

CPAP for OSAS in children

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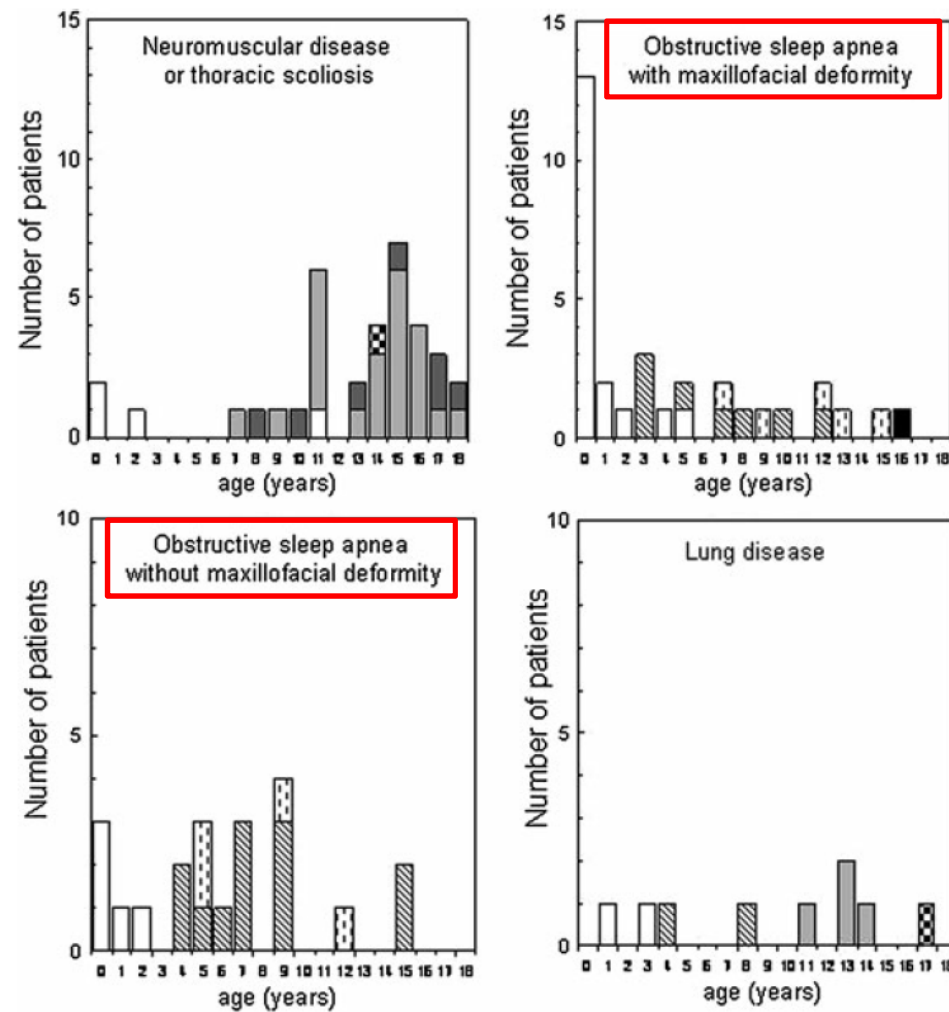
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Patients started on home CPAP



Polygraphic respiratory events during sleep in children treated with home continuous positive airway pressure: description and clinical consequences

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Female to male ratio (F/M)	6/20	
Age, years (mean ± SD)	7.8 ± 6.2	
Time of follow-up, months (mean ± SD)	10.6 ± 14.4	
Predisposing conditions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Down syndrome- Treacher Collins syndrome- Polymalformative syndrome- Idiopathic OSAS- Achondroplasia- CATCH-22 syndrome- Neurofibromatosis type 1 with subglottic neurofibroma- Bronchopulmonary dysplasia- Turner syndrome- Menkes syndrome- Cherubism- Beckwith–Wiedemann syndrome- Pycnodysostosis- Niemann–Pick disease type A- Post-intubation laryngeal paralysis- Prader–Willi syndrome	<ul style="list-style-type: none">3333221111111111



ORIGINAL ARTICLE

Non-invasive ventilation in complex obstructive sleep apnea – A 15-year experience of a pediatric tertiary center



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Table 1 Distribution of patients according to primary diagnosis, presence of associated hypoventilation and age at NIV start.

