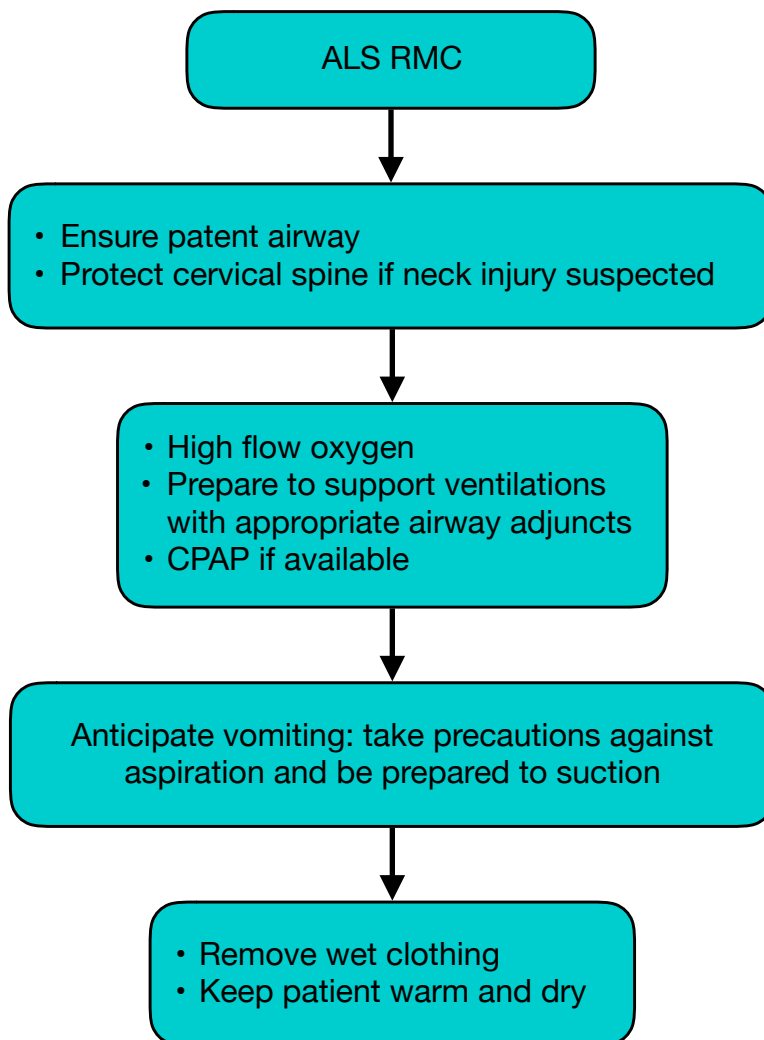


DROWNING/NEAR DROWNING

Indications

- Drowning: loss of consciousness in water, now in full arrest
- Non-drowning: loss of consciousness in water, not in full arrest



SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS

- If patient presents in full arrest and is normothermic, treat as cardiac arrest
- If patient is hypothermic (<95°F), refer to Cold Induced Injury policy