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The study of transverse knots in dimension 3 has been instrumental in the development of 3 dimensional contact geometry. One natural generalization of transverse knots to higher dimensions is contact submanifolds. Embeddings of one contact manifold into another satisfies an h-principle for codimension greater than 2, so we will discuss the case of codimension 2 contact embeddings. We will describe several ways to prove there are non-isotopic contact embeddings in all dimensions. (Received August 20, 2018)