Nosologic group	Patients (N = 68) n (%) ^b	OSA plus hypoventilation syndrome n (%) ^b	Age at NIV start in months Median (IQR)
Congenital malformations/genetic disorders	34 (50)	7 (10)	42.5 (5–144)
Prader-Willi syndrome	6	2	176 (158–187)
Pierre-Robin syndrome	5	0	1 (0–2)
Trisomy 21	5	2	120 (46–180)
Craniofacial malformation ^a	10	0	40 (7–45)
Airway malacia	5	0	13 (2–15)
Other	3	3	60 (40–96)
Cerebral palsy	9 (13)	2 (3)	168 (89–173)
Central nervous system tumor	8 (12)	1 (1.5)	171 (94–180)
Inborn errors of metabolism	6 (9)	2 (3)	59 (20–135)
Mucopolysaccharidosis	5	2	59 (46–156)
Gaucher disease	1	0	2
Adenoid/tonsil hypertrophy	3 (4)	0	15 (12–31)
Obesity	3 (4)	0	166 (154–194)
Others	5 (8)	0	106 (85–110)

Obstructive sleep disordered breathing in 2- to 18-year-old children: diagnosis and management



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5.3. Are there conditions predisposing to upper airway obstruction which make treatment of obstructive SDB a priority?

Summary

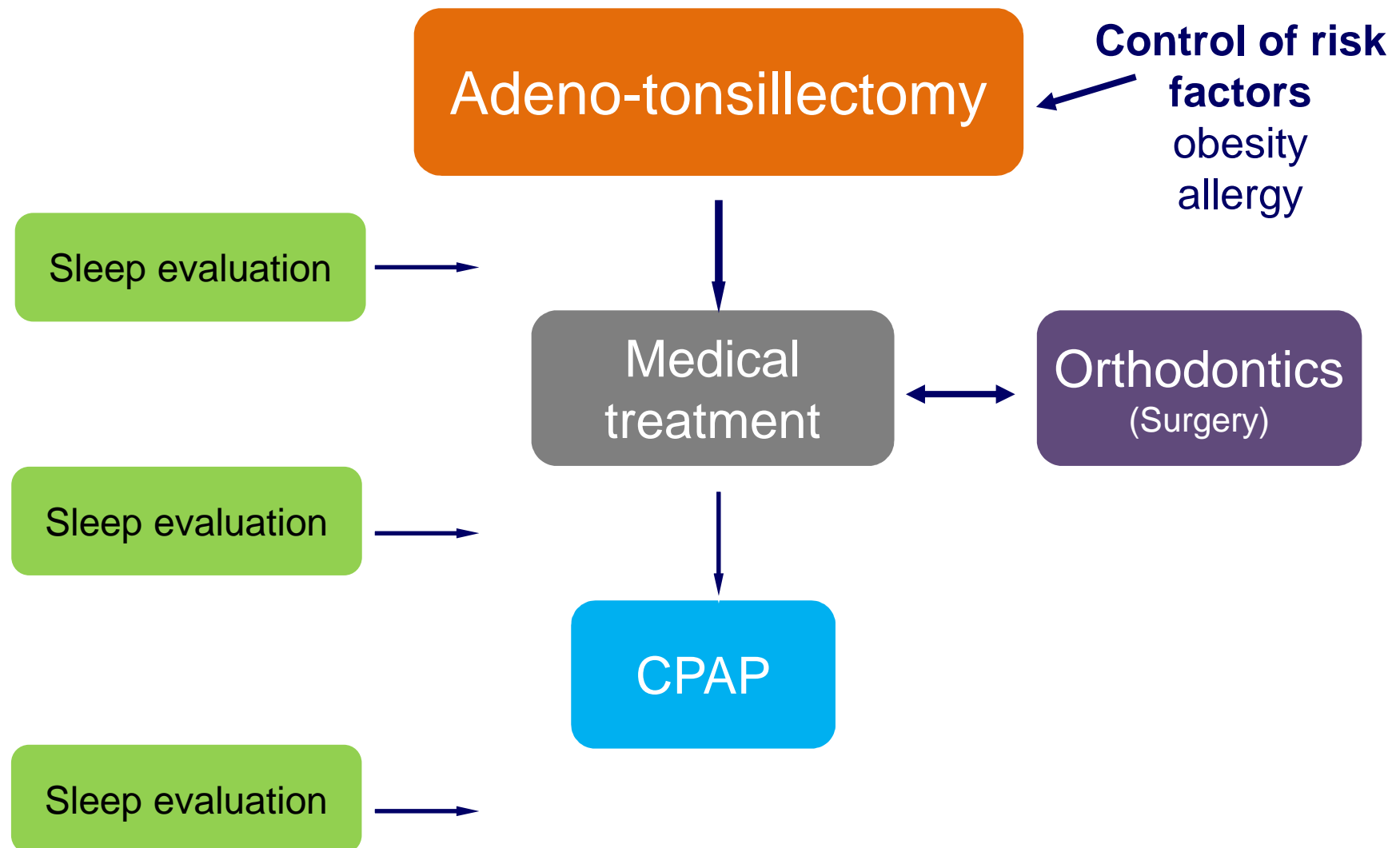
- a) Major craniofacial abnormalities
- b) Neuromuscular disorders
- c) Achondroplasia
- d) Chiari malformation
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- **No validated criteria:** lack of validated markers of OSA-end-organ morbidity in children
- Recommendations:

