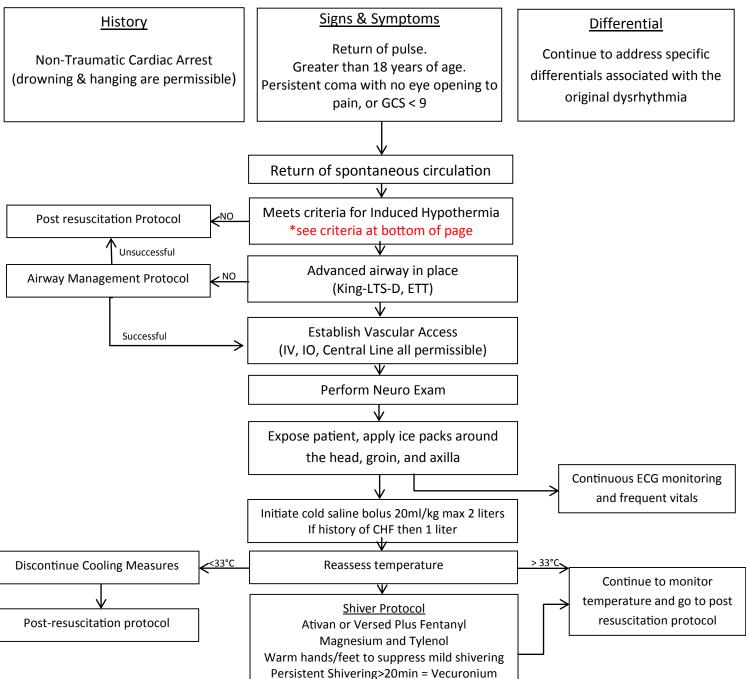


Induced Hypothermia



*not intended for use past 4 hours



Criteria for Induced Hypothermia

- ROSC not related to blunt/penetrating trauma
- Age 18 years or older with adult body habitus
- Temperature after ROSC greater than 34°C
- Advanced airway in place with no purposeful response to pain
- Protect patients modesty and leave undergarments in place
- Do not delay transport to cool
- Frequently monitor patients airway and lung sounds
- Patients may develop metabolic acidosis. <u>DO NOT HYPERVENTILATE</u>