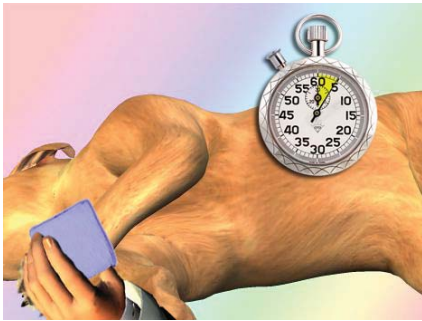


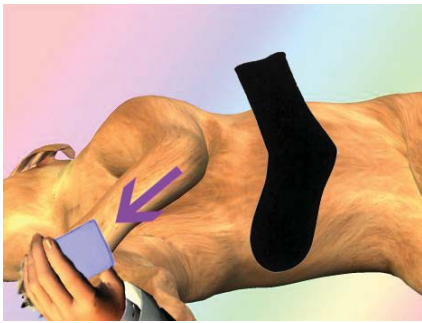
Paw Damage



1 Keep him as still as possible and have someone help you restrain him as you administer first aid



2 Apply pressure on the wound with a clean cloth, it should stop bleeding within 5 min



3 If bleeding persists longer than 5 min then place another bandage over the first and then place a sock over the leg and tape it at the top to hold in place and take your dog to the vet



4 If it isn't bleeding heavily then clean it by rinsing it with cool water and Betadine Skin cleanser or any antiseptic liquid and then dry thoroughly



5 Place some petroleum jelly over the shallow cut and use a sock to cover the wound and make sure to change the sock daily for the first 2-3 days and then at least every 2 days until it heals



6 If the paw damage becomes red, swells, or starts to smell there could be an infection so consult your vet



If your dog won't let you check him and fights too much then take him to the vet immediately



DO NOT remove initial cloth as it will remove the clot trying to form instead place another cloth over the bloody one



If the sock becomes wet or dirty you will need to replace it



To keep the sock clean cover it with a plastic bag if your dog goes outside and then remove it when he comes back in