

Committee	FULL COUNCIL
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To consider buying a bleed kit for the High Street

In view of the rise in knife incidents, it might be responsible to consider buying a bleed kit for the High Street

Major injuries can happen in all environments, from car accidents to in home accidents, workplace machinery to, sadly, weaponised attacks. The Bleed Control Kits can handle the most testing of incidents.

The Cabinet

Secure, IP66, IK10 rated (Fully waterproof, dust proof and the highest impact rating available)

Locked with a marine grade combination lock

Highly visible front graphics

No power required, can be installed anywhere

Ventilated cabinet to prevent condensation

Various mount options (pole/post mount, fence mount, wall mount, [hoop bar mount](#) etc.)

Installation available for a complete package

Response times and speed of treatment are paramount to increasing the chances of saving a life in the event of catastrophic blood loss. The Turtle Engineering Emergency Bleed Control Cabinet is designed to be easily identifiable and accessible to minimise the time lost looking for equipment and maximise the chance of effective intervention.

There is a push button door lock code supplied with the cabinet. Once the cabinet is in location the custodian would then register the cabinet information via the link supplied in your paperwork – or alternatively this is the link <https://turtledefibcabinets.co.uk/bleed-control-kit-registration/>. This information is checked and inputted by the emergency services onto their system – for future use.

The cabinet is designed to hold one bleed kit. Components of these kits can be replaced – <https://turtledefibcabinets.co.uk/product-category/bleed-control/bleed-kit-parts/> . If the kit is used the emergency services notifies the custodian.

The cost of one cabinet and kit is £425 +VAT. This could be bought using budget for the environment.

Recommendation : that HTC agrees to provide a bleedkit for the High Street and to make the Streetwarden the custodian.

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