

Healthcare CPR Cheat Sheet

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Check The Scene

Is it safe to approach? Tap and shout to see if you get a response from the person and look for signs of breathing.

Call 911 Immediately!

If alone and nobody is available to call. For an infant or child not breathing, attempt CPR first for 2 minutes before calling EMS.

Check for a pulse for no more than 10 seconds

No pulse or breathing? Start CPR.

30 Chest Compressions on the center of the chest and 2 Breaths.

For Compressions:

Adult: Both hands

Child: One hand

Infant: 2 fingers

Pulse but no breathing? Start Rescue Breathing.

Open the Airway (Tilt head, lift chin) *Give breaths* for the following intervals:

For Breaths:

Adult: 1 breath every 5 sec.

Child & Infant: 1 breath every 3 sec.

The ProCPR Method

Protect Yourself

If the scene is unsafe, call 911
If the scene is safe, use protective equipment

Respond

Unsafe: can it be made safe? Is it a true emergency?

Observe Signs/Symptoms

Shout and tap to determine responsiveness
Call 911 if no response and/or life threatening condition

Provide Proper Care

Treat patient based on present medical conditions

Relinquish Care

pass patient to provider of the next level of care



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Unconscious Choking:

Begin:

30 Chest Compressions

Check mouth for object, remove with finger

Attempt rescue breaths

Does the chest rise?

If so:

check for pulse

If there is a pulse start **rescue breathing.**

Still no pulse?

If not:

Re-position the head

Attempt Breaths Again.

Still not rising?

Repeat 30 chest compressions checking for an object, and attempting 2 rescue breaths.

Conscious Choking:

Adult & Child:

Place thumb side of fist just above the navel

Thrust upwards into abdomen

Infant:

Alternate between 5 back blows and 5 chest thrusts

If the patient is pregnant or too large, place thumb side of fist in center of chest and thrust upwards