



Advanced Life Support

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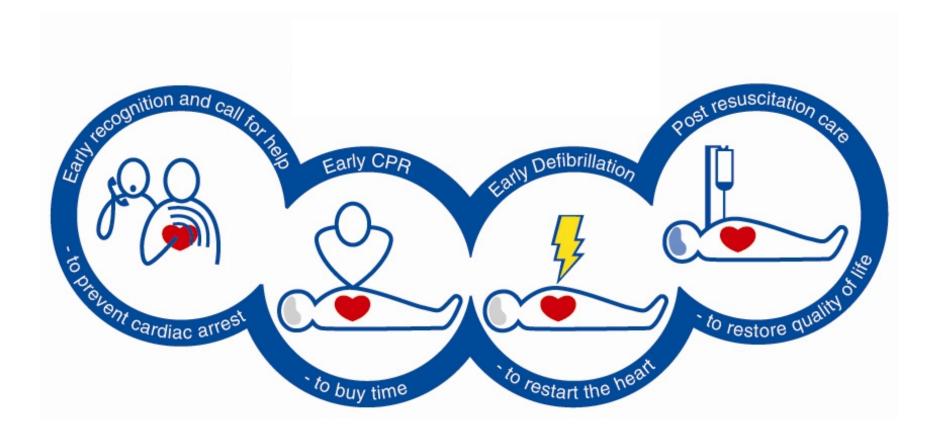
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Chain of Survival





Chain of Prevention



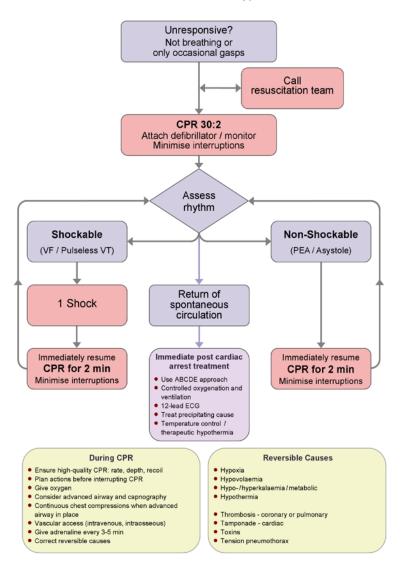
The National Early Warning Score (NEWS)

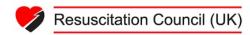
PHYSIOLOGICAL PARAMETERS	3	2	1	0	1	2	3
Respiration Rate	≤8		9 - 11	12 - 20		21 - 24	≥25
Oxygen Saturations	≤91	92 - 93	94 - 95	≥96			
Any Supplemental Oxygen		Yes		No			
Temperature	≤35.0		35.1 - 36.0	36.1 - 38.0	38.1 - 39.0	≥39.1	
Systolic BP	≤90	91 - 100	101 - 110	111 - 219			≥220
Heart Rate	≤40		41 - 50	51 - 90	91 - 110	111 - 130	≥131
Level of Consciousness				А			V, P, or U





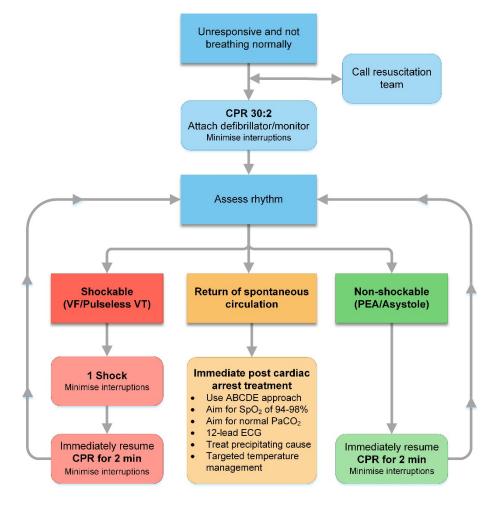
Adult Advanced Life Support







GUIDELINES 2015



During CPR

- Ensure high quality chest compressions
- Minimise interruptions to compressions
- · Give oxygen
- Use waveform capnography
- Continuous compressions when advanced airway in place
- Vascular access (intravenous or intraosseous)
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Treat Reversible Causes

- Hypoxia
- Hypovolaemia
- Hypo-/hyperkalaemia/metabolic
- Hypothermia
- Thrombosis coronary or pulmonary
- Tension pneumothorax
- Tamponade cardiac
- Toxins

