Patient Label

TBSA Burn Estimation Chart

Adult Major Burn Clinical Practice Guideline

Anatomical Subunit	% Total	% One Side		Injum, Cubtotal	
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Head	7	3.5	3.5		
Neck	2	1	1		
Anterior Trunk	13	13	0		
Posterior Trunk	13	0	13		
Right Buttock	2.5	0	2.5		
Left Buttock	2.5	0	2.5		
Genitalia	1	1	0		
Right Upper Arm	4	2	2		
Left Upper Arm	4	2	2		
Right Lower Arm	3	1.5	1.5		
Left Lower Arm	3	1.5	1.5		
Right Hand	2.5	1.25	1.25		
Left Hand	2.5	1.25	1.25		
Right Thigh	9.5	4.75	4.75		
Left Thigh	9.5	4.75	4.75		
Right Leg	7	3.5	3.5		
Left Leg	7	3.5	3.5		
Right Foot	3.5	1.75	1.75		
Left Foot	3.5	1.75	1.75		
Total	100%	48%	52%		

Physician/Paramedic Name

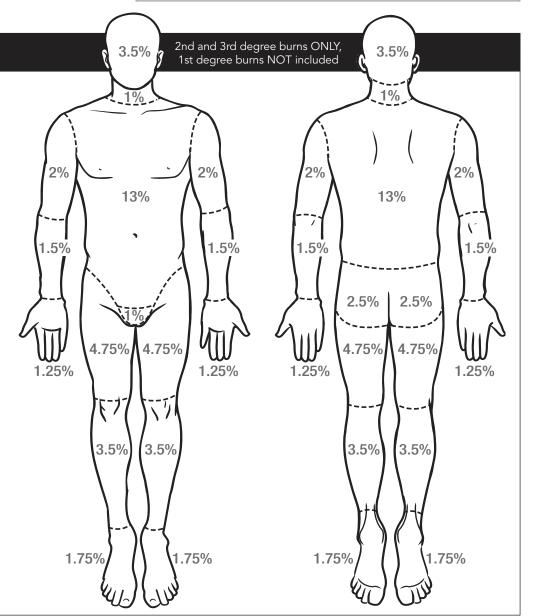
Physician/Paramedic Signature

 $\label{thm:plumper} \textbf{FLUID CALCULATION} \ (\textbf{May underestimate fluid requirement if resuscitation is delayed})$

Patient weight: ____kg [A] 3ml x [A] x [B] = ____[C]

% TBSA burned: _____% [B]

[C] ÷ 16 = ____ml/h starting RL infusion rate





















Resuscitation Flow Sheet Adult Major Burns Clinical Practice Guidelines

Date	Name	PHN
Injury Date + Time	Initial Treatment Facility	Initial Treatment Time

Pre-Burn Estimations		Estimated Fluid Volume Patient Should Receive			
Weight (kg)	% TBSA	1st 8hrs	2nd 16hrs	Est. Total 24hrs	

Tx Site/Team	After Burn	Local Time	Crystalloid	Colloid	TOTAL	Urine Output	Lactate	MAP
	1st hr							
	2nd hr							
	3rd hr							
	4th hr							
	5th hr							
	6th hr							
	7th hr							
	8th hr							
	9th hr							
	10th hr							
	11th hr							
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	13th hr							
	14th hr							
	15th hr							
	16th hr							
	17th hr							
	18th hr							
	19th hr							
	20th hr							
	21st hr							
	22nd hr							
	23rd hr							
	24th hr							

Total Fluids: Fluid Balance:

