

環境醫學急重症

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- Hypothermia
- Heat disorder
- Electrical Injuries and Lightning Injuries
- Anaphlaxis
- Venomous Snake Bites



Hypothermia



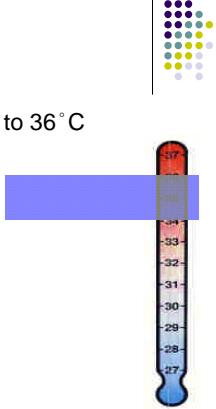
Hypothermia

- Definition : core temperature $<35^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Classification:
 - Mild: 34°C to 36°C
 - Moderate: 30°C to 34°C
 - Severe: $<30^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Causes:
 - Environmental (exposure to cold temperatures), hypothyroidism, sepsis, adrenal insufficiency, drugs, CNS disorders, introgenic (fluid resuscitation) and metabolic disorders



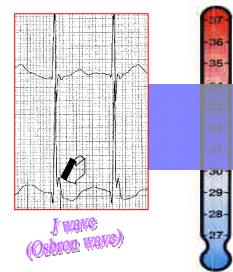
Mild hypothermia

- Core temperature : 34°C to 36°C
- Clinical feature:
 - Lethargy
 - Vasoc constriction
 - Shivering
 - Cold diuresis
 - Increased oxygen demand



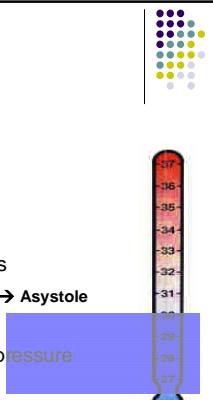
Moderate hypothermia

- Core temperature : 30°C to 34°C
- Clinical features:
 - Lethargy → stupor
 - Dilated pupils
 - Bradycardia, arrhythmias
 - Hypotension
 - Muscle rigidity
 - Cessation of shivering
 - Decreased O_2 demand



Severe hypothermia

- Core temperature : $< 30^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Clinical features:
 - Stupor → coma
 - Dilated, nonreactive pupils
 - Potential malignant arrhythmias
 - Sinus brady → Af with SVR → Vf → Asystole
 - Difficult to detect breathing
 - Difficult to detect pulse, blood pressure



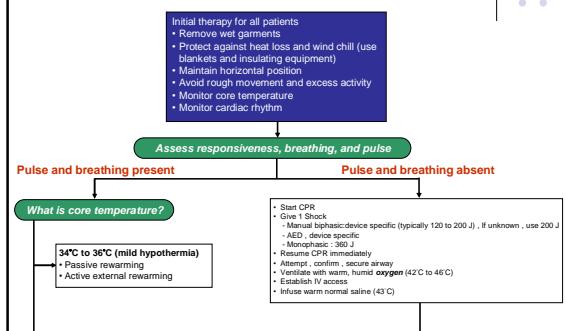
Hypothermia: Management

- 一般之處置
- 檢查神智，ABC (需檢查30~45秒)
- 有脈搏者：按照低體溫嚴重度給予回溫
- 無脈搏者：CPR，電擊去顫(VT/VF)，體溫大於30度才可靜脈給藥及繼續電擊

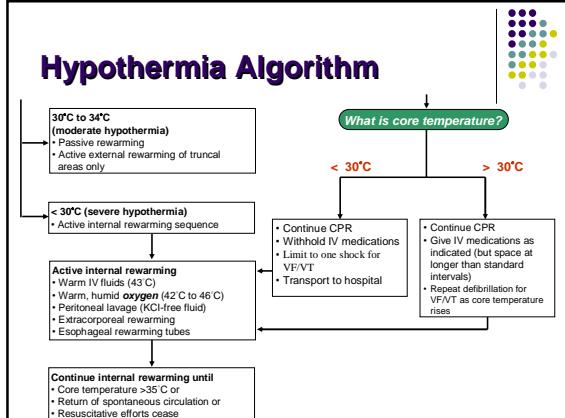
Hypothermia: Management

- Removal from the cold environment and prevent further heat loss
- Begin warming process
 - Passive external rewarming (被動體外加溫)
 - 擦乾, 移除濕冷衣物, 溫毛毯
 - Active external rewarming (主動體外加溫)
 - 溫氈, 烤燈, 暖風扇, 溫水袋, 溫IV輸液
 - Active internal rewarming (主動體內加溫)
 - 吸入42~46°C溫熱潮濕氧氣, 溫熱之靜脈輸液(43°C), 鼻胃管灌洗(43°C), 尿管膀胱灌洗(43°C), 腹膜腔灌洗(43°C KCl-free fluid, 每次兩升), 體外循環回溫(ECMO), 食道回溫管回溫

