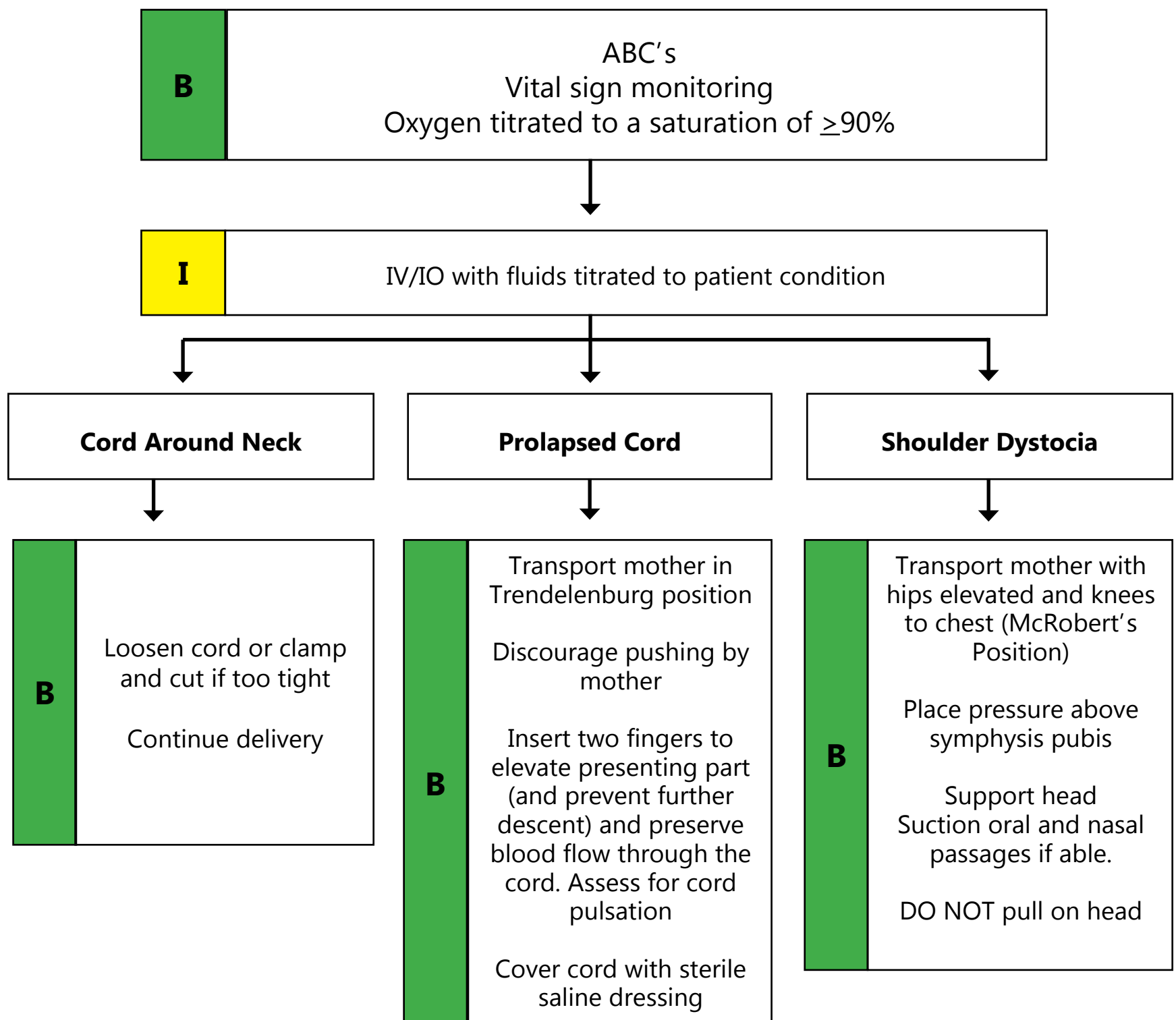


# Obstetrics Abnormal Birth Emergencies

**Designation of Condition:** The fetus presents in an abnormal (breech) position, the cord slips down into the vagina or presents externally after the amniotic membranes have ruptured, the cord presents around the fetus' neck, or the shoulder has become jammed against the symphysis pubis and will not deliver independently.



## \*\*\*KEY POINT\*\*\*

### Increased risk for shoulder Dystocia

- Diabetic mothers
- Known Macrosomia (estimated fetal weight >10 lbs)