



- Disposable
- Single Use Only
- Sterile when package unopened/undamaged
(Do not resterilize)
- Latex Free

The **HemoBand** is an adjustable, single-use band with a molded pressure pad. It is used for control of bleeding without additional dressing. The band is designed for ease of use and patient comfort. The **HemoBand** also frees the dialysis staff from prolonged contact due to holding of needle sites. The band is wide to be comfortable to the patient while applying ample pressure for clotting of needle sites. The translucent plastic provides easy visualization of the needle site for ease in placement.

DFU: The **HemoBand** is used to provide pressure hemostasis of arterial, venous and dialysis access needle puncture sites.

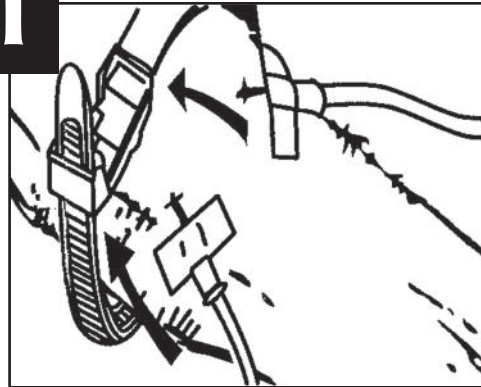
WARNING: After placing **HemoBand**, check the graft for flow. A bruit must be detected to ensure graft patency. If a bruit is not heard the **HemoBand** should be loosened until the bruit returns.

REF: Non-Sterile: HB-1M (HB-8500)

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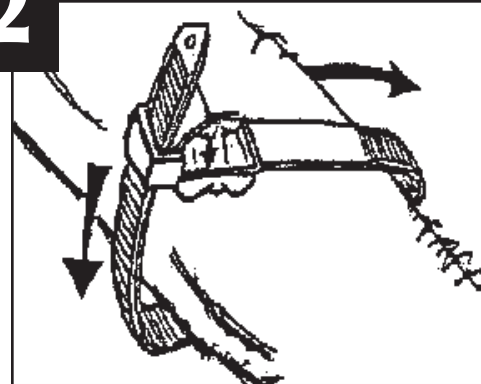
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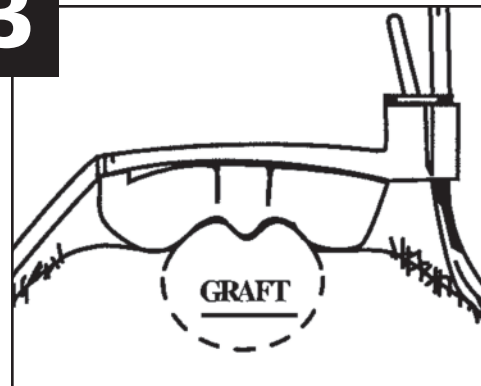
Place the **HemoBand** around the arm. Position the pressure pad so that the V-shaped groove is directly over the butterfly wings of the dialysis access needle. The end of the strap is inserted into the adjustable locking latch of the **HemoBand**. The band is gently tightened assuring that the pressure pad maintains its position over the needle. If the second **HemoBand** is to be used at the same time, place it around the arm at this time. The second band should be placed under the tubing of the other needle so as not to interfere with its removal. Again, position the pressure pad over the needle site.

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Prepare to remove the needle. Place your thumb into the recessed back of the pressure pad and tighten snugly by applying pressure with your thumb while pulling up on the strap. With your thumb still on the pressure pad, use your other hand to remove the needle. Any bleeding that may occur can be easily controlled with additional pressure from your thumb. Make adjustments to the band pressure as needed. Bleeding should now be controlled. Any fine adjustment of the **HemoBand** can now be made for patient comfort or persistent bleeding.

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Check the graft for flow. This must be done to ensure that the graft has not been totally occluded. Using a stethoscope listen over the graft for a bruit. A bruit is the sound of blood rushing through the graft. It will sound like a whooshing noise with each heart beat. If a bruit is not heard the **HemoBand** should be loosened until the bruit returns. Most needle site bleeding will be controlled after five to ten minutes. It is recommended that you follow established holding times at your facility.

After hemostasis is achieved, the **HemoBand** may be removed. The band is removed by slowly loosening the latch.