Hypothermia Algorithm



Hypothermia Algorithm



Heat disorder



Heat disorder

- Classification:
 - Heat cramps
 - Heat exhaustion
 - Heat stroke
- Predisposing factors
 - Physical activity (hot and humid environment)
 - Extremes of age, poor physical condition, fatigue
 - Inadequate indoor cooling and Excessive clothing
 - Dehydration
 - Skin disorders
 - Drugs (phenothiazines, anticholinergics, amphetamines, haloperidol, cocaine, TCA)

Heat cramps

- Pathophysiologic:
 - Inadequate replacement of salt from loss through sweating => hyponatremia => muscle cramps
- Clinical feature
 - Severe muscle cramping involving the calves, thighs and shoulders
 - Body temperature is normal
- Treatment:
 - Oral or IV fluid and electrolytes replacement
 - Rest in cool environment

Heat exhaustion

- Pathophysiologic:
 - Salt water depletion from sweating loss => hypovolemia and hypoperfusion with normal mental status and neurological exam
- Clinical feature:
 - Extreme fatigue and profuse sweating, dizziness, headache, nausea, vomiting
- Treatment:
 - Bed rest in a cool environment
 - Rapid IV fluid and electrolytes replacement

Heat stroke

- Pathophysiologic:
 - Breakdown of central thermoregulatory control => hyperpyrexia with altered mental status, neurologic symptoms and cerebral edema
- End-organ and systemic dysfunction
 - Cardiac (CHF with pulmonary edema)
 - Pulmonary (ARDS)
 - Liver (marked elevation of AST/ALT)
 - Kidney (hematuria, proteinuria, acute tubular necrosis)
 - Muscular (rhabdomyolysis and acute renal failure)
 - Hematologic (altered coagulation => bleeding, DIC)

Heat stroke

- Classic heat stroke
 - Most often in elderly patients by environmental heat exposure
 - Sweating initially then stop sweating and develop hot, dry skin
 - Lab:
 - Respiratory alkalosis + mild acidosis
 - Mild coagulopathy + CPK elevation
 - Normal glucose and calcium level
- Exertional heat stroke
 - Most often in young and healthy patients in strenuous exercise
 - Diaphoretic and sweating
 - Lab:
 - Respiratory alkalosis + marked lactic acidosis
 - DIC + rhabdomyolysis
 - ↑ BUN/Cr (ARF)
 - Hypoglycemia and hypocalcemia
- Treatment:
 - Stabilization, monitoring ABC and rapid cooling

Electrical Injuries and Lightning Injuries

Electrical Injuries

- Type of electrical current
 - Direct current (DC): industrial, batteries, welding supplies
 - Discrete exit wound
 - Asystole more common
 - Alternating current (AC): household and commercial
 - Explosive exit wound
 - Ventricular fibrillation more common
- Magnitude of current
 - High voltage: > 1000V
 - Low voltage: < 1000V
- Resistance of current
 - High resistance: bone, dry skin, tendon, and fat
 - Low resistance: nerves, blood vessels, muscle, mucous membranes



Electrical Injuries

- Complications:
 - Respiratory arrest
 - Cardiac arrest (Vf and asystole)
 - Cardiac dysrhythmias
 - Massive muscle breakdown
 - Myoglobinuric renal failure
 - Electrolytes imbalance ($\uparrow K$, $\downarrow Ca$)
 - Compartment syndromes
 - Shock

Electrical Injuries

- Severity is associated
 - Type of current, tissue resistance, time of contact, location of contact and pathway of current through the body
- Management:
 - ABC assessment and stabilization
 - Adequate hydration
 - Myoglobinuria: the urine should be alkalinized by adding 50 meq of NaHCO₃ to increase myoglobin solubility, keep urine pH > 7.45 and urine output 1-1.5cc/kg/h
 - Wound care and fasciotomy if compartment syndrome is considered

Lightning injuries

- Lightning consists of very high voltage DC current in excess of 10 million volts
- High mortality rate (30%) and 75% of survivors sustain significant morbidity and sequelae
- Because of the extremely short duration of a lightning strike, victims rarely suffer deep burns or tissue injury and do not require significant IV fluids
- There is no skin penetration as the current passes over the skin and causes vaporization of moisture resulting in steam burns