TASK FORCE REPORT
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6.7. What are the indications, efficacy and potential complications of CPAP or NPPV in children with obstructive SDB?

Summary

a) Usual indications for CPAP are: residual OSAS after adenotonsillectomy (AHI >5 episodes·h⁻¹) and OSAS related to obesity, craniofacial abnormalities or neuromuscular disorders. If nocturnal hypoventilation occurs (e.g. end-tidal carbon dioxide tension (PCO_2) >50 mmHg for >25% of total sleep time or peak end-tidal PCO_2 ≥55 mmHg) NPPV is preferred.

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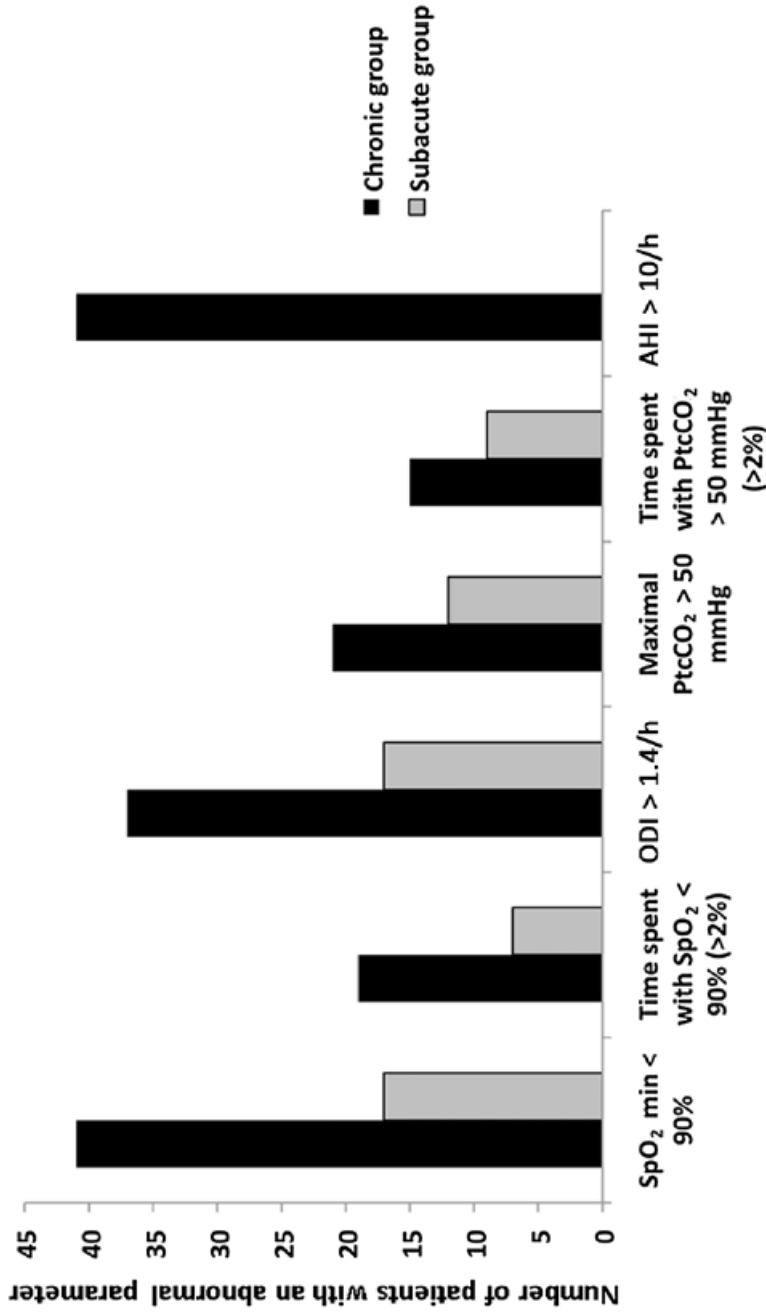
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TABLE 2—Respiratory Variables Used for Continuous Positive Pressure or Noninvasive Ventilation Initiation

