

MATERNAL CARDIAC ARREST



Call 2222 – "Maternal Cardiac Arrest"

CPR + DEFIB

Aim ETCO2 > 20 mmHg



Manual
uterine
displacement

Non-shockable

Adrenaline 1 mg stat*
& every other cycle

Shockable

Adrenaline 1 mg after 2nd shock
Amiodarone 300 mg after 3rd shock

100%
O2

Stop ALL infusions
& anaesthesia

IV above
diaphragm

Alert
ECMO

4Hs

H – hypoxia
H – haemorrhage, hypovolaemia
H – hypoK, hyperK, hyperMg
H – hypothermia

4Ts

T – thrombosis, AFE
T – toxins, Mg, LAST*, total spinal
T – tension PTX
T – tamponade

*LAST cardiac arrest: use adrenaline dose < 1 mcg/kg (not 1 mg)
Utilise LAST cognitive aid

Perimortem C-Section

**Incision
by 4 mins**



**Delivery
by 5 mins**