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	Simple Triage and Rapid Treatment (START) JumpSTART Pediatric Triage	Effective:	11/01/16
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Purpose:

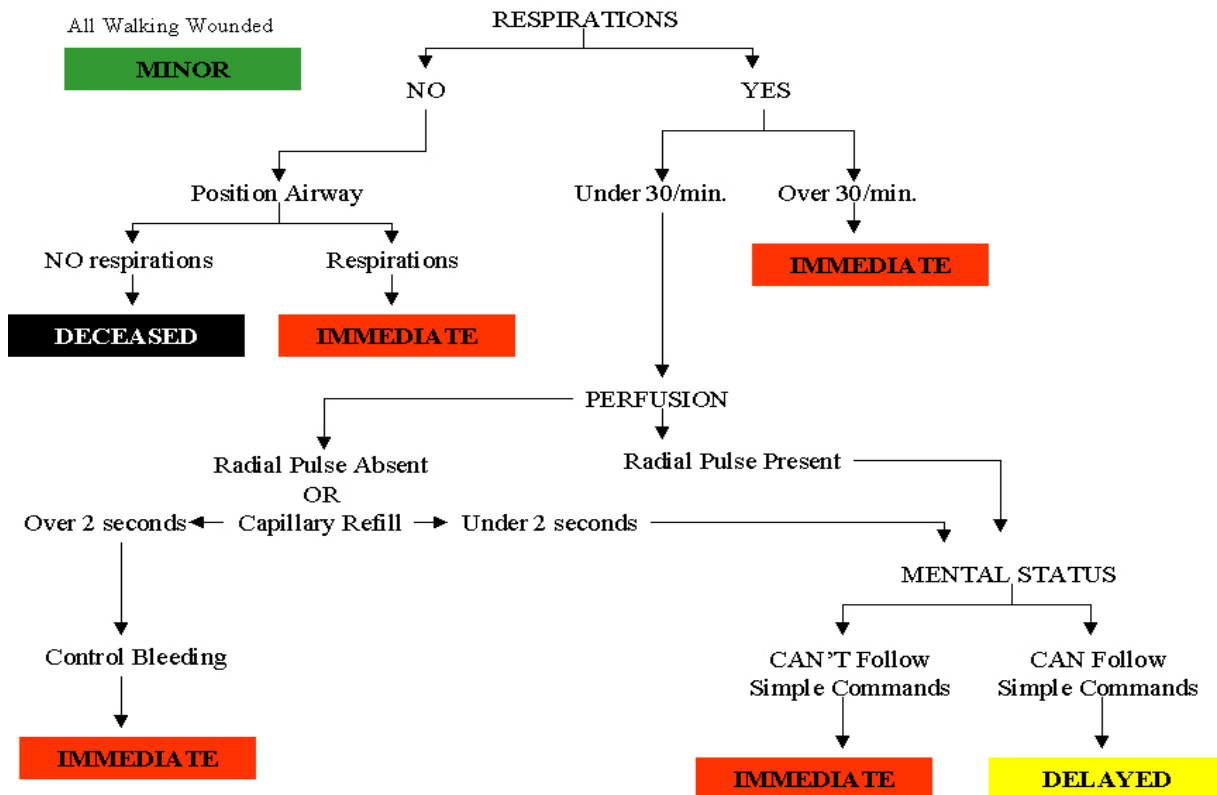
- A. ~~To define roles and responsibilities for Continuing Education (CE) Providers.~~ **To define the mass casualty triage algorithm to be used in Mass Casualty Incidents (MCI) where standard prehospital triage would be inadequate to rapidly and effectively triage all patients.**

Authority:

- A. California Health and Safety Code, Division 2.5
- B. California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Division 9