1.	Minimum SpO ₂ <90%
2.	Maximal PtcCO ₂ >50 mmHg
3.	Time spent with a SpO ₂ <90% ≥2% of recording time
4.	Time spent with a PtcCO ₂ >50 mmHg ≥2% of recording time
5.	Oxygen desaturation index >1.4 events/hr
6.	AHI >10 events/hr

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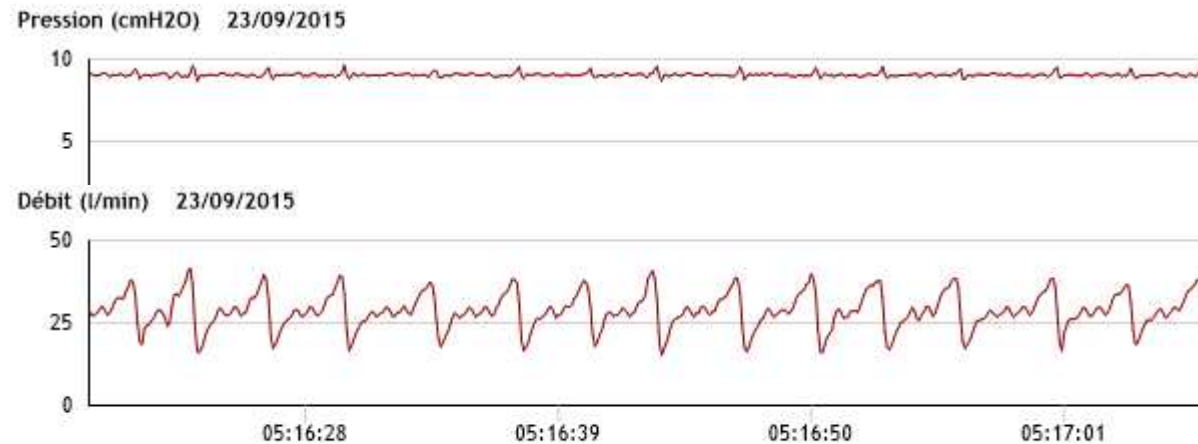


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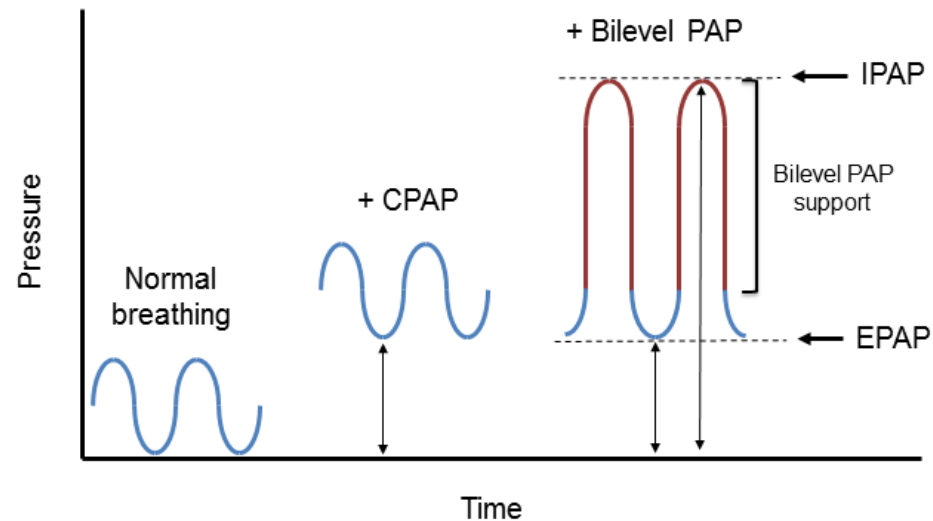
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CPAP modes - 1

