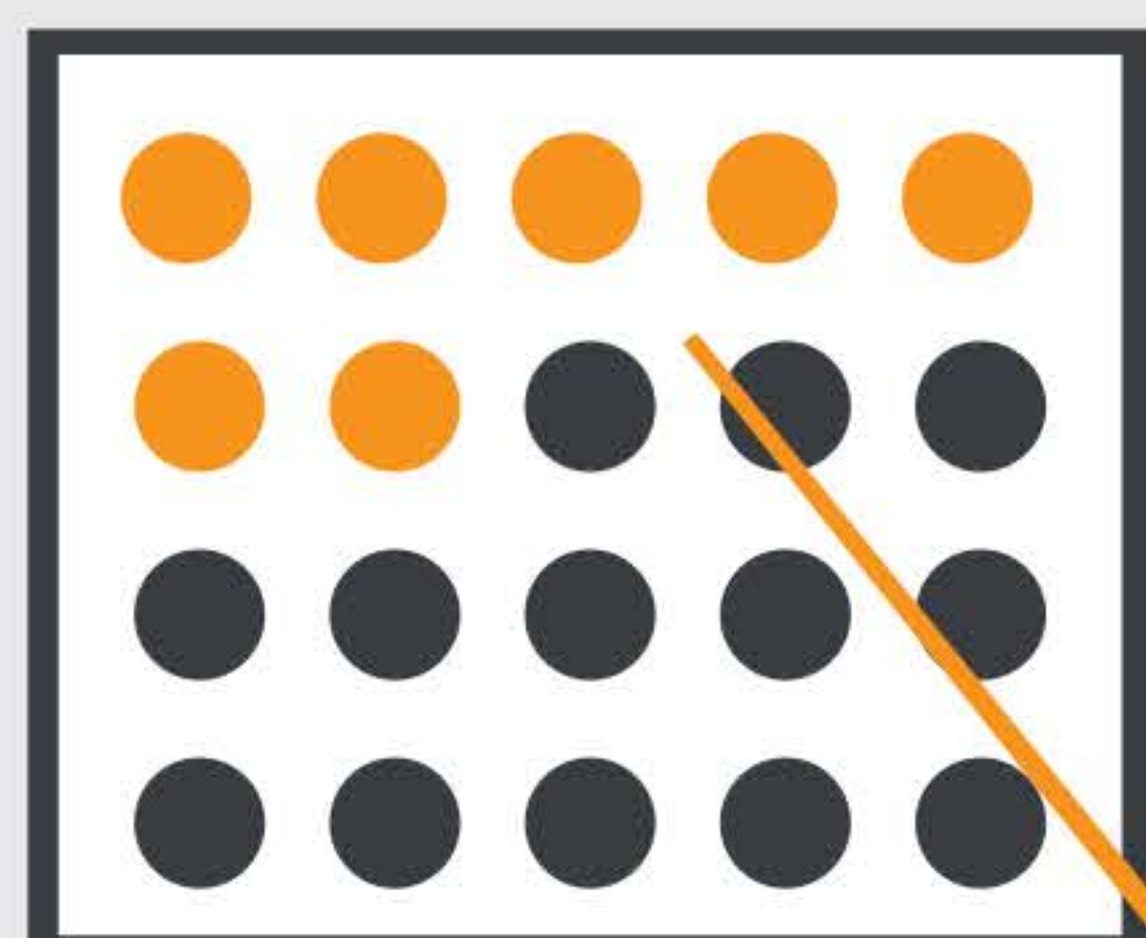
# COST AND INCIDENCE OF MEDICAL DEVICE RELATED PRESSURE ULCERS

## INCIDENCE

**5.4%** of patients will develop a pressure ulcer<sup>1</sup>

**34.5%**

of all pressure ulcers are caused by medical devices<sup>1</sup>