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ICU

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Monitoring	General Management	Initial Goals	
☐ Intravascular arterial blood pressure	☐ HOB ≥ 30°	☐ Urine output minimum 30ml/h maximum 50ml/h	
□ CVC (preferably supradiaphragmatic)	☐ Gastric prophylaxis	☐ Temperature ≥ 37°C	
☐ ScvO ₂ q3h X 24h then R/A	□ DVT prophylaxis	☐ MAP ≥ 65mmHg	
☐ CVP as per ICU protocols	☐ Burn dressings as per Plastic Surgery	\square ScvO ₂ \geq 70%	
☐ Lactate q3h X 24-72h	☐ Elevate all burned body parts when possible	☐ Lactate ≤ 4mmol/L	
☐ ABGs as per ICU protocols	☐ Start uninterrupted enteric feeds as early as possible (as	☐ Hgb ≥ 70g/L	
☐ Bladder pressures q6h from 12-72h post burn	per Dietitian) unless legitimate concern of splanchnic hypoperfusion or abdominal compartment syndrome	\square Plt \ge 50 (Actively bleeding or imminently going to OR)	
☐ Increase frequency if pressures ≥ 15mmHg	☐ Fecal containment system for perineal burns as directed	□ INR \leq 1.5 (Actively bleeding or imminently going to OR)	
☐ For facial burns or inhalational injury:	by ICU or Burn physician		
- Consult Ophthalmology - Consider Bronchoscopy (if suspicion of inhalational injury)	☐ Attempt to minimize opioid infusion administration and utilize prn opioids as soon as feasible		

Initial Fluid Resuscitation

Calculate initial 24h resuscitation fluid requirements = (3ml of Ringers Lactate)(kg) (% TBSA from Plastics consult) / 24h. ½ of this IVF is administered in the first 8 hours (post burn) and the second ½ is delivered in the remaining 16 hours.

STEP 2 Determine the administered pre-hospital IVF volume, subtract this from your above calculation, and adjust your treatment appropriately.

STEP 3 Monitor urine output hourly and decrease or increase the RL infusion by 20% to maintain urine output between 30-50ml/hr. Avoid boluses if possible.

NOTE: Hour to hour fluid resuscitation is critical, particularly during first 24 hours. **OVER-RESUSCITATION IS AS HARMFUL AS UNDER-RESUSCITATION.**

STEP 4 If urine output is \leq 15ml/hr for two or more consecutive hours despite increasing fluid rate **OR** patient requires twice current calculated rate for more than two hours:

CALL ICU FELLOW OR ATTENDING, flush urinary catheter, assess breath sounds and bladder pressure. Consider initiating 5% albumin infusion at 1/3 of current resuscitation rate and make up the remainder of rate with RL. Titrate rate as above based on urine output.

At 12 hours post-burn, calculate the **PROJECTED** 24 hour resuscitation if fluid rates are kept constant. If the projected 24 hour resuscitation requirement exceeds 6ml/kg/% TBSA burn or 350ml/kg total, the following steps are recommended:

- I) Initiate 5% albumin infusion at 1/3 of current resuscitation rate and make up the remainder of rate with RL. Titrate infusion to urine output as described above. After 24 hours post burn, titrate infusion down to maintenance and continue albumin until 48 hours post burn.
- II) Watch for signs of Intra-Abdominal Hypertension (bladder pressure ≥ 15mmHg, increased airway pressures, decreased urine output, hypotension) and extremity compartment syndromes (absent doppler signal or pulses that are diminishing on serial exams q30-60 minutes should prompt consideration of escharotomy)

Recommendations for Hypotension

True hypotension MUST BE correlated with urine output.

If MAP is consistently \leq 65mmHg and there is evidence of poor end-organ perfusion (urine output \leq 30ml/hr, lactate \geq 4mmol/L, ScvO $_2$ \leq 70%) the following steps are recommended:

