

A previously healthy 12 year old boy is brought in by his parents. He has been well until a few hours ago. He started complaining of feeling dizzy and belly ache, later developed watery diarrhoea. He is looking very unwell, his temperature is 39.8, pulse 140 and BP 110/85, cap refill 3 sec. Describe your initial management and investigations. 6 points

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As you are setting things up you notice that he now develops a few spots around the creases of his arms and legs, he is becoming increasingly unwell, temp is now 40.5, BP 85/40, Pulse 160. What is the condition called and what is its mechanism? 2 points

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Whose help would you request at this point? 2 points

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