Alberta Acute Childhood Asthma Pathway

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PRAM Clinical Score & Severity Classification

Signs	0	1	2	3
Suprasternal Indrawing	absent		present	
Scalene Retractions	absent		present	
Wheezing	absent	expiratory only	inspiratory and expiratory	audible without stethoscope/silent chest with minimal air entry
Air Entry	normal	decreased at bases	widespread decrease	absent/minimal
Oxygen saturation on room air	≥ 94%	90% - 93%	≤ 89%	

Mild: 0 - 4 Moderate: 5 - 8 Severe: 9 - 12



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Use the Pediatric Asthma Education Checklist as a guide to teach all parents these essentials:



SYMPTOMS

TECHNIQUE & TRIGGERS







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