# DANGER

### **CHECK FOR DANGER**

TO SELF / TO BYSTANDERS / TO CASUALTY / REMOVE HAZARDS

# RESPONSE

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CAN YOU HEAR ME / OPEN YOUR EYES / WHAT'S YOUR NAME SQUEEZE MY HAND / PLEASE LET GO

## SEND

### **SEND FOR HELP**

**CALL OR ASK A BYSTANDER TO PHONE '000'** 

## **AIRWAY**

### **OPEN AIRWAY**

CHECK AND CLEAR / POSITION CASUALTY ON BACK SUPPORT HEAD, TILT SLIGHTLY, CHECK AND CLEAR MOUTH

## BREATHING

### **BREATHING NORMALLY?**

YES, PLACE IN RECOVERY POSITION / NO, COMMENCE CPR

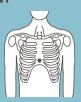
## CPR

## **COMMENCE CPR / 30:2**

GIVE 30 CHEST COMPRESSIONS FOLLOWED BY 2 RESCUE BREATHS

#### **LOCATE COMPRESSION POINT**

FIND THE CENTRE OF THE CHEST.
PLACE THE HEEL OF YOUR HAND
ON THE COMPRESSION POINT
WITH THE FINGERS PARALLEL TO
THE RIBS AND SLIGHTLY RAISED.
PLACE YOUR OTHER HAND
ON TOP OF THE FIRST.



## CHEST COMPRESSIONS COMPRESS TO APPROX

1/3 OF DEPTH OF CHEST. 30 COMPRESSIONS AT A RATE OF 100 PER MINUTE.



Royal Life Saving recommends for drowning related emergencies:

- Ensure your safety while undertaking a rescue.
- Check and clear the airway with the person on their side.
- If not breathing give 2 rescue breaths and commence CPR.

#### **RESCUE BREATHS**

SUPPORT HEAD AND JAW. A SLIGHT HEAD TILT MAY BE NECESSARY TO OPEN THE AIRWAY.

DELIVER 2 BREATHS ALLOWING 1 SECOND PER INHALATION.



#### **RECOVERY POSITION**

IF NORMAL BREATHING RETURNS, POSITION CASUALTY ON SIDE. ENSURE THE AIRWAY REMAINS CLEAR.



IF UNWILLING / UNABLE TO PERFORM RESCUE BREATHS CONTINUE CHEST COMPRESSIONS.

FOR INFANTS (BIRTH - 1 YEAR): DO NOT TILT HEAD. COVER BOTH NOSE AND MOUTH FOR RESCUE BREATHS. USE 2 FINGERS TO COMPRESS CHEST 1/3 OF DEPTH.



ATTACH DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) AS SOON AS AVAILABLE FOLLOW AED PROMPTS / CONTINUE CPR UNTIL SIGNS OF NORMAL BREATHING AND RESPONSIVENESS RETURN



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Enrol in a CPR course and update your skills annually. © RLSSA 2011

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