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Definition of Cardiopulmonary Rehabilitation

- AARC Clinical Practice Guidelines States:
 - Rehab is a "multidisciplinary program of care for patients with chronic respiratory impairment that is individually tailored and designed to optimize physical and social performance and autonomy."
 - Cardiopulmonary rehabilitation (CP) is a non-invasive, multidisciplinary process that influences multiple organ systems functionality with a goal to improve QOL, and tolerate ADL's.

Principal Goals of CP Rehab



- Decrease symptoms
- Decrease disability
- Decrease mortality
- Increase participation in physical and social activities
- Improve QOL



Factors That Disrupt Oxygen Transport

- Fever
- Cardiopulmonary diseases
- The healing process
- Thermo regulators
- Anxiety, stress and pain
- Loss of the gravitational stress of bed rest!
- #1 Lack of mobilization and exercise

Negative Sequelae of Bed Rest

- The negative impact of bed rest has been well known for over 60 years!
- No evidence exists in the literature that supports efficacy of bed rest.
- Bed rest adversely affects all major organ systems by decreasing efficiency of the oxygen transport system
- Deconditioning associated with bed rest may be influenced by decreased oxygen delivery, and vice versa.
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 Disuse atrophy at the cellular level begins within 4 hours of implementing bed rest.
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 Inactivity causes muscle fibers to change their structure and nerve conductivity.
- Inactivity causes functional and cognitive deficits that can persist for years.















What Are The Main Components of a Rehabilitation Program?

- Exercise training
- Breathing techniques
- Respiratory muscle training
- Education
- Psychosocial/behavioral interventions
- Nutritional assessment
 and intervention



Exercise Training

- The primary "drugs" of rehabilitation are:
 - Mobilization
 - Exercise





Alternative Airway Clearance Techniques

- Chest physical therapy
- Percussion and postural drainage
- Manual hyperventilation, NaCl instillation
- Active cycle breathing
- Autogenic drainage
- Huffing
- Assistive coughing

 Abdominal thrust, costophrenic assist, anterior chest compression assist, side lying counter rotation assist
- Mobilization and exercise!!















Alternatives To Recumbent Bed Rest

- Rehab can begin in the bed....
 - Bed rest exercises
 - Moving in the bed for simple ADL's
 - Sitting on the side of the bed to dangle
 - Progress to standing transfers to the chair
 - Chair exercises
 - Begin short walks

Posture and Positioning Matter

- Benefits of an upright position are:
 - Maximize ventilation and perfusion
 - Improve cough and secretion clearance
 - Decrease Raw Increase Cst
 - Promote bladder and bowel function
 - Promote fluid shifts







- COPD
 - Flattened diaphragmElongated cardiac
 - shadow
 - Hyperlucent lung fieldsIncreased A-P diameter



Advantages of Using The Passy-Muir® Valve

- Closing the respiratory system and regulating intrathoracic and intrabdominal pressures will:
 - Allow graded exhalation
 - Improve internal pressure support for posture
 - Improve upper extremity force/strength
 - Improve bowel and bladder emptying
 - Improve swallowing mechanics
 - Improve coughing/secretion management
 - Restore voicing

CASE STUDY MR. G.

 Mr. G., age 57, was working on his house while on a ladder, fell, and was admitted to the hospital with multiple fractures, acute respiratory failure and acute change in mental status with confusion. When initially admitted to our hospital, he had a tracheostomy, required ventilator support, and required bilateral soft wrist restraints for safety.

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57 YEAR OLD MALE S/P FALL VDRF FAILED ATTEMPTS TO WEAN AT PREVIOUS FACILITIES EXHIBITS INABILITY TO PERFORM ANY FUNCTIONAL TASKS NPO



















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