Constant
CPAP

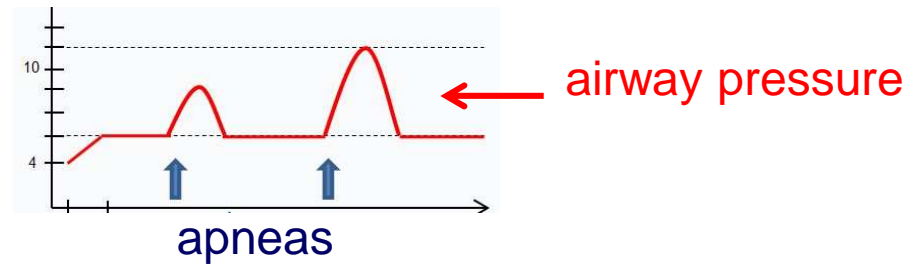


Bilevel positive
airway pressure
(BiPAP)

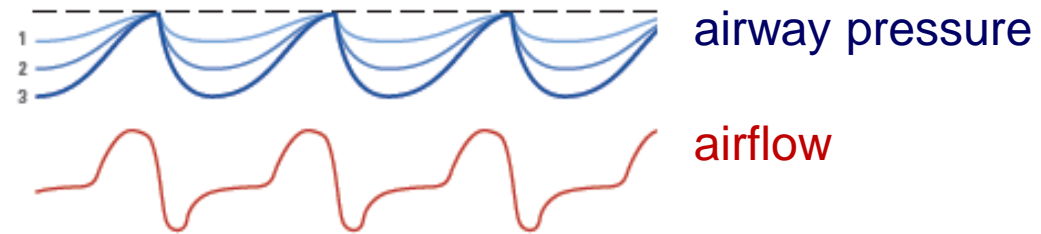


