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1. BLS hemorrhage control measures
2. If bleeding is uncontrolled by standard methods, apply approved hemostatic agent/device directly to wound site, followed by a bandage and dressing.
3. If bleeding is uncontrolled by standard methods, and the location is an extremity apply the CAT (Combat Application Tourniquet).
4. QA Points:
 - a. Recent data obtained by the US military has demonstrated the safety and efficacy of tourniquet application in devastating extremity wounds as being life saving.