- Volume Status: If CVP ≤ 5mmHg or pulse pressure variation ≥ 15mmHg and patient is not breathing spontaneously, administer a fluid bolus of 0.5-1L RL in attempt to improve MAP (it is UNCOMMON to achieve CVP goals of 10-12mmHg in severe burn patients).
- II) Vasopressors: If MAP is persistently ≤ 65mmHg initiate Levophed at 1-20 ug/min to maintain MAP ≥ 65mmHg (massive burn patients commonly require Levophed 1-5 ug/min due to extensive vasodilatory shock secondary to the massive systemic inflammatory response associated with severe burns).
- III) MAP Goal: If persistently requiring levophed (1-5ug/min) consider a MAP goal of \geq 55mmHg as long as urine output \geq 30ml/hr, ScvO $_2 \geq$ 70% and lactate \leq 4mmol/L.
- IV) Ca²⁺ and Cortisol (discuss with ICU fellow/attending before initiation of treatment)
 If patient exhibits catecholamine-resistant shock (defined as SBP ≤ 90mmHg after 1 hour of aggressive IVF and vasopressor administration), consider adrenal insufficiency (check a random cortisol and start hydrocortisone 100mg IV q8h) or hypocalcaemia (maintain ionized calcium ≥ 1.1 mmol/L). (1-5)
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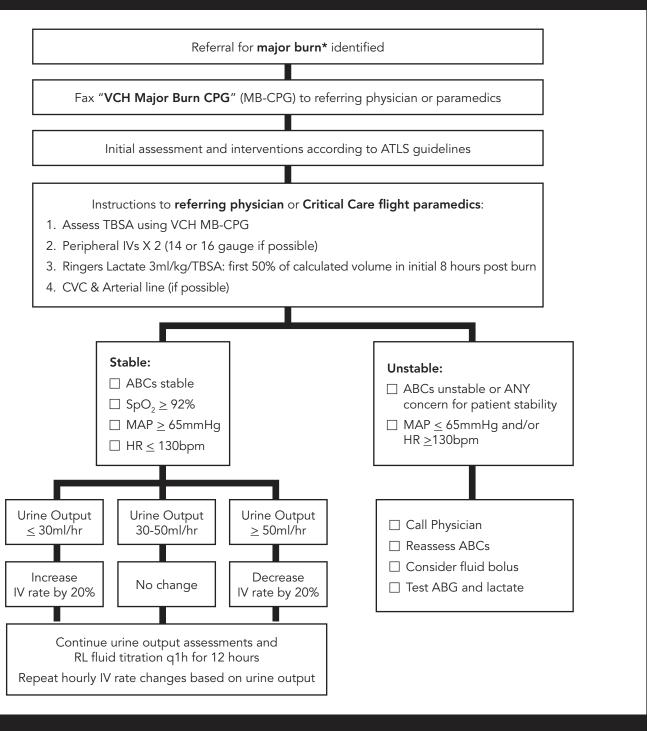




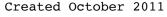


First 12 Hours Post Burn Adult Major Burns Clinical Practice Guidelines

Please note that this is a guideline only, not a substitute for clinical judgement.



- * Major Burn:
- \geq 20% TBSA partial and/or full thickness any age
- \geq 10% TBSA partial and/or full thickness age \leq 10 or \geq 50
- Burns to hands, face, feet, genitalia, joints
- Full thickness burns ≥ 5% TBSA any age
- Electrical burns
- Chemical burns
- Inhalation injury
- Burns associated with major trauma





















12 Hour Assessment Adult Major Burns Clinical Practice Guidelines

To be completed 12 hours post burn. Please note that this is a guideline only, not a substitute for clinical judgement.

Calculate total fluid given in first **12** hours (since time of burn):

Equals [A] _____ml

Multiply [A] x 2 for projected fluid administration in 24 hours:

Equals [B] ____ml

Calculate projected fluid administration for 6ml/kg/TBSA:

Equals [C] ____ml

If **[B]** is larger than **[C]**:

- Alert burn/ICU physician
- Consider albumin protocol*
- Check bladder pressures q4h
- If urine output > 50ml/hr, decrease IV fluid administration rate by 20% (measure q1h)

If [B] is less than [C]: continue resuscitation according to Major Burn CPG.

*Albumin protocol: Albumin 5% at 1/3 current rate plus RL at 2/3 current rate

