## TREATMENT COSTS

**\$3.8B**

spent annually to treat MDR PU<sup>1,2,3</sup>

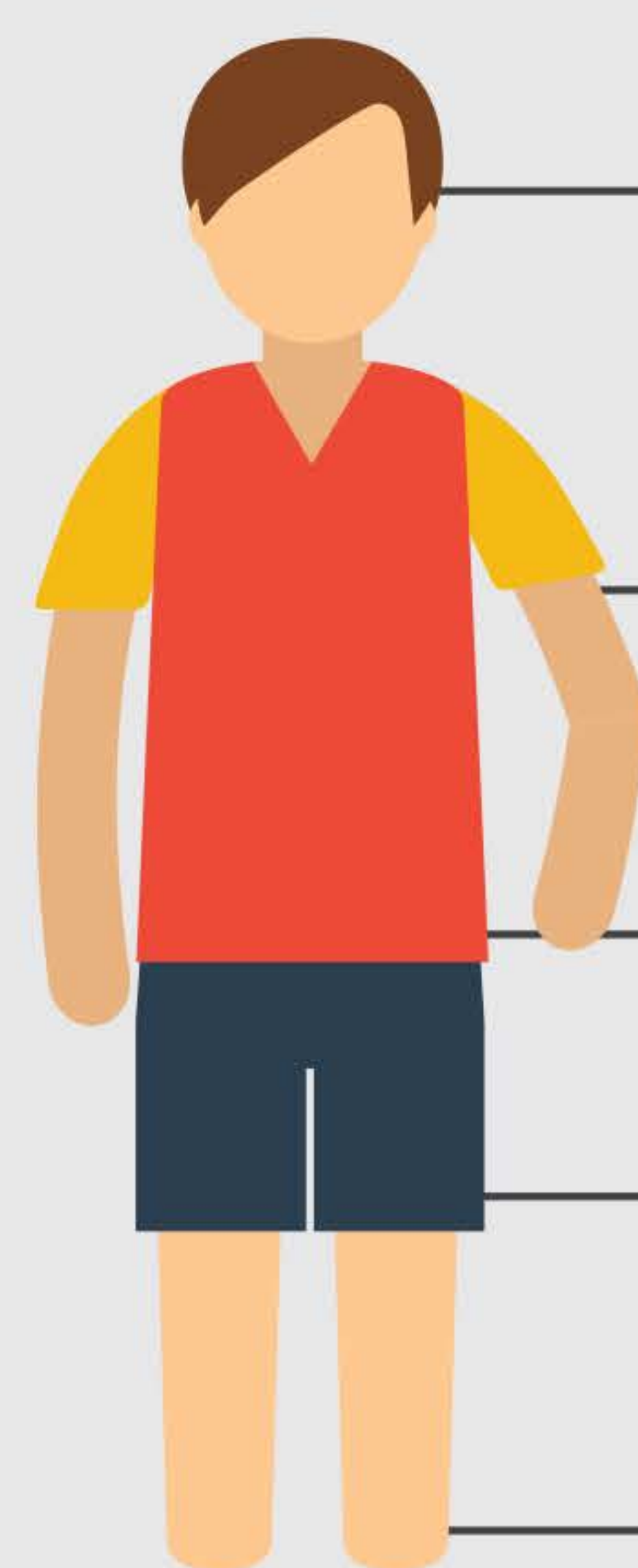
**\$10,700**

average cost per incident<sup>4</sup>

**2.4x**

Patients with a medical device are two and half times more likely to develop a pressure ulcer<sup>1</sup>

### Common Locations<sup>1</sup>



Head (43.5%)

