

PENETRATING AND BLUNT INJURIES TO THE EYE

1. Check vision in each eye separately.
2. Assess for leakage of intraocular fluid.
3. Protect injured eye with metal eye pad or inverted paper cup.
4. Avoid applying a pressure dressing.
5. Cover uninjured eye to prevent lid and eye movement.
6. Stabilize impaled objects. **DO NOT** remove.