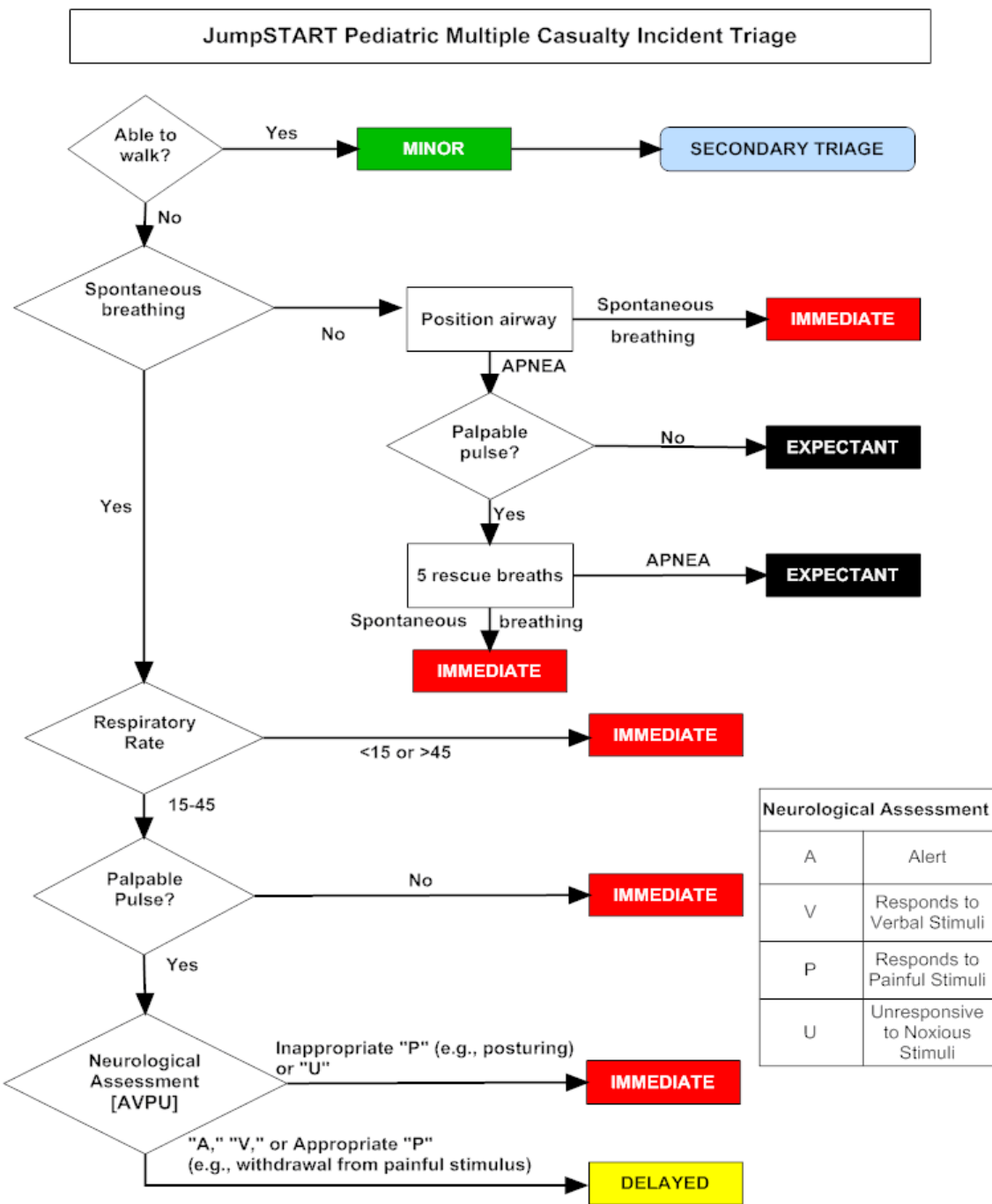
Protocol:

- A. Instruct all patients who are able to ambulate to move to a certain area – triage as minor.
- B. For remaining patients:



NOTE: Once a patient reaches a triage level indicator in the algorithm, (i.e. IMMEDIATE TAG box), triage of this patient should stop and the patient should be tagged accordingly.

- A. For patients 1-8 years of age.
- B. If unable to determine age; if the victim appears to be a child, use JumpSTART
- C. If the victim appears to be a young adult, use START



Use JumpSTART if the Patient appears to be a child.

Use an adult system, such as START, if the patient appears to be a young adult.

Cross Reference: PD# 7500 Disaster Medical Services Plan