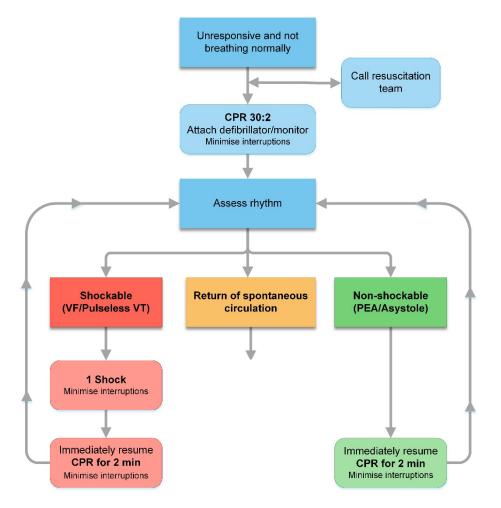
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Unresponsive and not breathing normally

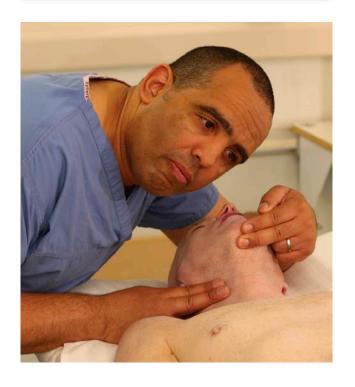


To confirm cardiac arrest...

- Patient response
- Open airway
- Check for normal breathing
 - Caution agonal breathing
- Check for signs of life



Unresponsive and not breathing normally



To confirm cardiac arrest...

- Pulse check if trained to do so
- Take less than 10 seconds for assessment
- Call for help early



Cardiac arrest confirmed

Unresponsive and not breathing normally

Call resuscitation team





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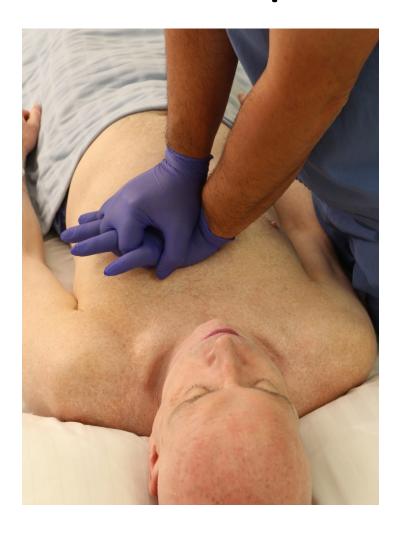
Call resuscitation team

CPR 30:2
Attach defibrillator/monitor
Minimise interruptions





Chest compression



- **3**0:2
- Compressions
 - centre of chest
 - 5-6 cm depth
 - 2 per second (100-120 min⁻¹)
- Maintain high quality compressions with minimal interruptions (<5 s)
- Continuous compressions once airway secured
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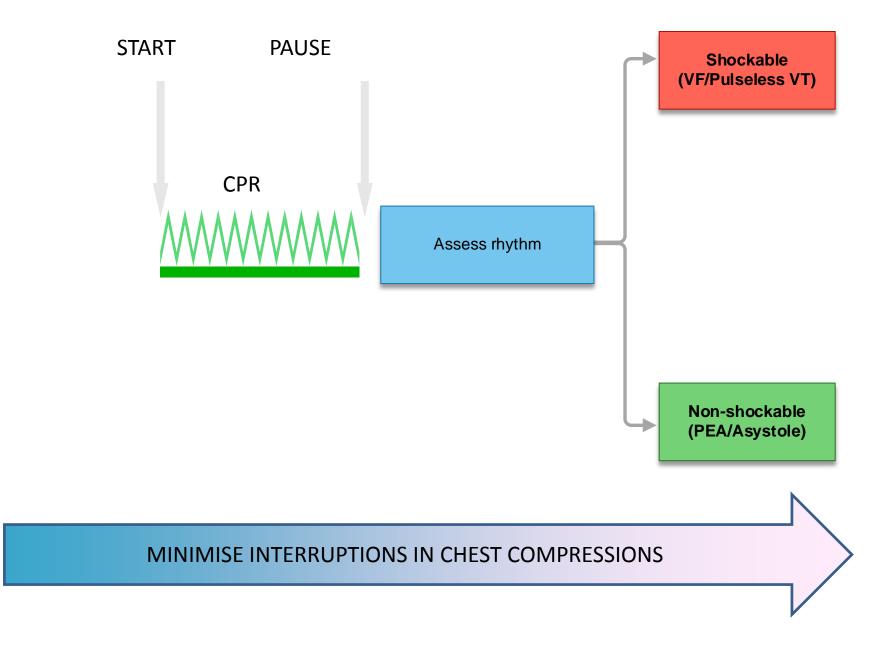
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Less than 5 second pause in chest compression for:

