

# EL DORADO COUNTY EMS AGENCY FIELD PROCEDURE

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Scope: TEMS Qualified Personnel



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EMS Agency Medical Director

## HEMOSTATIC AGENTS

### AUTHORITY:

California POST/EMSA Operational Programs and Standardized Training Recommendations Manual.

### PURPOSE:

To stop arterial and venous bleeding from a traumatic injury.

### INDICATIONS:

Uncontrolled arterial and/or venous bleeding secondary to a traumatic injury.

- Attempt hemostatic agent after direct pressure and/or a pressure bandage is unsuccessful.

### COMPLICATIONS:

- Avoid contact with eyes.

### PROCEDURE:

- Refer manufacturers' directions on how to apply Hemostatic Agent.