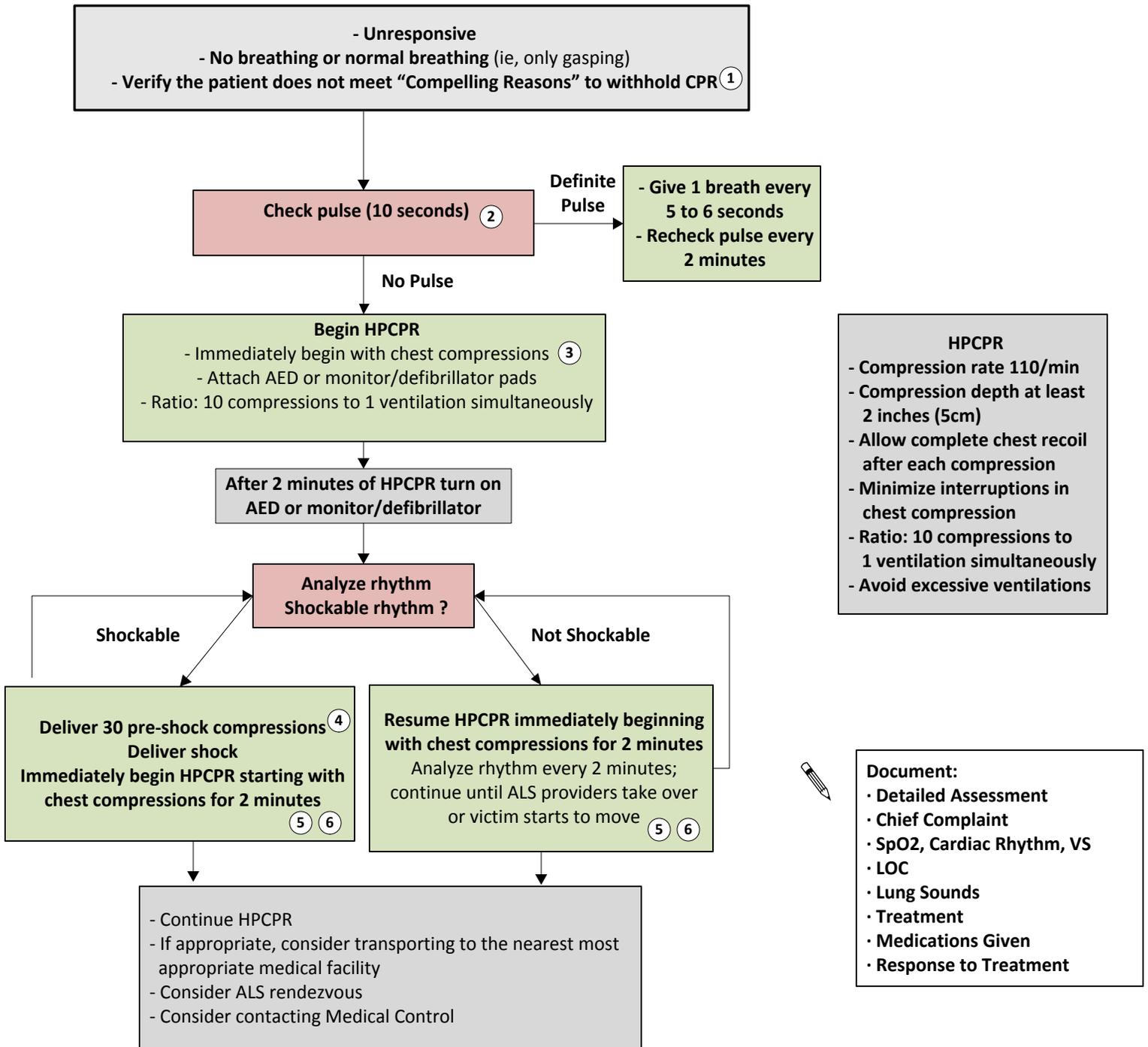


## CPR (high performance) Adult/Child (> 8 yrs old)



1. See Withholding Life Support Protocol.
2. While checking carotid pulse, may open pt's airway. Do not take the time to listen or feel for breathing.
3. High performance CPR should be performed for 2 minutes prior to delivery of the first shock.  
**Rescuers should change compressor role approximately every 2 minutes to prevent compressor fatigue and deterioration in quality and rate of chest compressions given.**
4. While AED or monitor/defibrillator is charging deliver 30 pre-shock compressions, if equipment allows.
5. Consider placement of a supraglottic airway. Do not interrupt chest compressions during placement. Follow current HPCPR guidelines for compression/ventilation ratio.
6. If circumstances allow and high performance CPR is able to be continued, consider transporting to the nearest most appropriate facility.

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