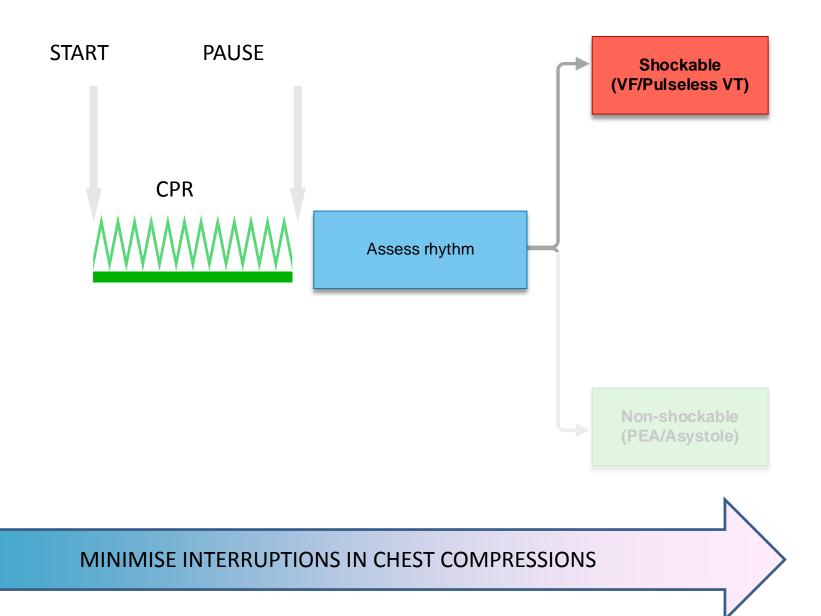
- Rhythm check
- Shock delivery
- Tracheal intubation

