



limbs & things



# Clean Bleed® Mat FAQS

## WILL THE BAG HOLD UP UNDER A VARIETY OF CLINICAL SCENARIOS?

The Clean Bleed® bag is produced using a durable, tear resistant material. This allows it to be used on or under medical training equipment, as well as being knelt or stood on by trainees when they perform examinations.

## CAN YOU USE OTHER BLOOD?

Yes, but we highly recommend using Limbs & Things blood as it provides the most realistic flow characteristics and optimum pump performance. Other brands may also cause staining.

## HOW CAN I USE THIS IF THE EDUCATOR IS NOT IN THE ROOM FOR THE SIMULATION?

Using smart plugs educators can activate the pump system remotely.

## CAN YOU USE THIS TO SIMULATE AN INCONTINENT PATIENT?

Yes, the fluid in the blood reservoir can be substituted with simulated urine to simulate incontinence.

## CAN WE USE CHUX/INCO PADS IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE CLEAN BLEED® MAT?

We recommend that you use the Limbs & Things pads as they allow for a more even flow of fluids and can be used multiple times. However, if you have a supply of the standard (60 x 90cm) Chux/Inco pads you will be able to use them with this product.

## WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO USE/SET-UP THE MAT?

For best results, lay the mat on a flat surface, if it its uneven the blood can pool at the bottom and not spread evenly.

## WHAT'S THE BEST WAY TO USE THE MAT WITH A SIMULATED PATIENT?

The best way to use the mat with a simulated patient is to position the mat so that the end connected to the pump is underneath the simulated patient, but they are not applying pressure to the tube that could block the flow.

## HOW FAST CAN YOU SWITCH OUT TO A CLEAN MAT IF WE SWITCH GROUPS QUICKLY?

The mats can be replaced in around 2 minutes or for an even faster switchover the entire bag and mat can be swapped thanks to the quick-release connectors. [Extra bags are available here.](#)

HOW MANY  
TIMES CAN THE  
ABSORBANT  
PADS BE USED?

10

TIMES PER PAD

[CLICK HERE:  
Replacement Absorbency Pad  
for the Clean Bleed Mat](#)

HOW MUCH  
FLUID CAN THE  
RESEVOIR  
CONTAIN?

2.5L

BLOOD/FLUID

## EXAMPLE OF SIMULATION SCENARIOS



PPH



GUN SHOT WOUND



LOSS OF LIMB



WOUND  
MANAGEMENT



ECTOPIC  
PREGNANCY

Any scenario or clinical procedure where the external blood flow or blood (or any other fluid).

## THE PUMP IS:

BATTERY



OR



PLUG IN