

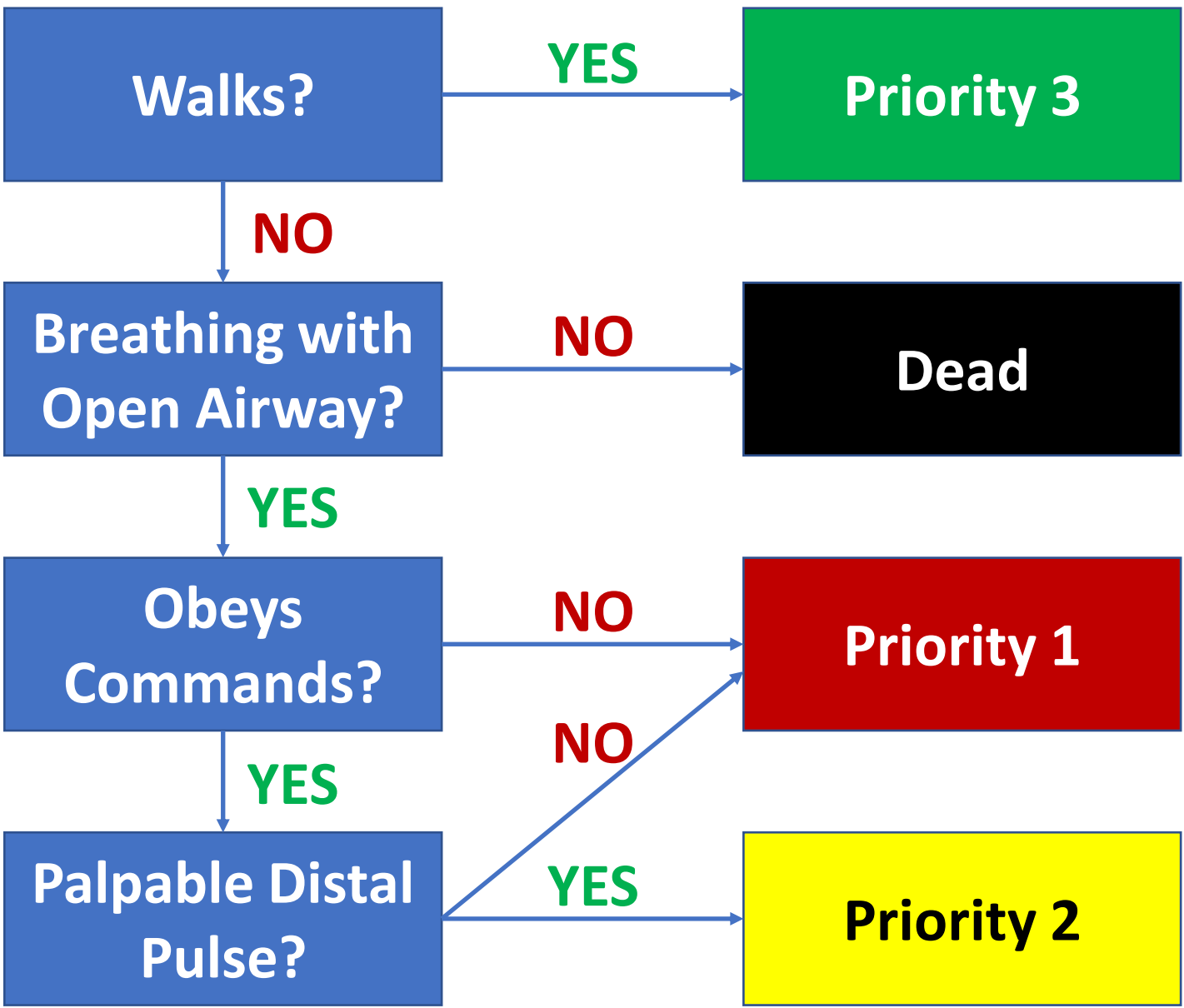
During assessment life-saving interventions of: Control Massive Bleeding & Basic Airway Maneuvers

If equipped and time/resources allow

- Chest Seals (vented if available)
- Temperature Regulation (Hypo/hyperthermia)
- Reassessment of patients (to include "Dead")

If your system/agency allows:
Consider Needle Decompression

For initial sorting & classification, consider placing colored marking tape in lieu of triage tags.



Example of Marking Tape (in lieu of Triage Tags)

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Cost Comparison (2021)

- Marking Tape (1" 300ft Roll)
 - One roll will equal ~150 patients (2 ft of tape per patient)
 - ~\$ 2.65 per roll (\$2.11 – \$3.19)
- SMART Triage Tags
 - One tag per patient
 - 10 pack = \$19.49 (\$1.94 EA)
 - 25 Triage Tags/Ambulance = \$48.72
- Considerations
 - Pouch/Bag for tape deployment cost
 - \$20 - \$50 average cost
 - SMART Bag (for tags): \$173.99

NOTE: STRAC purchased bulk supply of Marking Tape, submit requests to info@strac.org for Marking Tape at no cost to your agency, while supplies last.