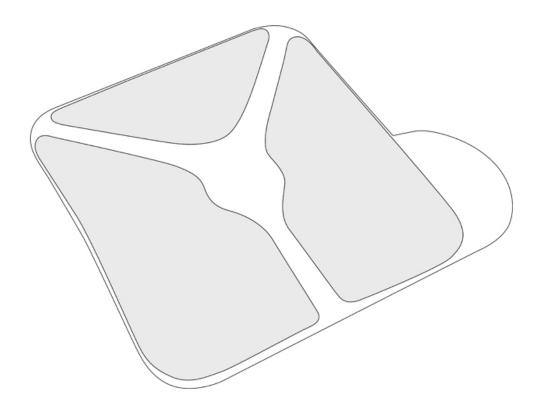
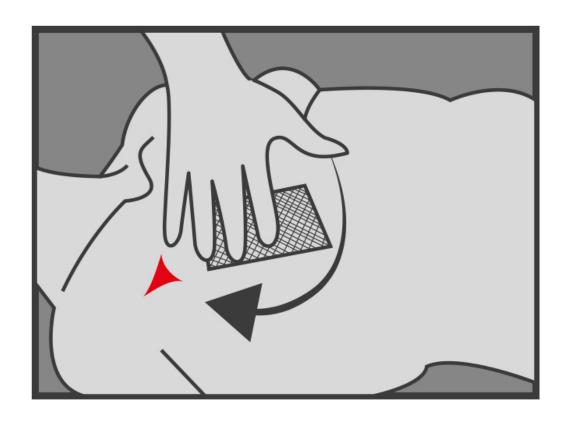
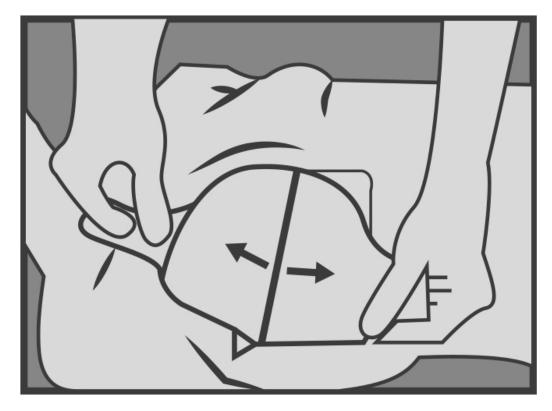
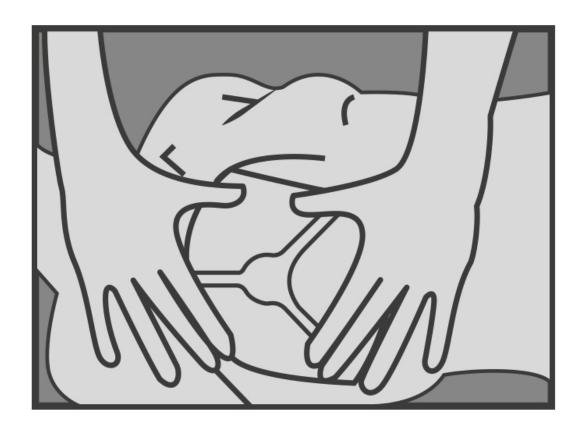
## Vented Chest Seal Users Manual



A chest seal is needed when someone suffers from an open chest injury which occurs between the belly button and the chin. Some of the signs of open chest injury include breathing difficulty. However, a vented chest seal helps release excess air in the chest cavity and prevents the collapsing of the lungs.







## How to use a chest seal

- Check between the belly button and chin of the victim for a penetrating bleeding wound.
- Ensure to check if there is also an exit wound, which should be lined up with the entry wound.
- When the wound is found, immediately place a gloved hand over it.
- Remove the seal from the package. Ensure not to remove the seal's plastic backing.
- Wipe off any blood, dirt, sweat away from the site of the wound.
- Remove your gloved hand covering the wound only when cleaning. Place it back over the wound immediately after cleaning.
- Put the seal close to the wound and remove the plastic backing slowly while rolling the seal's sticky side over the wound.

- Ensure that the seal is placed at the center of the wound.
- Ensure that the seal is stuck to the chest. The vent ports should not be covered with dirt or anything else. It would be difficult for excess air to escape if the vent ports are covered.
- Repeat the process if there is any other additional wound. If there is an exit wound, ensure to seal it also.