1.1 Head and spinal cord injury

Decide if the following options are symptoms of a head injury or not.
Select 'yes' if they are and select 'no' if they aren't.

- Unresponsive **Yes** **No**
- Difficulty swallowing **Yes** **No**
- Vomiting **Yes** **No**
- Talking normally **Yes** **No**
- Having lots of energy **Yes** **No**
- Amnesia **Yes** **No**
- Difficulty walking **Yes** **No**





Emergency care for a head and spinal injuries

Anyone who experiences an injury to the head or neck needs _____ medical attention. If you suspect someone has a brain or spinal cord injury you should call an ambulance _____. You should stop bleeding by pressing a clean dressing on the wound, applying _____ pressure. Ice _____ be applied to the swollen area of the head. To prevent the casualty from vomiting, you should roll the person's head, neck and body as _____ unit.

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