

PRIMARY SURVEY

D

DANGER

Yourself, Team, Casualty

R

RESPONSE

ACVPU

<C>

CATASTROPHIC BLEED

Direct Digital Pressure, Haemostatic Dressing,
Trauma Dressing & Tourniquet

A

AIRWAY

Consider C Spine
Clear
Open

B

BREATHING

Look, Listen & Feel up to 10 seconds
Regular, Rhythmical, Quiet

C

CIRCULATION

Look of the casualty
Cap Refill <2 Sec

D

DISABILTY

ACVPU

E

EXPOSE - DCAPBTLS

ENVIRONMENT – Hot and Cold

RESPONSE

A

ALERT

Responding to your questions

C

CONFUSION

Struggling to recall answers simple questions

V

VERBAL STIMULUS

Muscular or other response to a command & raised voice

P

PAIN STIMULUS

Muscular response when applying trapezius pinch, pressure to nail bed

U

UNRESPONSIVE

No response

BLEEDING

S

SIT OR LAY DOWN

Treat for shock

E

EXPOSE

Type of wound
Amount of blood
Embedded object

P

PRESSURE

Direct pressure
Indirect (around the wound) if an embedded object

D

DRESS

Choose right size dressing
Cover the ends of the pad
Check Cap Refill below the injury

INCIDENT REPORT

E

EXACT LOCATION

Yourself, Team, Casualty

T

TYPE OF INJURIES

MOI and Type of Injuries

H

HAZARDS

Man made or Natural

A

ACCESS

On foot or vehicular

N

NUMBER OF CASUALTIES

Estimate if required

E

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Police, Fire, Ambulance, Mountain
Rescue or Coastguard

PATIENT HISTORY

S

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS

What can you see

What can the casualty tell you

A

ALLERGIES

M

MEDICATION

Check pockets or bag if casualty is unresponsive

P

PAST HISTORY

Medical conditions

Past injuries

L

LAST MEAL

When and what have they eaten

E

EVENT

Ask casualty & witnesses

What happened leading up to now

PATIENT HANDOVER

A

AGE OF PATIENT

Date & Age

T

TIME OF INJURY

M

MECHANISM OF INJURY

What has happened (keep it short)

I

INJURIES

Found or suspected

S

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS

Break into R<C>ABC

T

TREATMENT

What have you done, including times and equipment used

INFORMATION



**REMOVING
GLOVES**

first.

**WASHING
YOUR HANDS**



A
CO
TI



**'PIT CREW
METHOD'**