Paediatric basic life support

Unresponsive

Call for help / activate 2222

Open airway

Breathing normally, signs of life?

NO or any doubt

5 rescue breaths
- Competent providers should use bag-mask ventilation with oxygen
- If unable/unsafe to ventilate perform continuous chest compressions, ventilate as soon as possible

If no signs of life observed during rescue breaths, immediately commence chest compressions
- 15 chest compressions: 2 breaths
- Attach ECG monitoring/defibrillator when available

Follow PAEDIATRIC ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT ALGORITHM on arrival of in-hospital clinical emergency team

YES

Assess ABCDE
O₂ monitoring, vascular access

Call further assistance as appropriate