

Hematological, Metabolic and Endocrine Complications of CNS Injury – Table 3

	Cerebral Salt Wasting	SIADH
Blood volume	Decreased	Normal/expanded*
Urine sodium concentration	Elevated	Elevated
Plasma osmolality	Reduced	Reduced
Urine volume	Polyuria	Oliguria or normal (can be variable)
Treatment	Sodium and fluid resuscitation; controversial Contraindicated: vaptans	Fluid restriction; can also add oral salt repletion. If severe, ADH inhibitors; vaptans (vasopressin receptor antagonist)

**Volume status can be difficult to assess as it maybe extracellular.*