

Life over limb

Scenario Overview:

You attend a patient who is lying face down behind her front. To the front are the stairs to the upper floor that lead up to the next floor. There is only enough room to barely fit two people in. The call was made by a delivery driver who was dropping off a parcel and who is still on scene.

Difficulty:

First Aider Difficult

How the scenario should progress:

The door is open. Upon entry you try to establish the patient's condition. You can't see her airway and you do not believe that she is breathing. If witnessed is asked they will say that they rang the door bell, heard the woman saying that she was coming, then heard a scream and saw her falling down the stair from about sixteen stairs up. As she fell she rolled before landing face down behind the door.

Actor Tips:

Remain unresponsive,

Patient 1:

Name: Anges Brown **Age:** 56 **Sex:** Female

Medication:

Unknown

Allergies:

Unknown

Past medical/family/social history:

Unknown

Findings on examination:

Unresponsive Airway - Unknown Breathing - Absent Circulation - There is a little blood from her head and bruising on her face

Possible treatment from first aiders:

As life is more importantly than limb working with the delivery person/crewmate urgently but carefully roll the patient onto their back and begin CPR, Once patient is on their back, Airway is clear, Breathing confirmed absent. CPR to start immediately. If two people are working on the patient an OPA could be inserted.

Time after start:	+2 minutes	+ 4 minutes	+ 6	+ 8
Response:	Unresponsive	Unresponsive	Unresponsive	Unresponsive
Airway:	Clear	Clear	Clear	Clear
Breathing?	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Respirations:	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Pulse:	Nil	Nil	Nil	48
Oxygen Sats:				87

Blood Pressure:				98/55
Temperature:				36.8
Blood Glucose:				6.3
GCS:	3	3	3	3