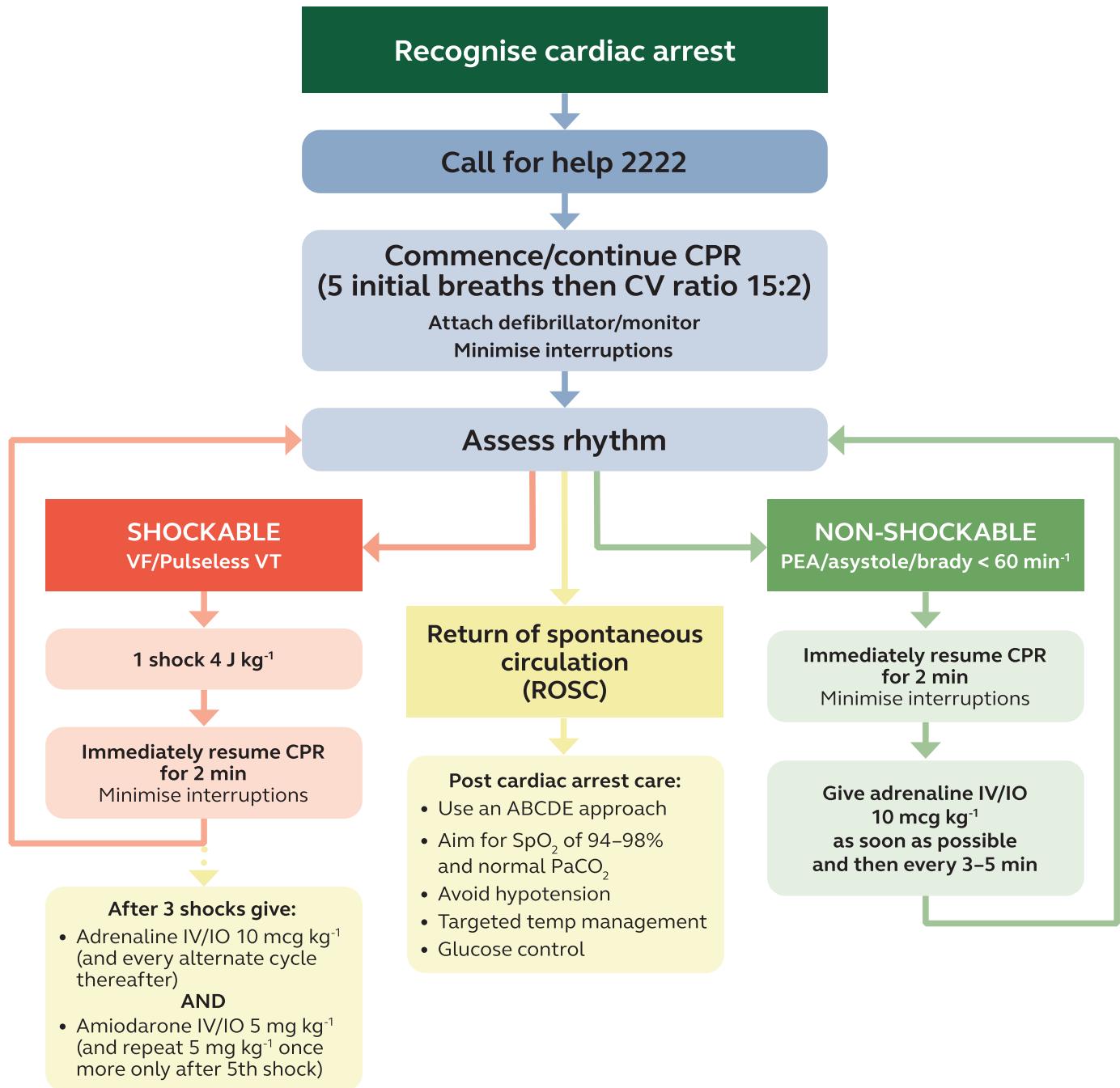


# Paediatric advanced life support



## During CPR

- Ensure high quality chest compressions are delivered:
  - Correct rate, depth and full recoil
- Provide BMV with 100% oxygen (2 person approach)
- Provide continuous chest compressions when a tracheal tube is in place.
- Competent providers can consider an advanced airway and capnography, and ventilate at a rate (breaths minute<sup>-1</sup>) of:
 

Infants: 25	1–8 years: 20	8–12 years: 15	> 12 years: 10–12
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- Vascular access IV/IO
- Once started, give Adrenaline every 3–5 min
- Maximum single dose Adrenaline 1 mg
- Maximum single dose Amiodarone 300 mg

## Identify and treat reversible causes

- Hypoxia
  - Hypovolaemia
  - Hyperkalaemia, hypercalcemia, hypermagnesemia, hypoglycaemia
  - Hypo-/hyperthermia
  - Thrombosis – coronary or pulmonary
  - Tension pneumothorax
  - Tamponade – cardiac
  - Toxic agents
- Adjust algorithm in specific settings (e.g. special circumstances)