Anaphylaxis



Anaphylaxis

- Definition:
 - A life-threatening systemic hypersensitivity reaction to contact with an allergen
- Allergens:
 - Insect stings
 - Drugs, vaccines, and contrast media
 - Some foods (milk, eggs, fish, shellfish, peanut and tree nut.....)
 - Idiopathic
- Clinical features:
 - Respiratory
 - Mucous membrane swelling, hoarseness, stridor, wheezing
 - Cardiovascular
 - Tachycardia, hypotension, vascular collapse
 - Cutaneous
 - Pruritus, urticaria, angioedema
 - Gastrointestinal
 - Nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain and diarrhea

Anaphylaxis

- Oxygen supplement
- Epinephrine :
 - IM 0.3 to 0.5 mg (1:1000) Q5-10'
 - IV (1:10 000; 10 mL) 1-5 mL over 5 minutes (嚴重有生命危險者)
 - IVF 1-4 µg/min
 - SC 休克病患吸收差
- Antihistamines: diphenhydramine 25 mg IV or IM
- H2 blockers: cimetidine 300 mg PO, IM, or IV
- Crystallloid fluids : NS 1-2 L甚至4L
- Bronchodilator: albuterol + ipratropium inhalation
- Corticosteroids: methylprednisolone
- Glucagon: 使用 β-blockers 者, 1-2 mg IM or IVQ5 min

Anaphylaxis

- Angioedema:
 - labial swelling, hoarseness, lingual edema
 - => Early Intubation or needle cricothyrotomy
- Cardiopulmonary collapse :
 - Fiberoptic tracheal intubation
 - Needle cricothyrotomy + transtracheal ventilation
 - 快速大量輸液 2 - 4L
 - **High-dose epinephrine IV for Anaphylactic CPR!**
 - 1-3 mg (3 min), 3-5 mg (3 min), then 4-10 mg/min.
 - 静脈給予抗組織胺
 - 類固醇
 - 積極地 CPR



Venomous Snake Bites

蛇類--總論

全世界

- 蛇類約2700種
- 毒蛇有375種

台灣

- 蛇類約55種
- 毒蛇有19種
- 7種海蛇 12種陸蛇

毒藥物季刊

台灣常見六種有毒陸蛇



- 出血毒
赤尾鈍--赤尾青竹絲
龜殼花
百步蛇--蝮蛇、尖吻蝮



- 神經毒
雨傘節
飯匙倩--眼鏡蛇



- 混合毒
鎖鏈蛇--圓斑蝰



臨床中毒症狀決定因素

- 毒蛇咬傷 20%為乾咬 dry bite (無毒液注入)
- 人體中毒反應程度決定於
 - 一、毒蛇種類
 - 二、毒液量
 - 1. 蛇之大小
 - 2. 咬傷之次數
 - 3. 毒牙數目
 - 4. 毒牙刺入皮下停留時間
 - 三、傷者之體型、年齡
- 雨傘節與百步蛇咬傷死亡率高達20 %以上

蛇咬傷到院前初步處置原則

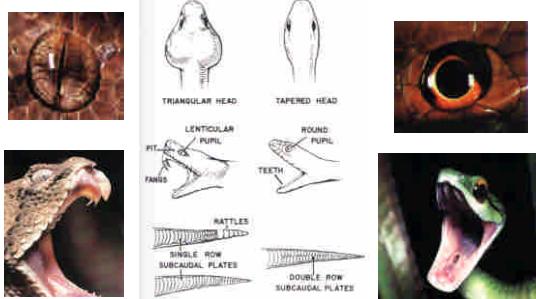
- 一、傷口之檢視與局部之處置
- 二、分辨毒蛇種類與評估毒性
- 三、固定不動與迅速送醫
- 四、排除會立即威脅生命之問題

一、傷口之檢視與局部之處置

1. 除去肢體上之束縛物，如戒指、手鐲及手錶
2. 吸血器之使用—使用30分鐘，可吸出 30% 毒液
3. 勿隨意切開傷口，以嘴吸吮或以手擠壓傷口
4. 勿冰敷或冷敷—易致局部循環變差，組織嚴重壞死
5. 勿用止血帶—易致肢體循環變差，嚴重壞死
6. 勿因局部處置而延誤送醫



二、分辨毒蛇種類與評估毒性



三、固定不動與迅速送醫

1. 彈性繃帶包紮
2. 護木固定
3. 置於較心臟低之位置



四、排除會立即威脅生命之問題

- 呼吸抑制
- 換氣不足
- 呼吸停止



醫院之治療原則

一、穩定生命徵象

- 1.呼吸道的維持及輔助性呼吸
- 2.輸液治療
- 4.監視器
- 3.檢驗評估

二、局部傷口處置

- 1.過去曾被採用之傷口十字切開法已不被接受
- 2.局部血清注射已不被建議

醫院之治療原則

三、蛇種之鑑別

- 1.有將蛇捕獲的情況下
- 2.不知蛇種的情況下
依蛇之特徵由圖鑑指認
依咬傷之地域與情景
依全身症狀之有無
依牙痕形態
依局部腫脹及出血程度
依血液檢查結果

