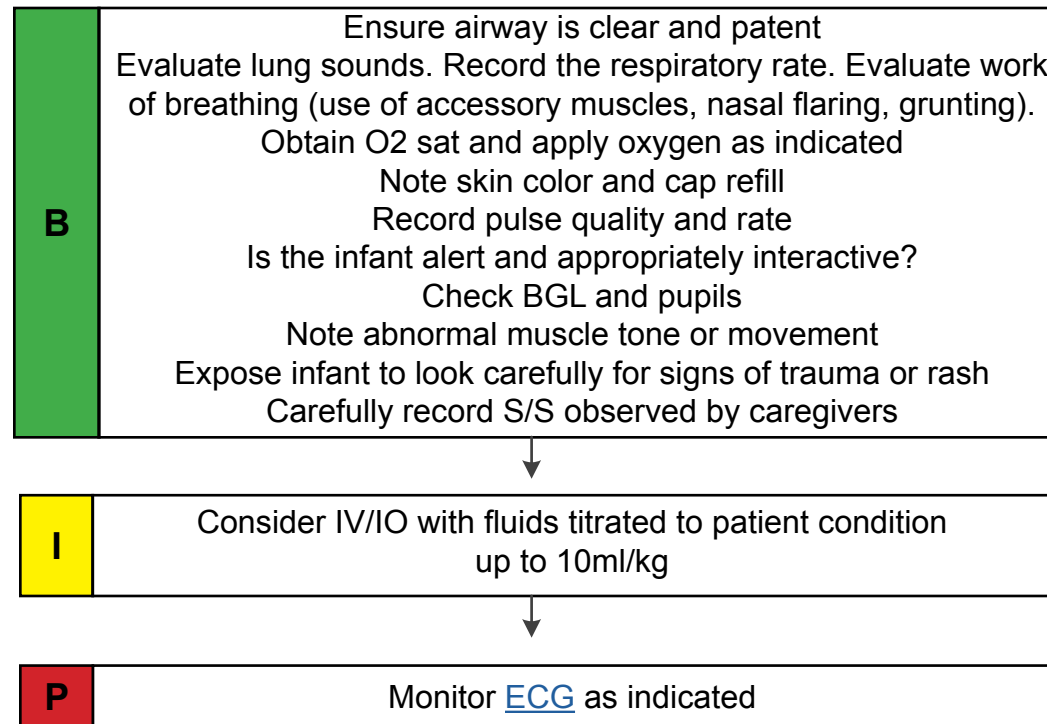


BRUE (Pediatric Brief Resolved Unexplained Events)

Designation of Condition: Previously known as ALTE (Apparent Life Threatening Event) A brief episode lasting less than one minute that is now resolved that is frightening to the parent or caregiver and that is characterized any combination of the following observations:

1. The infant must have become cyanotic or pallid.
2. There must have been absent, decreased or irregular breathing.
3. There must have been a marked change in tone; either hypertonia or hypotonia and/or
4. There must have been an altered level of responsiveness.



*****KEY POINT*****

Any child suspected of experiencing an BRUE/ALTE should be transported to a hospital with pediatric admission capabilities