

Pediatric: Hypoperfusion / Hypovolemia

EMR

- ABC and vital signs
- Airway management with **oxygen** therapy maintaining a SaO₂ of 94-98% through titration

 **EMR STOP**

EMT

- Cardiac Monitor

 **EMT STOP**

EMT IV

ADVANCED EMT

- Vascular access
- **Normal Saline** 20 ml/kg IV bolus

 **EMT IV / ADVANCED EMT STOP**

Key Points/Considerations

- Diagnostic criteria for UNSTABLE includes: capillary refill time > 2 seconds, cool, clammy or mottled skin, inability to recognize parents, restlessness, listlessness, tachycardia, tachypnea, systolic BP less than 70 mmHg (2 years and older) or systolic BP less than 60 mmHg (less than 2 years old).
- A falling BP is a LATE sign of shock.
- Contact receiving hospital early, with “Trauma Alert” call, giving brief description of mechanism of injury and estimated time of arrival