CPAP modes - 2

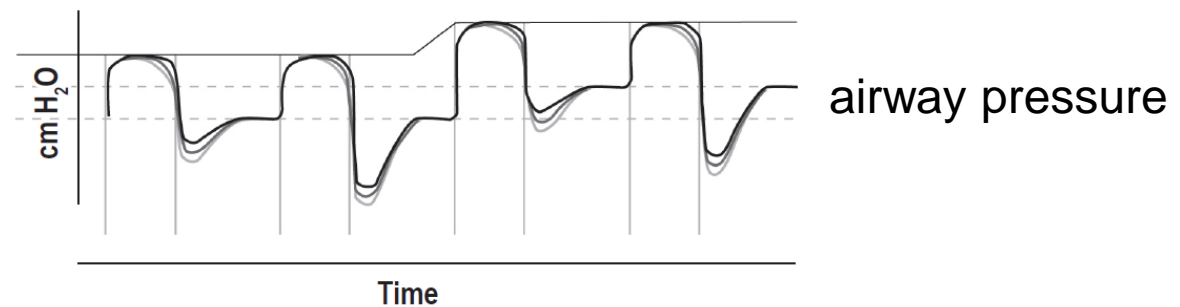
Auto-CPAP



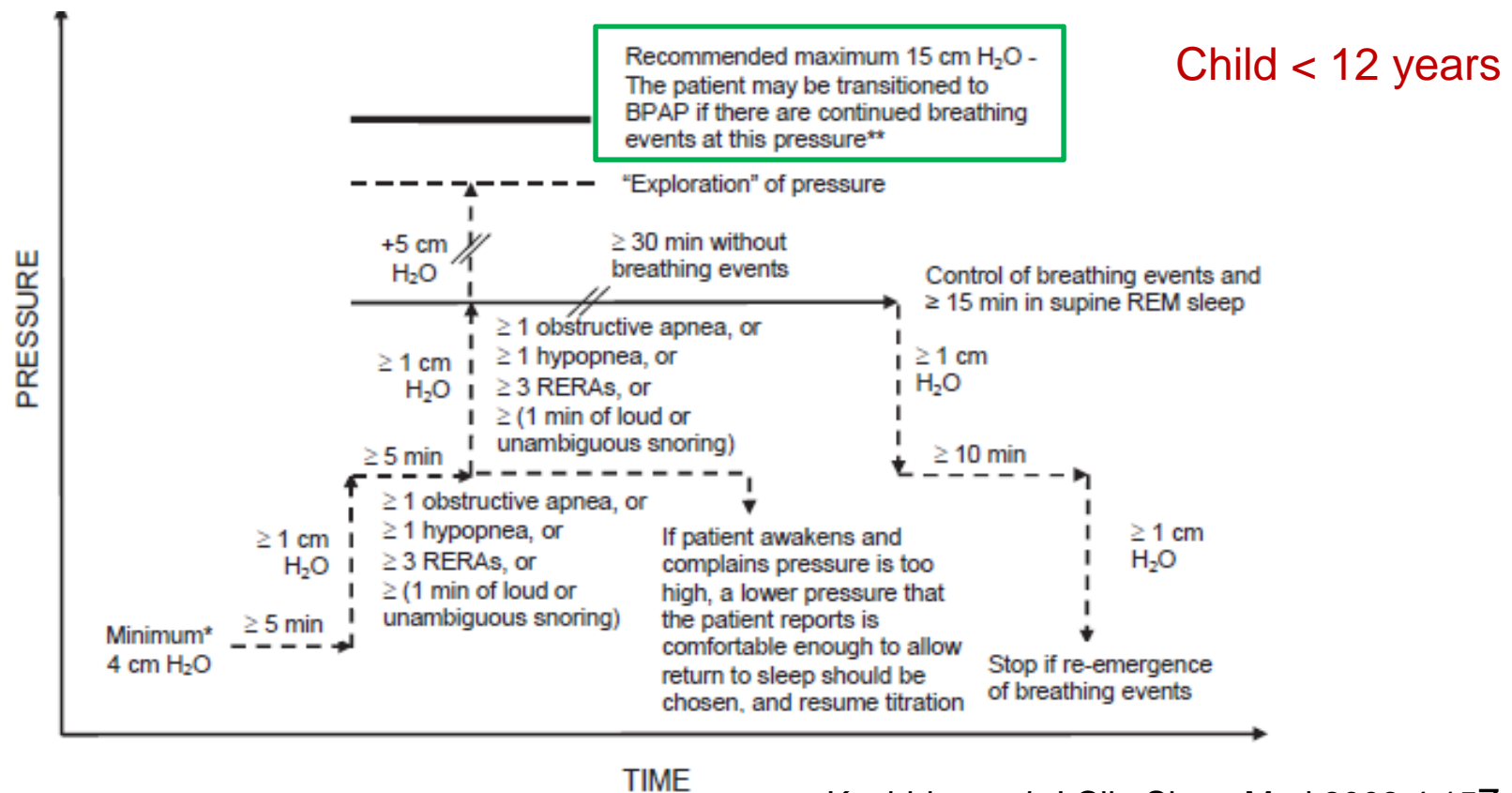
C-Flex



Bi-Flex



