



Instructions for Medical Professionals

BloodSTOP iX is a high-grade hemostatic gauze made from purified, regenerated natural fiber cellulose, which is oxidized and etherized. The result is a fine silk-like fiber and texture that dissolves completely when applied to a wound, and is biocompatible. When BloodSTOP iX comes in contact with blood or exudate, it quickly transforms into a clear gel, adheres itself to the wound, and seals the area.

Indications For Use:

Emergency and therapeutic use in the control of bleeding from the skin and other surface wounds where temporary control of bleeding is required.

General Directions

1. Apply BloodSTOP iX to the cleaned wound. Use additional layers as needed.
2. If necessary, place a piece of wet gauze over the BloodSTOP iX material and apply pressure.
3. When the bleeding stops, keep the BloodSTOP iX gauze moist with sterile water or saline.
4. Combine with standard wound dressings for further protection if desired.
5. To remove excess BloodSTOP iX material, rinse with sterile water or saline, wipe gently if necessary.
6. Should the bleeding recur, repeat the above steps.

Post-Op Nasal Packing

1. Cut BloodSTOP iX into a 0.5" x 2" strip. Use dry forceps to pack the BloodSTOP iX strip into the bleeding nostril. Apply pressure as needed.
2. After the bleeding stops completely, BloodSTOP iX can be rinsed away with sterile water or saline.

Trauma (Venous Bleeding)

1. Apply one or more layers of BloodSTOP iX to the wound.
2. Place a piece of wet gauze over the BloodSTOP iX material and apply pressure.
3. When the bleeding stops, keep BloodSTOP iX moist with sterile water or saline.
4. BloodSTOP iX can be rinsed away with sterile water or saline.

Dialysis

1. Apply one or more layers of BloodSTOP iX gauze to the wound puncture.
2. Place a piece of wet gauze over the BloodSTOP iX material and apply pressure.
3. Keep BloodSTOP iX moist with sterile water or saline as needed.
4. After bleeding stops completely, BloodSTOP iX can be rinsed away with water.

Dental Extraction

1. Select proper size of BloodSTOP iX gauze, such as a 0.5" x 2" strip.
2. Use a dry instrument to insert one or more pieces of the BloodSTOP iX gauze into the middle of the socket.
3. Reposition the BloodSTOP iX gauze in the socket as necessary until it is saturated with blood.
4. Moisten a regular gauze pad, two-inches in size (or larger, if necessary). Place it over the socket and have the patient gently bite down on it for 15-20 minutes. (Note: Dry gauze may pull the BloodSTOP iX from the socket.)

BloodSTOP iX can also be used to stop surface bleeding intra-orally. Cut BloodSTOP iX to the appropriate size and apply directly to the bleeding surface. Apply a second piece if additional protection is desired. BloodSTOP iX can be used to cover biopsy, periodontal surgical wounds, and other bleeding wounds. The saliva in the patient's mouth will help dissolve the BloodSTOP iX material. BloodSTOP iX can be rinsed away with water once the bleeding has stopped for 24 hours.

Dental Post-Surgery Guidelines

Post-operative patients can apply a piece of BloodSTOP iX over the wound, followed by a moistened gauze pad, and apply pressure for 15 minutes. In addition, patients should follow the usual post-op instructions from their physician.



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