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Tactical Black

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WARNING: THIS IS A SINGLE USE PRODUCT

This product is intended for qualified trained professionals in the application of a tourniquet. It is not intended for the general public. Use only as directed by your EMS authority or under the supervision of a physician. Read entire Instructions For Use prior to using this product. Inappropriate application can result in serious injury or loss of limb. The use of any tourniquet is **A LAST RESORT** and should only be employed when bleeding cannot be stopped and the situation is life threatening.

LIMITATION OF LIABILITY:

Composite Resources, Inc., its employees, agents, contractors, suppliers, and distributors shall assume no liability for injury or damages arising from the application and use of the Combat Application Tourniquet® (C-A-T®). The user assumes all risk of liability.

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Combat Application Tourniquet®

Instructions for Use: Two-handed Application

To prepare for use, store the C-A-T® in its one-handed configuration



1 Apply tourniquet proximal to the bleeding site. Route the band around the limb and pass the tip through the inside slit of the buckle. Pull the band tight.



2 Pass the tip through the outside slit of the buckle. The friction buckle will lock the band in place.



3 Pull the band very tight and securely fasten the band back on itself.



4 Twist the rod **until bright red bleeding has stopped and the distal pulse is eliminated.**



5 Place the rod inside the clip; locking it in place. **Check for bleeding and distal pulse.** If bleeding is not controlled, consider additional tightening or applying a second tourniquet proximal side by side to the first and reassess.



6 Secure the rod inside the clip with the strap. **Prepare the patient for transport and reassess.** Record the time of application.

Instructions for Use: One-handed Application



1 Apply the tourniquet proximal to the bleeding site. Insert the wounded limb through the loop formed by the band.



2 Pull the band very tight and securely fasten the band back on itself.



3 Adhere the band around the limb. Do not adhere the band past the rod clip.



4 Twist the rod until **bright red bleeding has stopped and the distal pulse is eliminated.**



5 Place the rod inside the clip locking it in place. **Check for bleeding and distal pulse.** If bleeding is not controlled, consider additional tightening or applying a second tourniquet proximal side to the first and reassess.



6 Adhere the band over the rod, inside the clip, and fully around the limb.



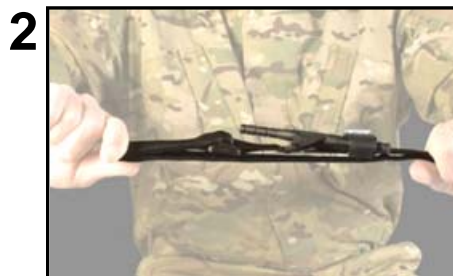
7 Secure the rod and band with the strap. **Prepare for transport and reassess. If possible, record time of application on white strap.**

Storing in the One-Handed Configuration

To prepare for use, store the C-A-T® in its one-handed configuration



1 Pass the tip through the inside slit in the buckle. Pull 6" of band through, fold it back and adhere the band to itself.



2 Flatten the loop formed by the band. Place the buckle in the middle of the flattened band.



3 Fold the C-A-T® in half placing the buckle at one end. The C-A-T® is now ready to be placed in your medical kit.

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