CORE Module Damage Control Surgery (DCS)	AMedP-1.8 / Skills Matrix		Comments
	Anaesthetise a patient	 Perform pre-operative assessment Perform general anaesthesia Perform local anaesthetic technique Perform regional anaesthesia Manage care in the recovery area Prescribe medical treatment 	Surgery module
	Deliver Surgical Care	 Perform pre-operative assessment Perform damage control surgery including: 1) Insertion of thoracic drain 2) Control of thoracic haemorrhages 3) Perform tracheotomy 4) Haemorrhage control (temporary haemostasis, limb vascular shunts etc.) 5) Intestinal exclusion, bile and pancreatic drainage, drain for pancreatic and/or hepatic secretion 6) Solid organ inspection and abdominal packing (liver, splenic, retroperitoneal and pelvic haemorrhage), splenectomy, nephrectomy. Laparostomy Perform abdominal revision surgery e. Damage Control orthopaedic Surgery 1) limb (debridement and external fixation) 2) spine (debridement and spine stabilization) 3) external bone fixation 4) amputation Escharotomy Perform surgery 1) Soft tissue 2) Abdominal 3) Thoracic 4) Vascular 5) Uro-genital 6) Limb debridement and external bone fixation or amputation 7) Spine (debridement and spine stabilization) 8) Brain trauma (trepanation for epidural or subdural haematoma) when a specialised surgeon is not available Manage post-operative ward care Prescribe medical treatment 	Minimum 1 Patient at a time