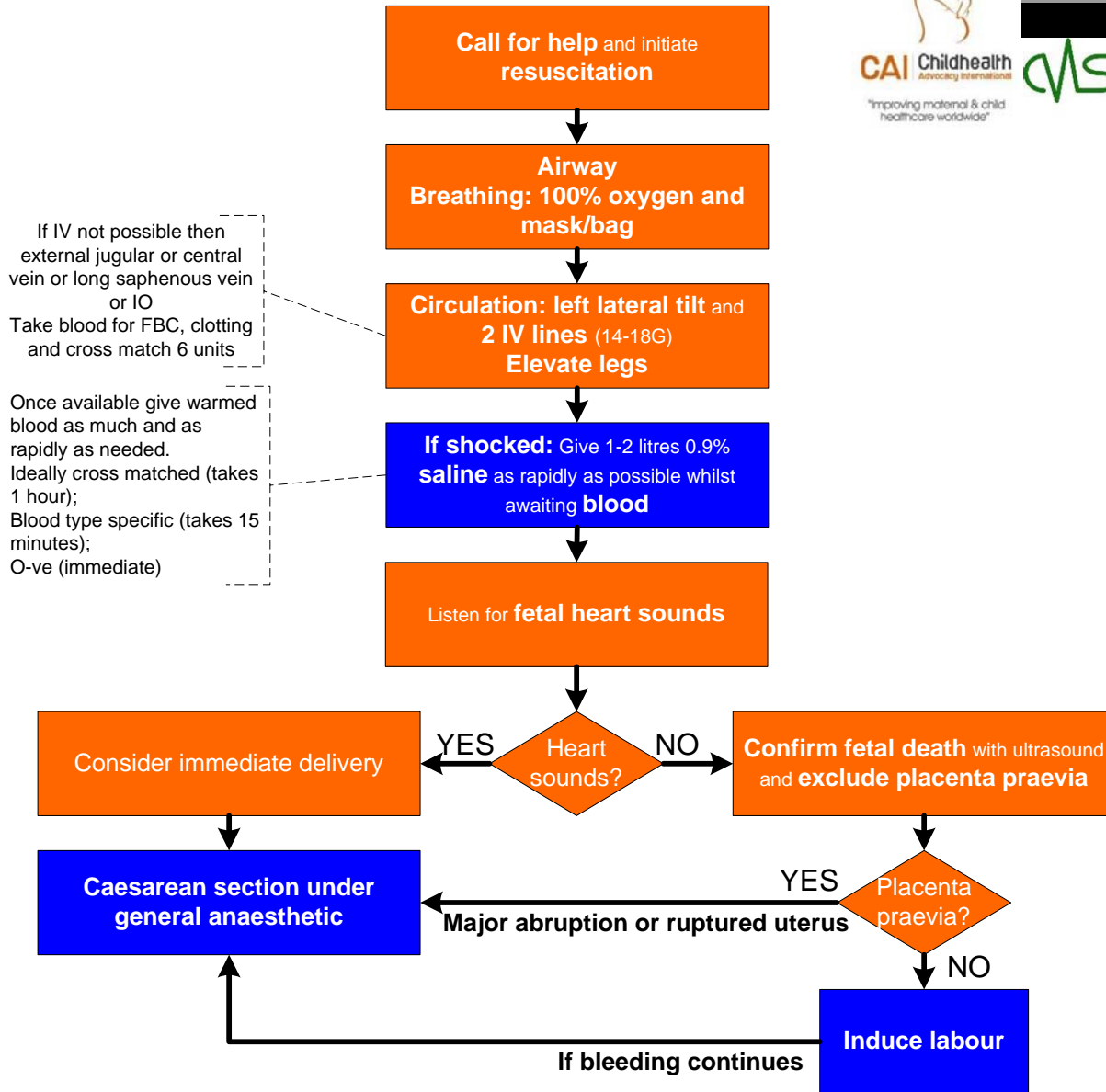


# Large antepartum haemorrhage

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**IT IS THE APH THAT WEAKENS AND THEN THE PPH THAT KILLS  
ATTENTION SHOULD CONSTANTLY FOCUS ON RESUSCITATION TO MAINTAIN CIRCULATION**

## Continuing care

- Intensive monitoring throughout and keep the patient warm
- Urinary catheter
- Pulse, BP, temp and SaO<sub>2</sub>
- Consider a CVP line (hazardous if DIC)
- Monitor for clotting disorders (and treat if found) – give warmed fresh blood
- Monitor for hypoglycaemia (and treat if found)

**BEWARE OF SUBSEQUENT PPH**