

TECC Course-- Bleeding Control  
Indirect Threat Phase

Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_ Examiner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Time Start: _____	Pass	Fail
Identifies the proper phase of care		
Takes or verbalizes standard precautions		
Applies direct pressure to the wound or pressure point on appropriate limb or junction		
<i>NOTE: The examiner must now inform the candidate that the wound continues to bleed. The student may choose to use any of the available hemorrhage control techniques, tourniquet or pressure bandage, with or without hemostatic gauze</i>		
Exposes the injury by cutting or tearing away clothing		
If Tourniquet available and chosen by student:		
--- Places tourniquet in appropriate location		
--- Tightens tourniquet until bleeding stops & no distal pulse remains		
--- Properly secures tourniquet		
If pressure bandage is available and chosen by the student:		
--- Opens and unrolls gauze roll or hemostatic dressing		
--- Packs gauze or hemostatic dressing into wound where the bleeding is heaviest. Packs any remaining gauze on top of wound.		
--- Holds firm pressure on wound for 1-5 minutes (brand dependant)		
<i>NOTE: The examiner can inform the student that the requisite time has passed</i>		
--- Reassesses the wound to ensure that bleeding has stopped. If continued bleeding, adds another gauze roll or hemostatic agent and reapplies pressure. Does NOT remove gauze roll at any time.		
--- Opens H bandage and properly positions bandage over wound		
--- Secures bandage with a wide base of pressure with a wrap above and below the ceramic H device		
--- Engages the ceramic H device and pulls tension on both sides of the H		
--- Wraps the rest of the ace wrap over bandage without roping		
--- Secures the H bandage with a half-hitch		
Reassess all bleeding control interventions		
Properly positions the patient and indicates need for immediate transport		

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Time End: \_\_\_\_\_

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