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  - o Care Under Fire
  - o Tactical Field Care
  - o Tactical Evacuation Care
- 2. What are the steps for care under fire?
  - Return fire and take cover. Direct casualty to remain engaged as a combatant if
    possible. If unable to reach the casualty, direct the casualty to return fire, move to
    cover, and perform self aid. If unconscious, move patient to cover when feasible.

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 The only medical interventions that you should apply is a TQ to address life threatening bleeding when tactically feasible. Tourniquets should be placed as high as possible on wounded extremity.

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- Casualties should be moved from burning buildings and vehicles and moved to places of relative safety. If TQ is not necessary, move patient to cover.
- 3. What are the major goals of CUF?
  - Gain and maintain fire superiority
  - Prevent further injury to the casualty and the provider
  - Move the casualty to safety
  - Stop life threatening external hemorrhage
- 4. What do many people fail to understand about Care Under Fire?
  - CUF is not used to treat all injuries of a casualty. You do not set up shop and treat during this phase, priority is getting casualty to cover and eliminating enemy threats.
- 5. What is the most preventable cause of death in casualties?
  - Extremity trauma hemorrhage that can be generally be controlled by TQ use.
- 6. What are the characteristics of life threatening bleeding?
  - Pulsatile or steady bleeding from the wound.
  - Blood is pooling on the ground.
  - Clothes are soaked with blood.
  - Bandages are soaked with blood.
  - Amputation of limb.
- 7. What types of tourniquets should be used to control extremity bleeding?
  - Use CoTCCC approved tourniquets for hemorrhage.
- 8. What is proper method of CAT application?
  - Route around extremity and position as high as possible
  - Tighten as tight as possible.
  - Secure using velcro.
  - Twist rod until bleeding stops.
  - Secure windlass in securing clips.
  - Place the strap across the rod.
- 9. What is tactical field care?
  - Treatments provided to casualty once your element is no longer under effective hostile fire. It may consist of rapid treatment of serious wounds with the expectation of re-engagement of enemy forces at any moment.
  - Applies to situations where an injury has occurred, but there is no hostile fire.

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- This is where you set up shop, priority is conducting MARCH assessment to identify and treat LIFE THREATS that are treatable at the lowest skill level
- 10. What actions are taken during Tactical Field Care?
  - Establish a security perimeter in accordance with unit SOPS and Battle Drills.
  - The priority during this phase is to conduct a MARCH assessment to identify and threat life threats that are treatable at the lowest skill level.
  - Identify any life-threatening hemorrhage not already controlled.
  - A more deliberate and traditional head-to-toe MARCH survey is completed on each casualty after all life threats have been addressed. Injuries are managed in a head-to-toe-treat-as-you-go manner. Triage reoccurs during this entire phase.
  - Casualties with an altered mental status should be disarmed immediately, including communications equipment.
- 11. What remains paramount in tactical field care?
  - Security. Without proper security procedures, the enemy has a chance to cause more casualties.