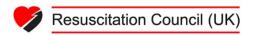






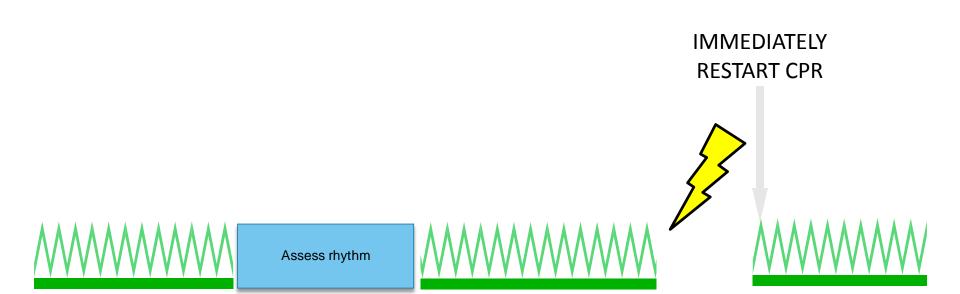




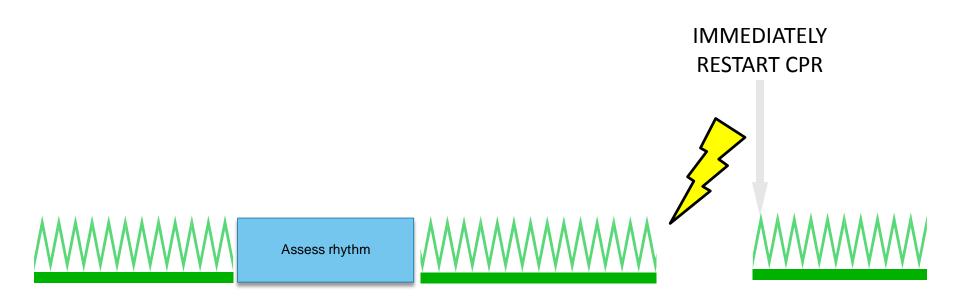




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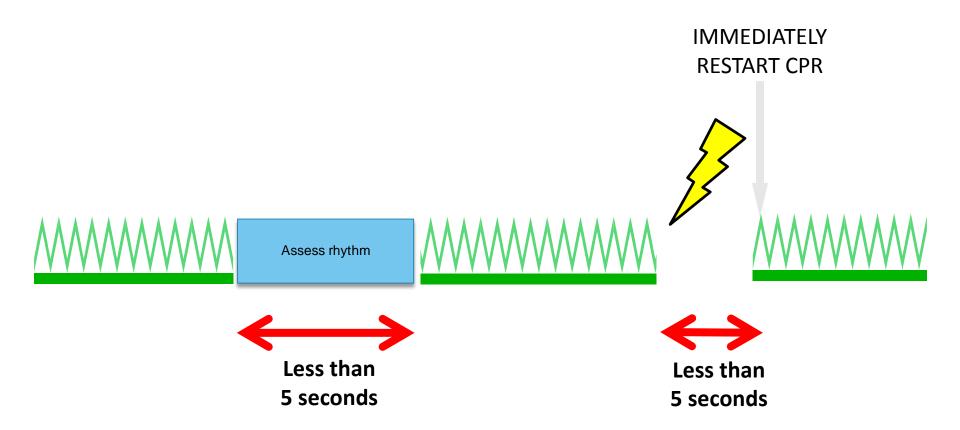
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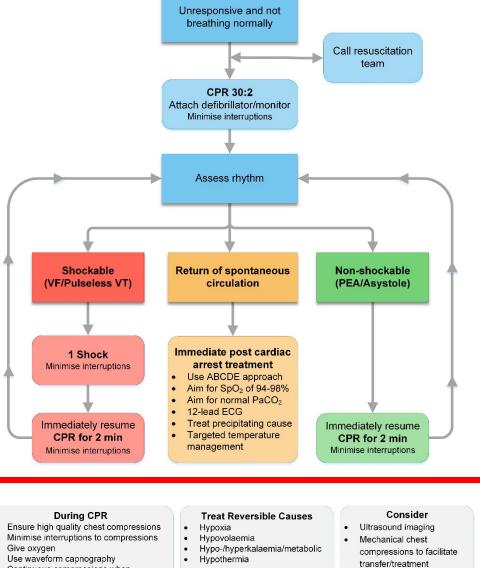
MINIMISE INTERRUPTIONS IN CHEST COMPRESSIONS



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Waveform capnography



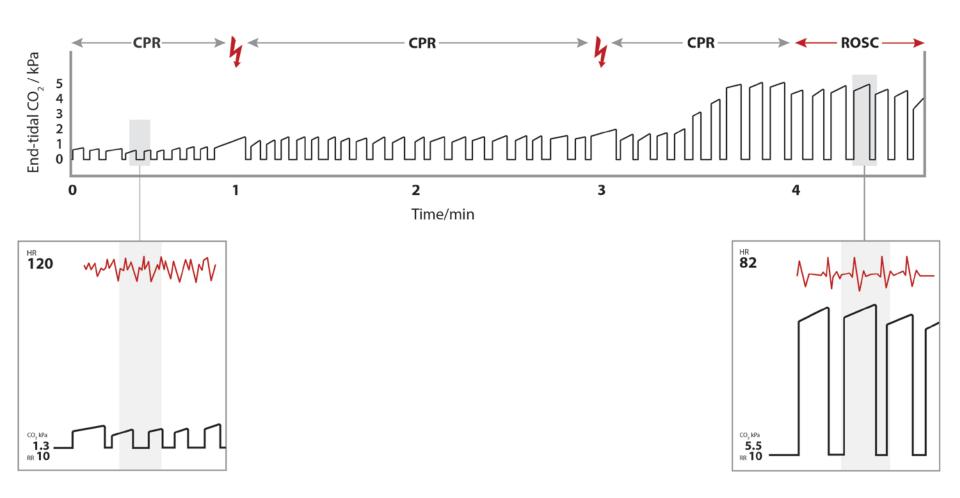


Information from waveform capnography during CPR

- Tracheal tube placement
- Guide to rate of ventilation
- Quality of chest compressions
- ROSC
- Prognostication



Example end-tidal CO₂ trace





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Airway and ventilation during CPR

- Stepwise approach according to rescuer/patient
 - Compression-only
 - Mouth-to-mouth
 - Mouth-to-mask
 - Bag-mask
 - Supraglottic airway device (e.g. LMA, i-gel)
 - Tracheal tube (videolaryngoscopy)



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Vascular access

Peripheral versus central veins



Intraosseous









Adrenaline & Amiodarone

Adrenaline

- Timings and dose not changed
- Non-shockable during CPR
- Shockable during third two minutes of CPR
- Subsequent doses every 3 -5 min

