

RANGER LIFE SAVER



TRY TO IDENTIFY THE RESPONSIBLE SNAKE

DON'T CORNER OR CHASE THE SNAKE, OR TRY TO KILL IT. IT MAY RESULT IN MORE SNAKEBITES!!

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Boomslang (male)



Boomslang (juvenile)



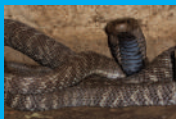
Twig Snake

**Boomslang or
Twig Snake
(Hemotoxic)**

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Puff Adder



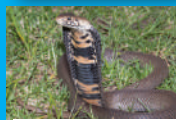
Zebra Cobra



Gaboon Adder



Rinkhals



Mozambique Spitting Cobra



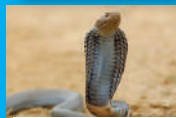
Red Spitting Cobra



Night Adder



Berg Adder



Black-necked Spitting Cobra



Stiletto Snake

**Adder, Stiletto or
Spitting Cobra
(Cytotoxic or combi)**

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Black Mamba



Green Mamba



Cape Cobra



Forest Cobra



Snouted Cobra



Anchieta's Cobra

**Mamba and
non-spitting Cobra
(Neurotoxic)**

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**BOOMSLANG OR TWIGSNAKE BITES
(Hemotoxic)**

and/or
the snake
responsible has
not been identified



Reassure the patient
and keep him/her
calm.

Immobilise the patient
and promptly transport
to the hospital.



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**ADDER, STILETTO
OR SPITTING COBRA
(Cytotoxic or combi)**

and/or
if there is pain
and/or swelling



Keep patient calm.

Remove any
constricting clothing
and jewelry.

Elevate the affected
limb slightly above the
heart.

Immobilise limb.

**NO PRESSURE
BANDAGE!**

**IF THE PATIENT
EXPERIENCES
DIFFICULTY WITH
BREATHING**

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**MAMBA AND NON-
SPITTING COBRA
(Neurotoxic)**

and/or
if there is drooping
eyelids, salivation,
slurred speech



Keep patient calm.
Apply PIT



PROMPTLY TRANSPORT TO THE **NEAREST HOSPITAL!**