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A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point.
Cardiac arrest is when the heart stops beating and CPR involves pushing on the chest hard and fast.

Q. Has everyone playing learned about Cardiac Arrest or CPR in the past? A) Yes B) No

A. A cardiac arrest is most likely to happen in the home. By talking with your family and friends about cardiac arrest, you can be prepared to save the life of your loved ones.

Q. Have you talked to your family and friends about what your plan would be if someone has a cardiac arrest? Why or why not? Discuss to continue play.

A. If it's safe to do so, check in on the person and see if they require help. Often a stranger checking in on a person is the first step to help save a life.

Q. You find someone collapsed on the street, do you stop to check if they are okay or do you go past? Why or why not? Discuss to continue play.

A. There are different reasons for this, one being where you live. People living in rural areas or areas with higher rates of poverty are less likely to survive. No matter where you live, getting your community CPR ready can make a big difference to survival.

Q. Not everyone in Scotland is equally likely to survive their cardiac arrest. Why do you think that is? Discuss to continue play.

A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point.
During the COVID-19 pandemic, do not place
your face near the person to check for breathing.
Listen and look to see if their abdomen is rising
and falling normally.

A) Listen and look to check if their chest is moving B) Put your hands on their chest and push to see if air comes out

Q. You've called 999 and the call handler asks if the person is breathing normally. How do you check?

A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point. Both are life-threatening and you will need to call 999. With a heart attack, the person will be conscious and breathing. Someone in cardiac arrest will be unconscious and not breathing or not breathing normally and requires immediate action.

A) Yes B) No

O. Is there a difference between a heart attack and a cardiac arrest?

A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point. A person in cardiac arrest will be unconscious and not breathing or not breathing normally. Call 999 immediately and they'll talk through what you need to do.

A) Yes B) No

Q. You see a person who is unconscious and not breathing normally. Is this a cardiac arrest and should you call 999?

A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point.

A) Check if they are responsive (call out/shake their shoulders) and call 999
B) Wait for another person to come by, it doesn't look urgent

Q. You and a friend go to the shops and they suddenly collapse, what do you do?

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Defibrillation	Defibrillation	Defibrillation	Defibrillation

Sometimes women are perceived to be frail, and people feel uncomfortable about doing CPR on a woman. These issues can cause delays to receiving CPR which can hurt chances of survival. A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point.

B) No A) Yes

Q. Do you think gender makes a difference to the likelihood of receiving CPR?

same steps apply regardless of gender CPR is a gender-neutral technique and the A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point.

the same as on a man? B) No

Q. A woman collapses nearby, you've never seen CPR performed on a woman before, is it

than good. Time is critical and the 999 call handler will tell you exactly what to do. A. Some people fear they may do more harm

 Many people do not feel confident to do CPR. Why do you think that is? How do you think we can change this? Discuss to continue play.

save more lives after cardiac arrest. minority racial and ethnic groups receive CPR but being aware of this trend can help us all less often. The reasons for this are complicated A. Research from other countries tells us that

different cultures, would you feel comfortable giving CPR to someone who looked or dressed Scotland is home to people from many differently to yourself? Why or why not? Discuss to continue play.

> PADs are often located in public areas such as gyms, shopping centres, and train stations. Early defibrillation increases the chances of survival. A PAD sends an electric shock through the A. If A) continue play, B) deduct life point

heart to try to restart it.

B) No A) Yes

Q. Do you know where the closest public access defibrillator (PAD) to where you live is?

A PAD will not harm the person in cardiac arrest and will only deliver a shock if and when it is needed. Follow its instructions, and know that using it could save someone's life. A. If A) continue play, B), deduct a life point.

audio instructions and will only deliver a shock if and when it is required. True or False? Q. Public access defibrillators (PAD) provide

You should continue CPR and send someone else to go get the defibrillator. If you are alone at the scene continue CPR until the ambulance arrives. A. If B) continue play, A) deduct a life point.

Q. You're playing wheelchair tennis and your mate collapses. Others come to your aid. You call 999 and start CPR. The call handler instructs a defibrillator is nearby. Should you stop CPR to go get the defibrillator?

Training is not required to use a PAD. The 999 call handler will provide support and the PAD will have audio prompts to tell you what you need to do. A. If A) continue play, B) deduct a life point

B) No

A) Yes

Q. The 999 call handler has notified you where the nearest public access defibrillator (PAD) is. You go as fast as you can and bring it back to the person who is receiving CPR. You've never used a defibrillator before. Should you use it?

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Having a cardiac arrest can have a big impact on a person's mental health. Friends and family play an important role in helping someone recover after a cardiac arrest, and helping them feel like themselves again. A. If B) continue play, if A) deduct a life point.

B) False

and, after a stay in hospital, is continuing their recovery at home. Is it true or false that only healthcare professionals can help them with Your friend recently had a cardiac arrest their recovery?

It is really important to take a person centred approach to cardiac arrest recovery. Refer to the information booklet for support options. A. If C) continue play, A) or B) deduct a life point.

C) Both

B) Mental health challenges

A) Physical health challenges

 A cardiac arrest is a life-changing event, and recovery takes some time. What kind of challenges is someone more likely to experience after a cardiac arrest?

Support and information can vary across the country for individual survivors. Internationally, if you are a woman you are less likely to receive the recommended care for cardiac arrest once you get to the hospital. Why do you think this is? A. If B) continue play, A) deduct a life point.

 Q. Does everyone get the same level of support after a cardiac arrest? B) No A) Yes

more about support options. helpful. Refer to the information booklet to learn A. Some bystanders may find talking to others

Ø life. How can we help to support bystanders anxiety after stepping in and trying to save Q. People can often deal with feelings of after they have performed CPR? Discuss to continue play.