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First aid is the first and immediate assistance given to any person suffering a serious illness or injury, with care provided to preserve life, prevent the condition from worsening, or to promote recovery. It includes initial intervention in a serious condition prior to professional medical help being available, such as performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) while awaiting for an ...Channing Bete Company is an authorized distributor of American Heart Association (AHA) ACLS, PALS, PEARS, BLS, Airway Management, Heartsaver First Aid CPR AED and Family and Friends course materials, plus the 2015 Handbook Of Emergency Cardiovascular Care For Healthcare Providers and the 2015 American Heart Association Guidelines For CPR And ECC.SOURCES: American Medical Association, Handbook of First Aid and Emergency Care, Random House, 2009.National Institutes of Medicine.If you suspect a person is in shock, call 911 or your local emergency number.Then immediately take the following steps: Lay the person down and elevate the legs and feet slightly, unless you think this may cause pain or further injury.