



PRIMARY SURVEY



What is an accident?

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By the end of this session you will be able to:

- Assess a situation for dangers to yourself and the casualty
- Assess the casualty's response, open their airway and check for breathing
- If breathing you will check for severe bleeding

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Before attempting first aid you should always:

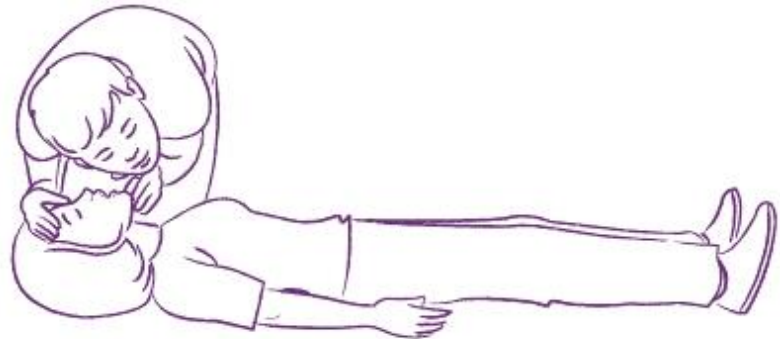
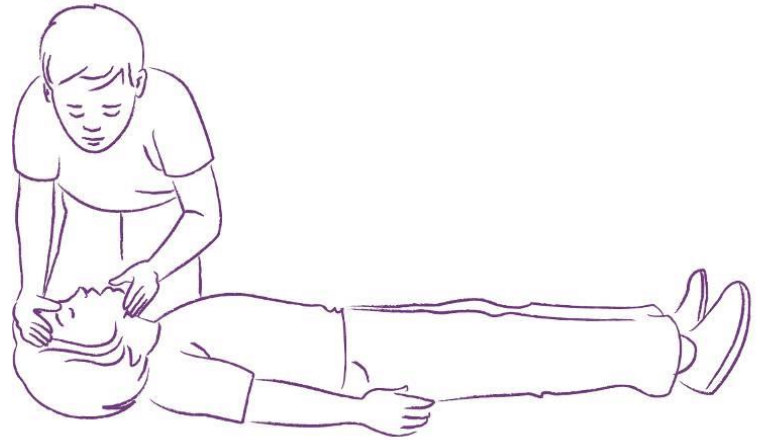
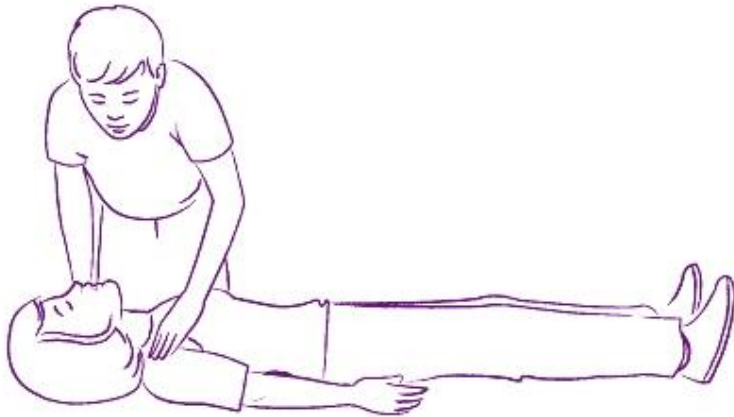
- Check that you are safe
- Check for a response
- Open the casualty's airway if necessary
- Check to see if the casualty is breathing
- If breathing, check to see if the casualty is bleeding

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DRABC:

- **D**anger
- **R**esponse
- **A**irway
- **B**reathing
- **C**heck for severe bleeding

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<http://www.sja.org.uk/sja/first-aid-advice/what-to-do-as-a-first-aider/how-to-assess-a-casualty/the-primary-survey.aspx>

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