AED Algorithm

Unresponsive?

Open airway
Not breathing normally

AED assesses rhythm

Shock advised

1 Shock

Immediately resume CPR 30:2 for 2 min

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Continue until the victim starts to wake up, i.e. moves, opens eyes and breathes normally

No Shock advised

Send or go for AED
Call 999

CPR 30:2
Until AED is attached

Call for help

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