# 2.16 SHOCK

## BLS Treatment
- Position of comfort.
- NPO
- Oxygen as indicated.

## ALS Treatment
- Establish IV/IO with Normal Saline TKO.
- If SBP < 90 or signs of poor perfusion, Normal Saline fluid bolus.
- For suspected cardiogenic shock: Dopamine.

## Comments
- **Compensated shock**: Anxiety, agitation, disorientation, tachycardia, normal B/P, capillary refill normal to delayed, symptoms of allergic reaction, pallor, and/or diaphoresis.
- **Decompensated shock**: Decreased level of consciousness, tachycardia changing to bradycardia, hypotension, delayed capillary refill, cyanosis, and/or unequal central and distal pulses.
- Follow Protocol 2.02 Allergic Reaction/Anaphylaxis if patient has suspected anaphylaxis.