Child Choking





Recognize choking

- Makes the choking sign
- Cannot breathe, cough, speak, or make sounds

Ask, "Are you choking?" If she nods yes, tell her you are going to help



Give thrusts slightly above the belly button until

- Object is forced out
- Child can breathe and make sounds
- Child stops responding



If the child stops responding

- Yell for help
- Check breathing
- Give sets of 30 compressions and 2 breaths, checking the mouth for objects after each set of compressions (remove object if seen)
- After 5 sets, phone 911 and get an AED
- Then continue CPR until the child starts to respond or EMS takes over

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