BITES and STINGS

CHART

Vinegar

Topical Stings of Unknown origin including

Box Jelly Fish



Irukandji



Cold Therapy

Red Back Spider



Bee



Wasp



Ant



Centipede



Heat Therapy

Bluebottle Jellyfish



Stingray



Stone fish



Pressure Bandage (PIB)

Funnel Web Spider



All Snakes



Mouse Spider



Cone Shell



Blue Ringed Octopus



- 1. Follow DRSABCD.
- 2. Calm patient
- 3. Flood stung area with vinegar for at least 30 seconds then pick off remaining tentacles
- 4. If no vinegar available, remove tentacles using a stick or gloved fingers.
- 5. Dial 000 in emergency

- 1. To relieve pain; apply a cold compress or ice pack directly over the bite site
- 2. Seek medical aid if necessary.
- 1. Follow DRSABCD.
- 2. Calm patient.
- 3. Place patient's stung limb in hot water (as hot as you can tolerate).
- 4. Dial **000 in emergency**
- 1. Follow DRSABCD.
- 2. Calm patient and keep still.
- 3. Apply PIB
- 4. Dial **000 in emergency**

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