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| **BLS Treatment** |
| * NPO. * 100% **Oxygen** by non-rebreather mask. * Place patient in left lateral position, have suction ready. |
| **ALS Treatment** |
| * IV or IO of **Normal Saline** TKO. * If SBP < 90 or signs of poor perfusion, **Normal Saline** fluid bolus. |
| **Comments**   * Shock position is contraindicated. * Be alert for recurring hypoxia. * Gather dive history in preparation for later transfer to recompression-capable facility: * Total dive time in the last 24 hours. * Number of dives made, include surface intervals between dives, if available. * Duration of and time since descent/ascent (total surface interval). * Depth of deepest submersion and depth of last dive (include previous dives within 24 hours, if available). * Temperature of the water. * Symptom onset (times and description). * Mechanism of injury suggestive of head/neck injury. * Emergency ascent? If so, from what depth? * Was the dive made with compressed air or other types of mixed gas? * Joint pain (location/severity) * Pulmonary exam: Rales or signs of pulmonary edema, respiratory distress including symptoms of mediastinal emphysema. * Neurologic exam: Monitor frequently (q 10-15 minutes) for changes. |