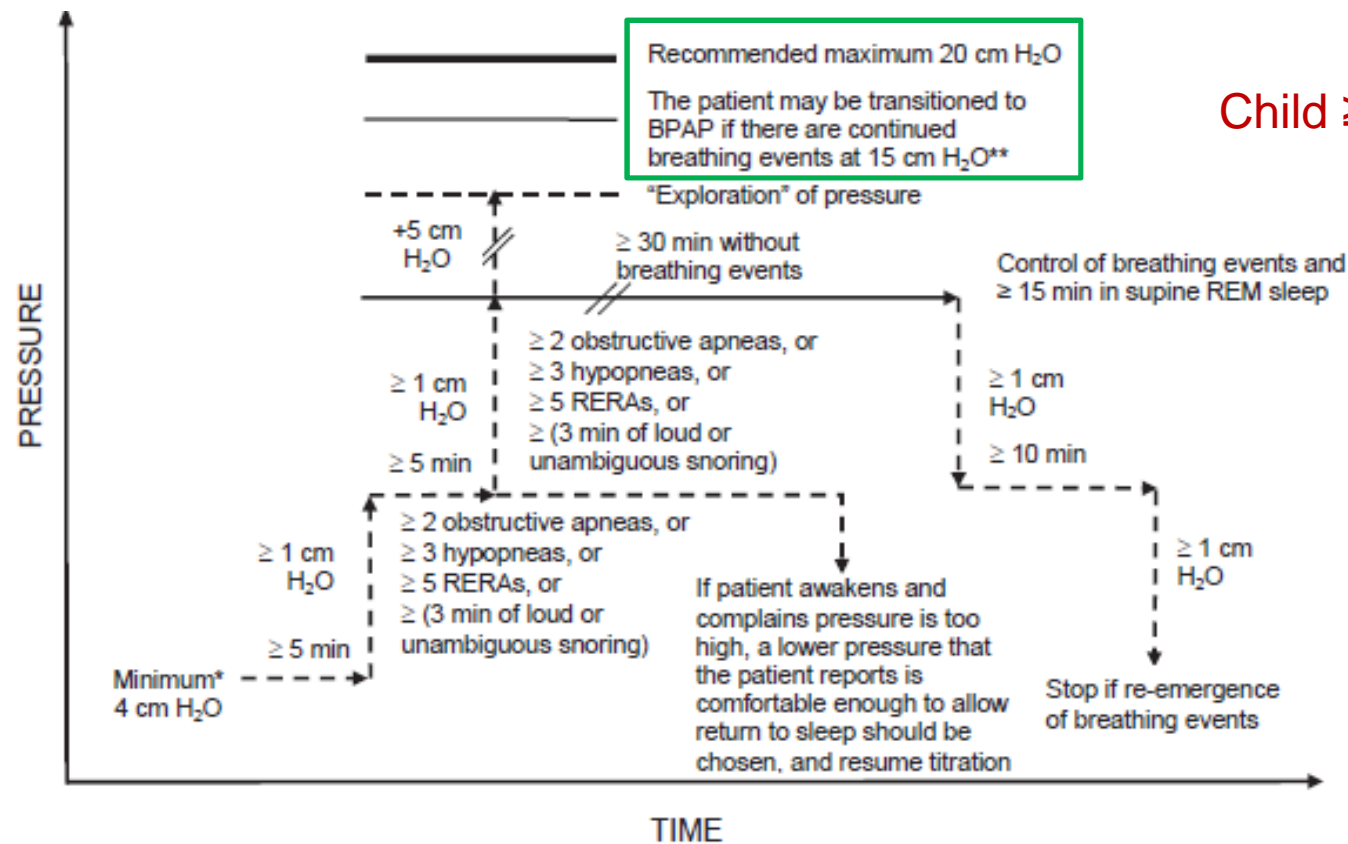
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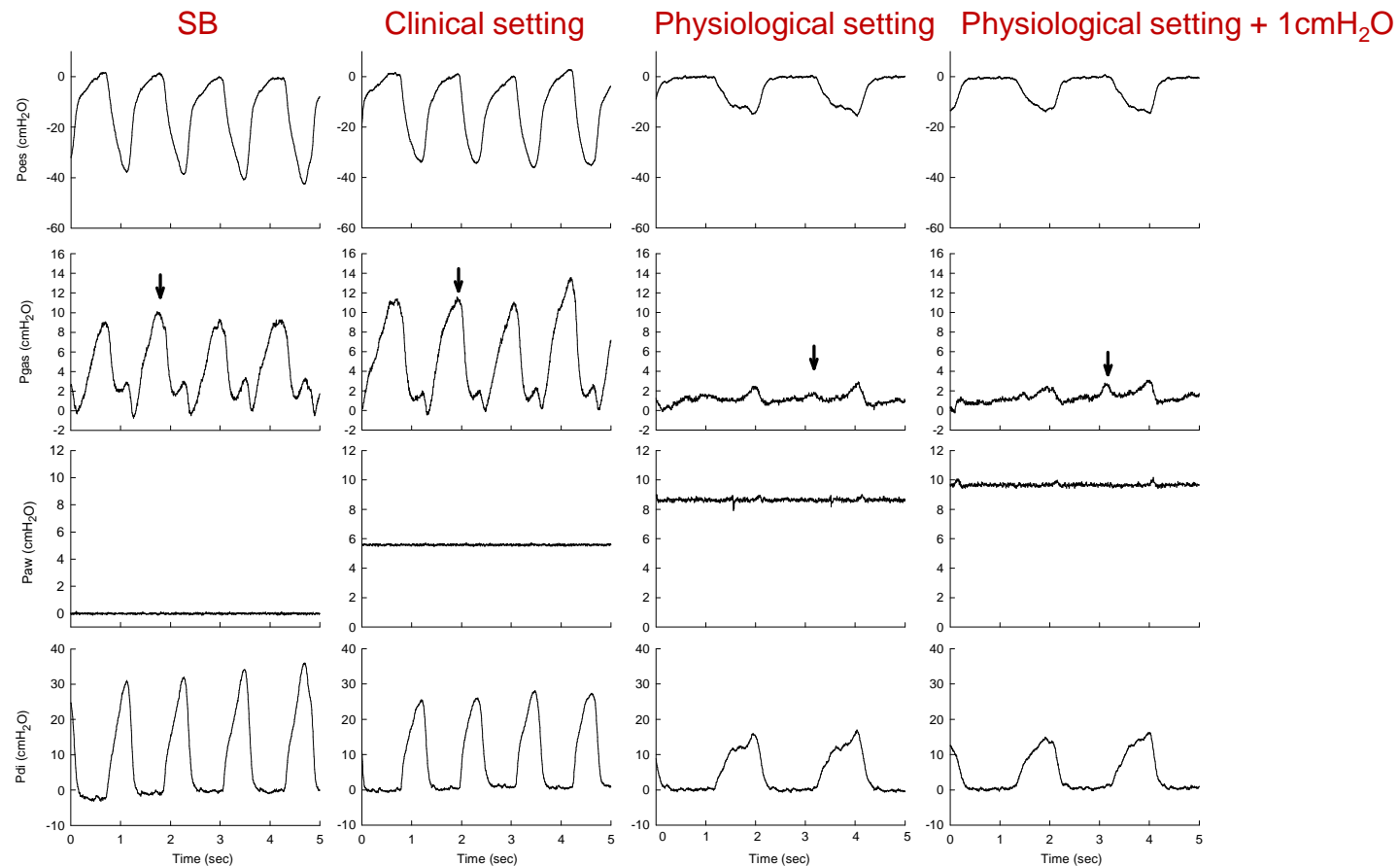


