The ASGE Guideline for the management of upper GI Bleeding states there are a several modalities for bleed management, including injection methods, cautery, and mechanical therapy.*

The ASGE Guideline for the management of lower GI Bleeding states there are several modalities for bleed management, including injection, thermal contact coagulation, argon plasma coagulation, hemostatic clips, and band ligation. The ASGE Guideline recommends the use of a distal attachment cap to facilitate the clipping of bleeding vessels within the dome of a diverticulum.**

The AGA Institute Clinical Practice Updates Committee suggests the use of retrieval nets for removal of clots and over-the-scope clips for peptic ulcer bleeding.***


The above chart suggests applications for STERIS Endoscopy bleed management devices. Only persons having adequate training and proficiency in endoscopic management of varical and acute non-varical bleeding are qualified to determine appropriate device usage in any given procedure.
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