DESCHUTES COUNTY ADULT JAIL
L. Shane Nelson, Sheriff

Facility Physician:

SO-550 Standing Order February 11, 2016

STANDING ORDER

INJURIES/FALLS

I. Clinical Presentation

A. **Signs and Symptoms**....inmate complains of recent injury which suggests it may be severe, deformity of body may be present, bruising, swelling, bone fragments may protrude from wound, and/or grating (or crepitus) may be felt or heard with movement of affected area. Injured area may be cool to touch and feeling may be reported as absent diminished.

II. Treatment

- A. Assess for airway, breathing and circulation.
- B. Call EMTs if necessary.
- C. Stabilize area of injury.

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