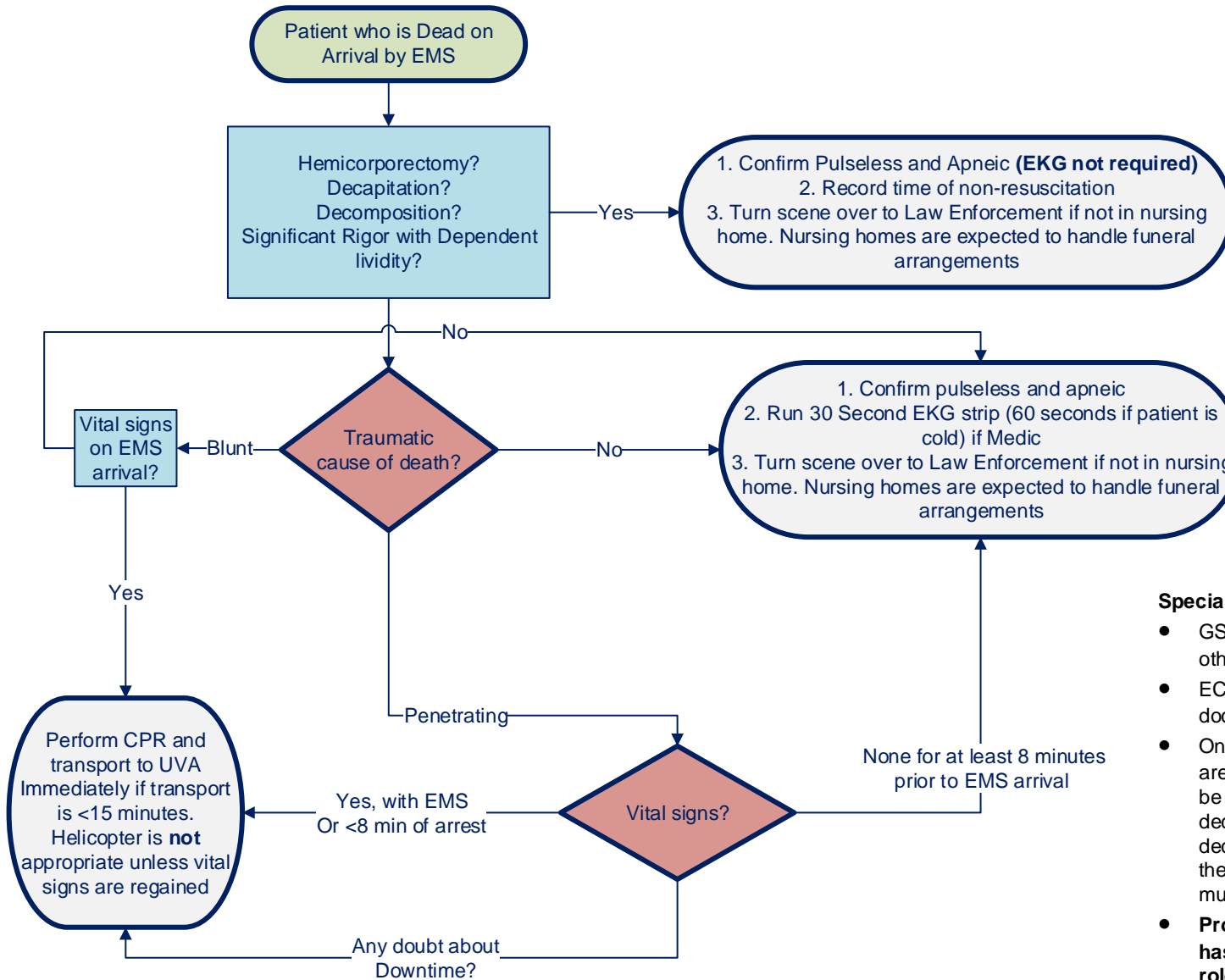


**CHARLOTTESVILLE-ALBEMARLE RESCUE SQUAD**  
**Clinical Review and Training**  
**Determination of Death Guideline**  
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**Special Notes:**

- GSW to head may be survivable. If patient would otherwise qualify for transport do not delay
- ECG should be attached to PCR or appropriate documentation
- On rare occasion or when special circumstances are involved (e.g. patient in public view) you may be asked by law enforcement to transport a deceased patient to the morgue (UVA) until a decision can be made as to the final destination for the patient. Advise ECC/DUTY-1. Rhythm strip must accompany call sheet.
- **Protect yourself and the scene if the patient has expired and LEO are investigating. If our role is completed, then relocate or leave the scene.**