

TABLE 14-1 Range of Power Settings with the Hyfrecator 2000

Lesions	Power Setting (watts on low)	Type of Electrode
<i>Benign</i>		
Angiomas (cherry)	2-2.5	Sharp or dull
Angiomas (spider)	2-2.5	Sharp or needle
Condyloma acuminata	12-18	Dull
Dermatosis papulosa nigra	2-2.5	Dull or sharp
Pyogenic granulomas	16-20 or switch to high	Dull
Sebaceous hyperplasia	2-2.5	Dull
Seborrheic keratosis	10-14	Dull
Skin tags (acrochordons)	2-2.5	Sharp
Syringomas	2-2.5	Sharp
Telangiectasias	2-2.5	Sharp or needle
Verrucae vulgaris	12-18	Dull
Verrucae plana	12-18	Sharp or dull
<i>Malignant</i>		
Basal cell carcinoma	16-20	Dull
Squamous cell carcinoma	16-20	Dull

Disclaimer: Every patient and every electrosurgical unit is different. These numbers are just suggestions and each clinician must find the best settings based on experience with their patients and unit.