醫院之治療原則

四、抗毒蛇血清之給予

- 1.使用正確的抗毒蛇血清(種類及量)是毒蛇咬傷最決定性的治療
- 2.咬傷經過3-4天再給與正確之血清仍有明顯效果
- 3.每瓶血清20cc效價1000IU中單位以上
- 4.使用前須行皮膚過敏試驗~以生理食鹽水稀釋一百倍0.05-0.1cc皮內注射
- 5.以0.1cc做皮膚過敏試驗。如陰性反應：則用靜脈點滴約30分鐘滴完。如為陽性反應，仍需給抗毒蛇血清：先打Hydrocortisone 200mg IV、Antihistamine 1 Amp IV。稀釋抗毒蛇血清至300-500 c.c N/S中，緩慢滴注2小時後打完。同時準備1:1000之epinephrine，如有過敏性休克發生，則給予0.5-1.0 ml皮下注射。
- 6.抗毒蛇血清注射後局部或全身症狀未獲改善或持續惡化時，則應每隔半小時至二小時追加一劑量直到全身症狀改善為止。
- 7.10歲以下小兒使用抗毒蛇血清，劑量要加倍

●預防醫學研究所產製之抗毒蛇血清有四種

1. 抗雨傘節/飯匙倩
2. 抗赤尾鈎/龜殼花
3. 抗百步蛇
4. 抗鎖鏈蛇



●夜間提供血清專線電話:02-27850288

醫院之治療原則

五、破傷風類毒素之給予

六、預防性抗生素之給予

七、傷口局部標記

八、其他併發症之預防與治療

九、血清病

毒蛇咬傷分論



赤尾鈎 (赤尾青竹絲)



分布於臺灣數量最多，咬傷率最高但致死率低。*Trimeresurus*

特徵：標誌性背脊子葉綠色，側面為淡綠色，尾端為鮮紅色。



赤尾鈎咬傷

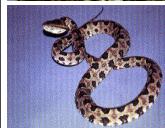
咬傷症狀：**局部**腫脹、疼痛、出血、起水泡



龜殼花



咬傷率不亞於赤尾青竹絲，為**出血性**毒蛇
特徵：體背中央有一行具黑邊的深色斑紋，上下相連且向左右彎曲呈波浪狀斑紋



龜殼花咬傷

咬傷症狀：**局部**灼痛感、腫脹、出血、起水泡



百步蛇



- 台灣地區常見毒蛇中體型最大，為**出血性**毒蛇
- 特徵：體二側有排列三角形具黑邊的深棕色斑



百步蛇咬傷

- 咬傷症狀：患處疼痛、快速腫脹、瘀血、出血、產生**水泡**、**血泡**、其他器官出血

- 局部症狀嚴重
- 易致 compartment syndrome





鎖鏈蛇



相當少見，分佈於本省東南山區，為一合併出
血性與神經性毒蛇

特徵：體背部有三縱列具白邊的黑棕色橢圓型
斑紋，彼此相間成鍊狀。受干擾時會發出嘶嘶
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鎖鏈蛇咬傷

- 臨牀上則常出現出血症狀，毒性不亞於百步蛇
- 咬傷症狀：局部腫脹、出血、皮下瘀血、溶
血、易造成**全身性出血與急性腎衰竭**



飯匙倩(眼鏡蛇)



- 為神經性毒蛇
- 特徵：遇到敵人時頸部擴展，背面呈具黑點之
白色帶狀斑紋有如眼鏡，且會有噴氣聲



眼鏡蛇咬傷

- 咬傷症狀：局部疼痛、腫脹、潰爛、傷口變
黑、組織壞死、全身性肌肉麻痺



雨傘節咬傷



- 雨傘節是台灣毒蛇中**毒性最強的**。
- 毒牙痕 fang mark 不明顯
- 局部症狀輕微易被疏忽
- 特徵：黑白相間之橫帶，黑寬白窄



雨傘節咬傷

- 咬傷後**10-15分鐘**後出
現局部麻木感、運動
失調、眼瞼下垂、瞳
孔放大、口齒不清、
流涎
- 在**2-72小時之內**出現譫
忘昏迷因呼吸衰竭而死
亡
- 最好觀察**24小時**