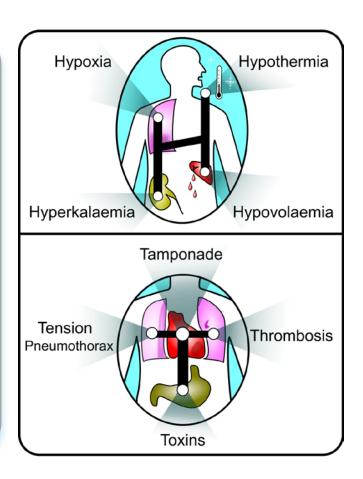
Amiodarone

After three shocks



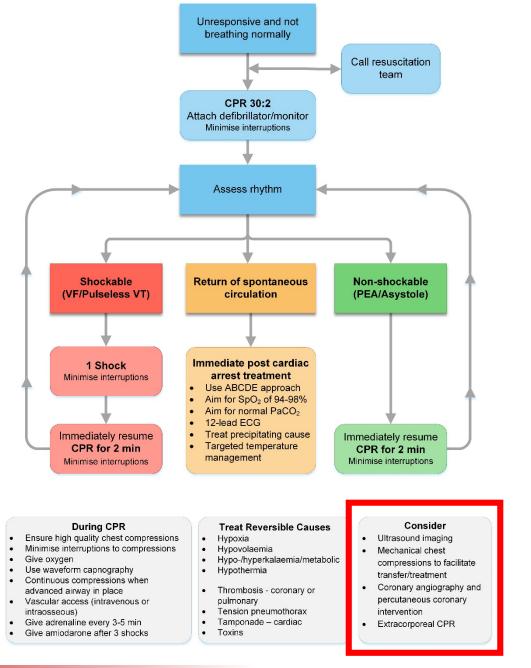
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Return of spontaneous circulation

Immediate post cardiac arrest treatment

- Use ABCDE approach
- Aim for SpO₂ of 94-98%
- Aim for normal PaCO₂
- 12-lead ECG
- Treat precipitating cause
- Targeted temperature management



Resuscitation team

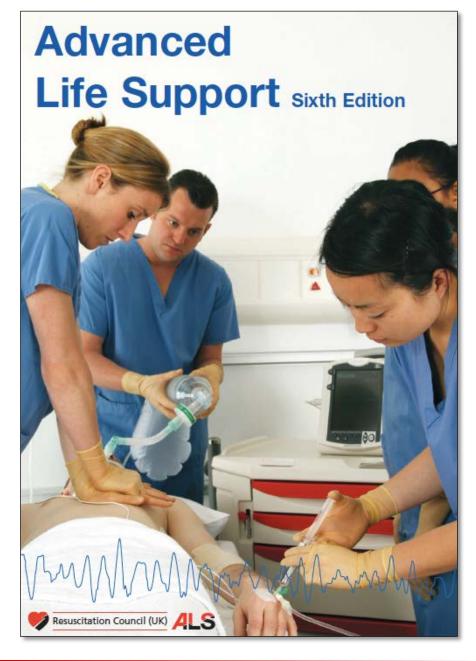
- Roles planned in advance
- Identify team leader
- Importance of non-technical skills
 - task management
 - team working
 - situational awareness
 - decision making
- Structured communication
 - SBAR or RSVP







Implementation







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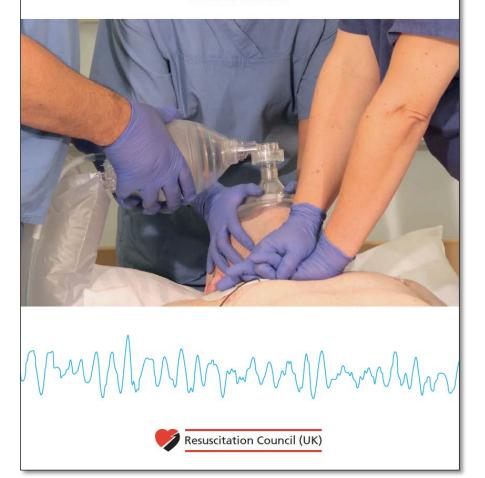
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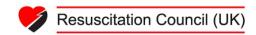




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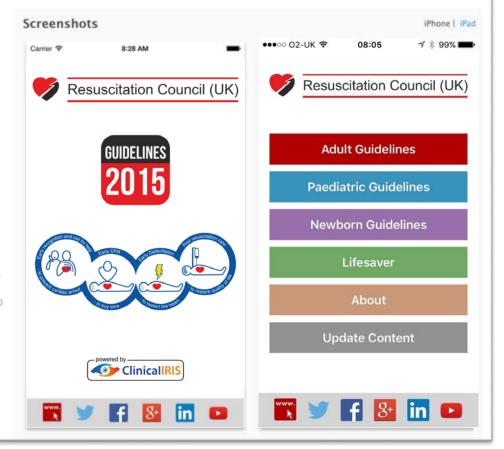
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Summary

- Importance of high quality chest compressions
- Minimise interruptions in chest compressions
- Monitoring during CPR
- Correct reversible causes of cardiac arrest
- Role of resuscitation team

