






ABCDE chart

	EXAMINATION	INTERVENTION	GOAL
A 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • airway noises • position of head • foreign body • fluid, secretions • oedema 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • open • suction • secure • O₂ 	Patent airway
B 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • look - listen - feel approach • respiratory rate and effort • breath and added sounds • subcutaneous emphysema • symmetry of chest movement • tracheal deviation • jugular vein distention • cyanosis <p>SpO₂ - ETCO₂ - USG - X-ray - CT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • O₂ according to SpO₂ • pneumothorax therapy • inhalation therapy • ventilation 	Sufficient oxygenation and ventilation
C 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • heart rate • blood pressure • capillary refill time • bleeding • skin colour • blood samples • diuresis <p>ECG - USG - CT - X-ray</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I.V. / I.O. access • control of bleeding • massive haemorrhage protocol • fluids • drugs • transfusion 	Stabilization of circulation
D 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AVPU / GCS • reactivity and symmetry of pupils • blood glucose level • basic neurological examination • posture • toxicological examination 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • glucose • antidotes 	Evaluation of neurological state
E 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • head to toe examination • medical history • temperature • injuries • oedemas • scars • signs of drug abuse • skin changes • signs of infection/sepsis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • identified cause therapy • thermomanagement • trauma treatment • insertion of NGT, IUC 	Revealing other symptoms and thermomanagement