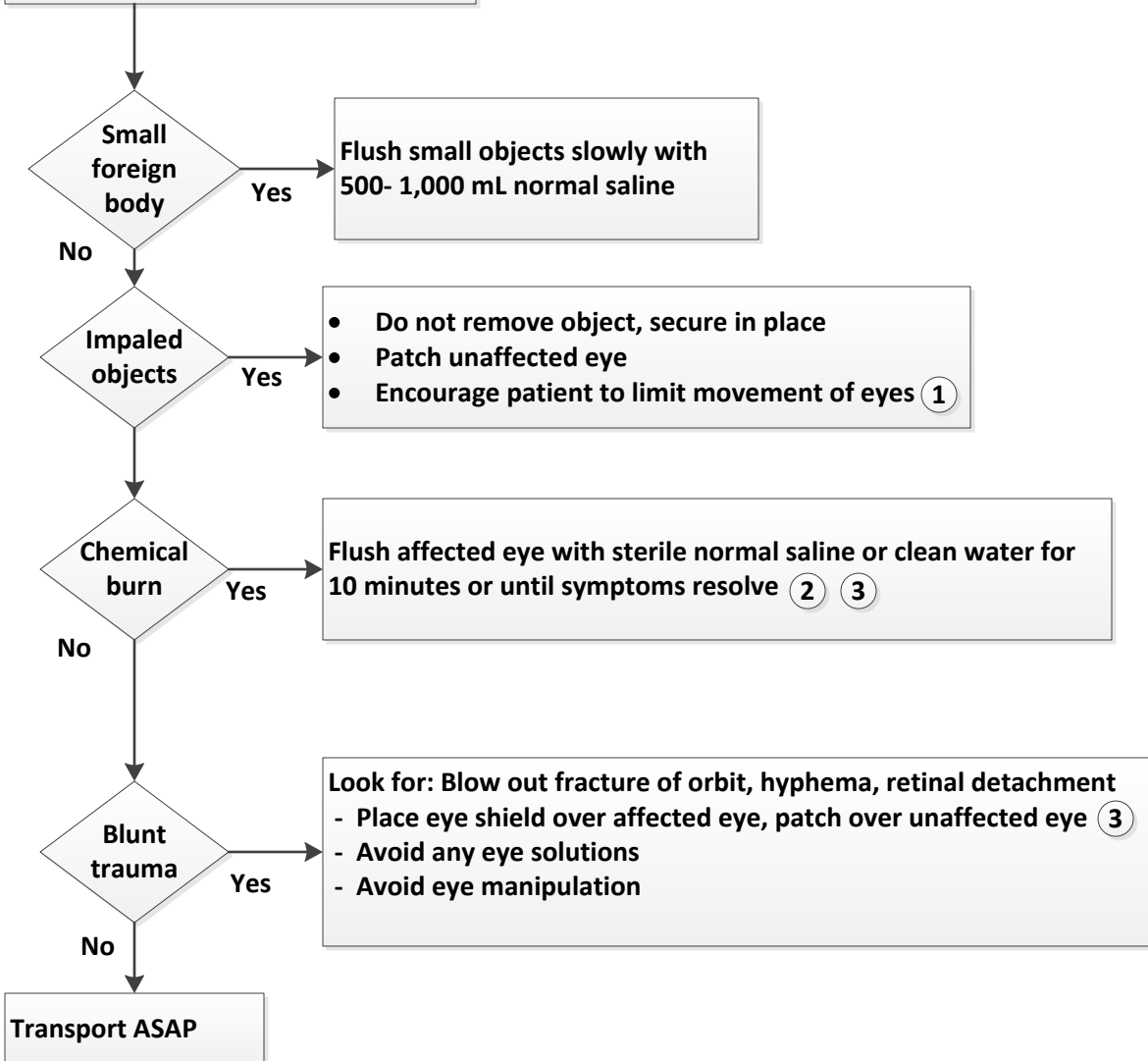


Trauma: Eye injury

- ABCs
- Oxygen 2-4 liters nc
- Consider C-spine precautions
- Use analgesia and sedation prn
- Give antiemetic



1. In patients requiring intubation, an open globe is a relative contraindication for the use of succinylcholine and ketamine due to the potential increase in intraocular pressure with risk for extrusion of ocular contents. Doses of ketamine < 3 mg/kg do not appear to increase intraocular pressure, but emesis is a common adverse reaction to ketamine, thus making other sedatives better choices.

2. If available, use proparacaine 1 -2 drops to numb the affected eye.

3. Keep HOB elevated 30 – 45 degrees.