

*Note:* These procedures should be implemented in coordination with the District's emergency operations plan and CKC. For more information on implementing traumatic injury response protocols, see [BleedingControl.org](http://BleedingControl.org),<sup>1</sup> [Homeland Security Stop the Bleed](#),<sup>2</sup> and [Stop the Bleed Texas](#).<sup>3</sup>

The District's traumatic injury protocol must be made available to school employees and volunteers annually.

For information regarding the school safety and security committee, see CK(LEGAL) and the District's multi-hazard emergency operations plan.

Traumatic Injury

Traumatic injury is a term which refers to physical injuries of sudden onset and severity that require immediate medical attention.

Bleeding Control Stations

Each campus will have a bleeding control station. Each employee and volunteer will have easy access to the bleeding control station for use in the event of a traumatic injury.

Storage

The storage location of each bleeding control station on each campus will be selected by the school safety and security committee.

The location(s) selected at each campus will be published in District communications and through signage. Location(s) of the bleeding control station will be included in the campus staff training.

Required Supplies

The following items are required at each bleeding control station.

*[The Superintendent is required to determine the quantities of each supply listed below.]*

Quantity	Required Supplies
	Tourniquets approved for use in battlefield trauma care by the armed forces of the United States
	Chest seals
	Compression bandages
	Bleeding control bandages
	Space emergency blankets
	Latex-free gloves

Quantity	Required Supplies
	Markers
	Scissors
	Instructional documents developed by the American College of Surgeons or the United States Department of Homeland Security detailing methods to prevent blood loss following a traumatic event

Additional medical material or equipment may be included at each bleeding control station if it meets the following requirements:

1. May be readily stored in a bleeding control station;
2. May be used to adequately treat an injury involving traumatic blood loss; and
3. Is approved by local law enforcement or emergency medical services personnel.

Training

The following positions are required by law to be trained using a TEA-approved course:

- Each school district commissioned peace officer who provides security services at the campus
- School security personnel employed by the District who provide security services at the campus
- Each school resource officer who provides law enforcement at the campus
- All District or school personnel who are reasonably expected to use a bleeding control station

Annual Training for Students

All students enrolled in grade 7–12 will annually be offered instruction from the school resource officer or other appropriate District or campus employee who has received the required training on the use of a bleeding control station.

<sup>1</sup> BleedingControl.Org: <https://www.bleedingcontrol.org/resources>

<sup>2</sup> Homeland Security Stop the Bleed: <https://www.dhs.gov/stopthebleed>

<sup>3</sup> Stop the Bleed Texas: <https://stopthebleedtx.org/>