

SEIZURE

Ensure the safety of everyone
Call the ambulance on Triple Zero (000)

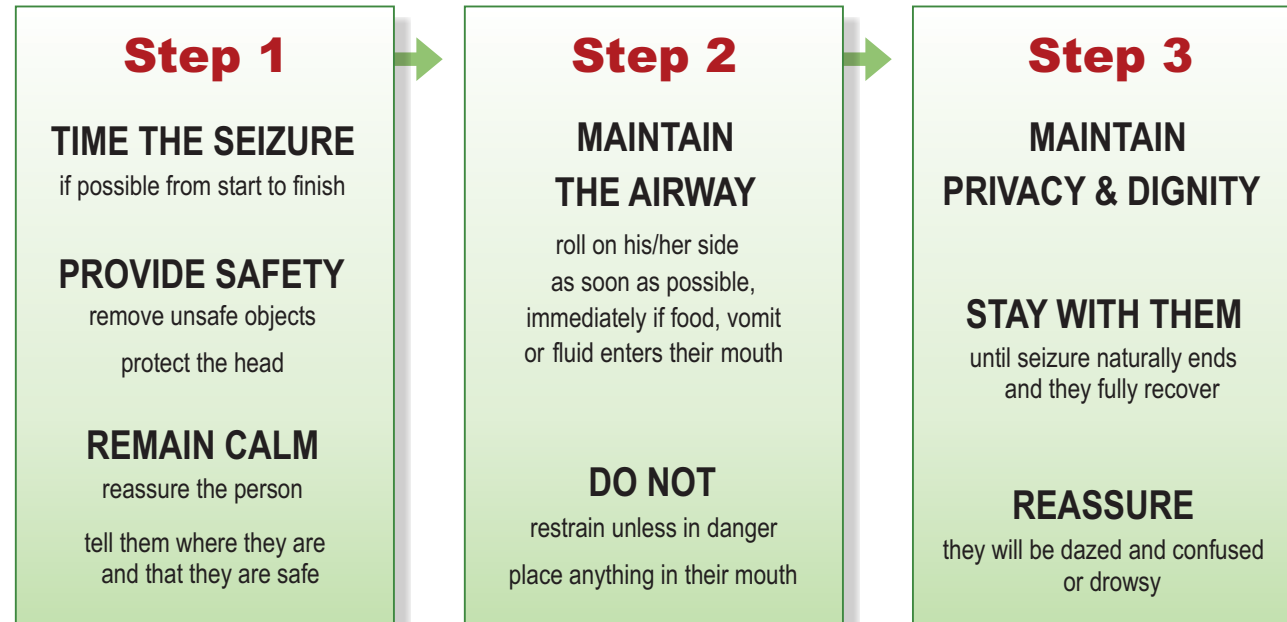
Signs and Symptoms

Any or all of the following:

- Altered awareness
- Spasm and rigid muscles
- Collapse
- Jerking movements of head, arms and legs
- Shallow or intermittent breathing
- Lips or complexion may change colour
- Change in or loss of consciousness
- Noisy breathing, dribbling
- Faeces or urinary incontinence

***Febrile convulsions are usually associated with a high fever in young children**

Consult the person's Epilepsy Management Plan as soon as possible if they have one



*For further information consult ARC guidelines or your local epilepsy organisation or go to www.epilepsy.org.au

Call an ambulance if

Call 000 if the seizure:

- lasts more than 5 minutes
- is quickly followed by a second seizure

Call 000 if the casualty:

- is unresponsive more than 5 minutes after the seizure
- goes blue in the face
- is pregnant or is injured

Call 000 if you:

- think it is their first ever seizure
- are concerned about their condition
- are uncomfortable treating them