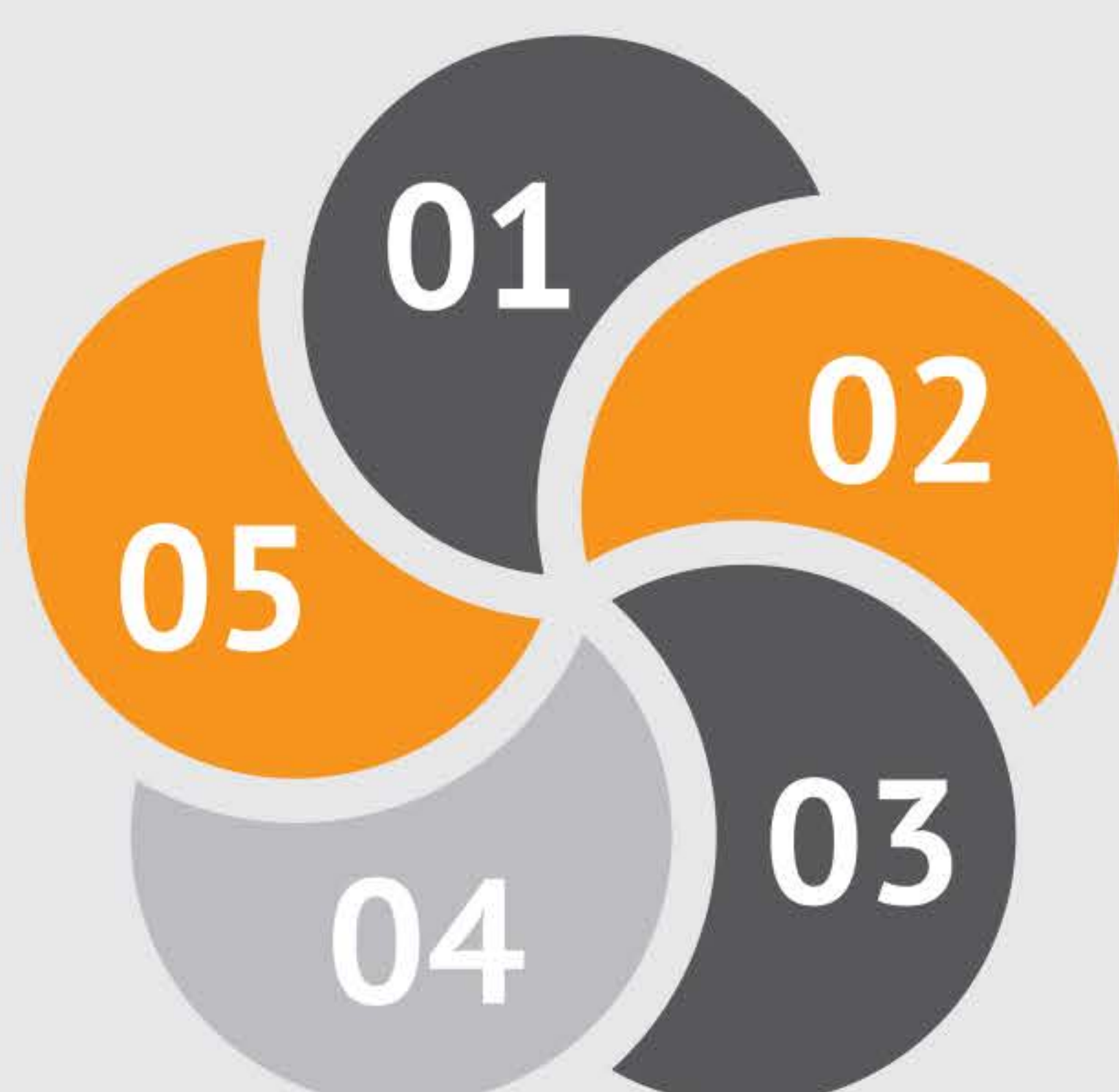
Ribs/Arms (3%)

Sacrum (7.5%)

Legs (21%)

Feet/Heels (24%)

### Risk Factors<sup>1,2</sup>



01. Tightly sealed devices
02. Hard Plastic parts
03. Edema
04. Moisture
05. Friction



of MDR PU are not identified until **Stage III or Stage IV**<sup>2</sup>



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