Pediatric Management of Shock Flowchart





Pediatric Advanced Life Support

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- Oxygen
- Pulse oximetry
- ECG monitor
- IV/IO access
- BLS as indicated
- Point-of-care glucose testing

Hypovolemic Shock

Specific Management for Selected Conditions

Nonhemorrhagic	Hemorrhagic
20 mL/kg NS/LR bolus, repeat as neededConsider colloid	 Control external bleeding 20 mL/kg NS/LR bolus, repeat 2 or 3× as needed Transfuse PRBCs as indicated

Distributive Shock

Specific Management for Selected Conditions

Septic	Anaphylactic	Neurogenic
Management Algorithm: • Septic Shock	 IM epinephrine (or autoinjector) Fluid boluses (20 mL/kg NS/LR) Albuterol Antihistamines, corticosteroids Epinephrine infusion 	 20 mL/kg NS/LR bolus, repeat PRN Vasopressor

Cardiogenic Shock

Specific Management for Selected Conditions

Bradyarrhythmia/Tachyarrhythmia	Other (eg, CHD, Myocarditis, Cardiomyopathy, Poisoning)
Management Algorithms:BradycardiaTachycardia With Poor Perfusion	 5 to 10 mL/kg NS/LR bolus, repeat PRN Vasoactive infusion Consider expert consultation

Obstructive Shock

Specific Management for Selected Conditions

Ductal-Dependent (LV Outflow Obstruction)	Tension	Cardiac	Pulmonary
	Pneumothorax	Tamponade	Embolism
 Prostaglandin E₁ Expert consultation 	Needle decompressionTube thoracostomy	Pericardiocentesis20 mL/kg NS/LR bolus	 20 mL/kg NS/LR bolus, repeat PRN Consider thrombolytics, anticoagulants Expert consultation