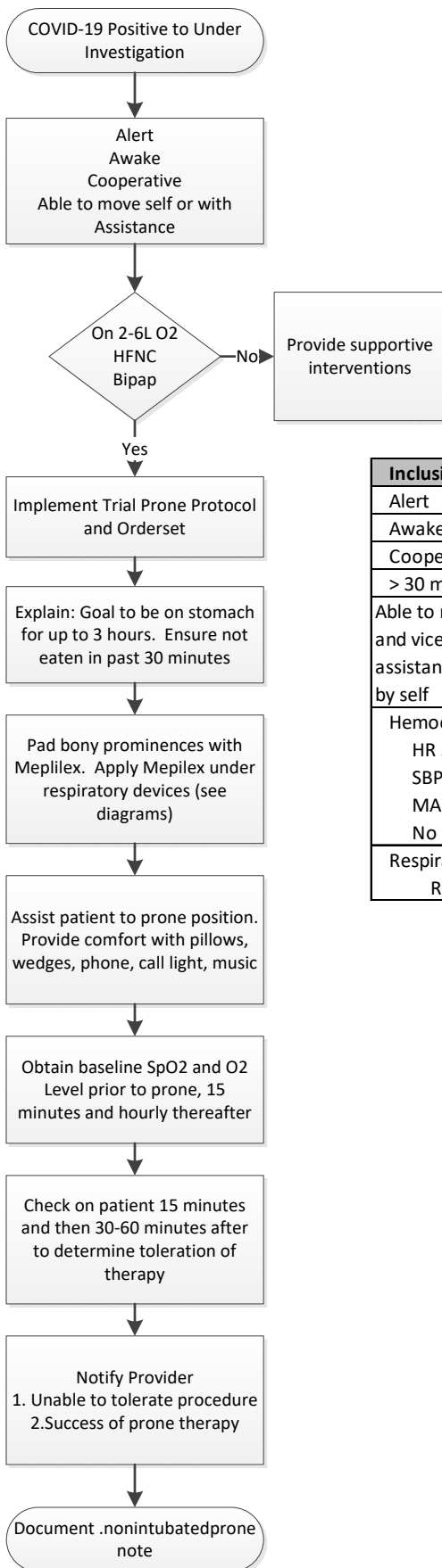


# Non-Intubated Prone Protocol



Inclusion:	Exclusion:
Alert	Documented aspiration risk
Awake	Patient nauseated/vomiting
Cooperative	Tracheostomy/Laryngectomy
> 30 minutes from last meal	Severe reflux
Able to reposition from supine to prone and vice versa independently or with assistance- able to turn head side to side by self	Continuous gastric tube feedings with high residuals
Hemodynamically stable: HR 50-120 SBP 90-180 MAP ≥ 65 No new arrhythmia on EKG	Combative
	Restraints
	Pregnancy ≥ second trimester* side lying/limited supine
	Unstable spinal cord
Respiratory: RR <40	Limited neck ROM
	Specific surgical and/or trauma precautions per MD order