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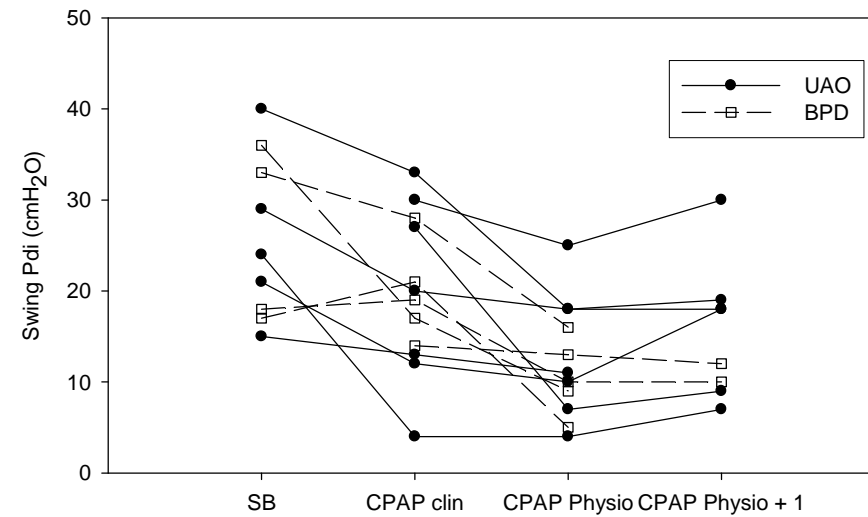
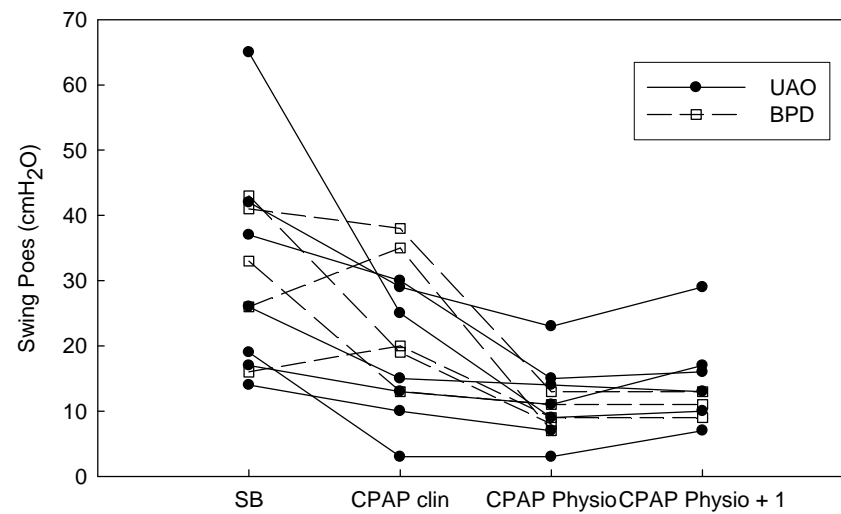


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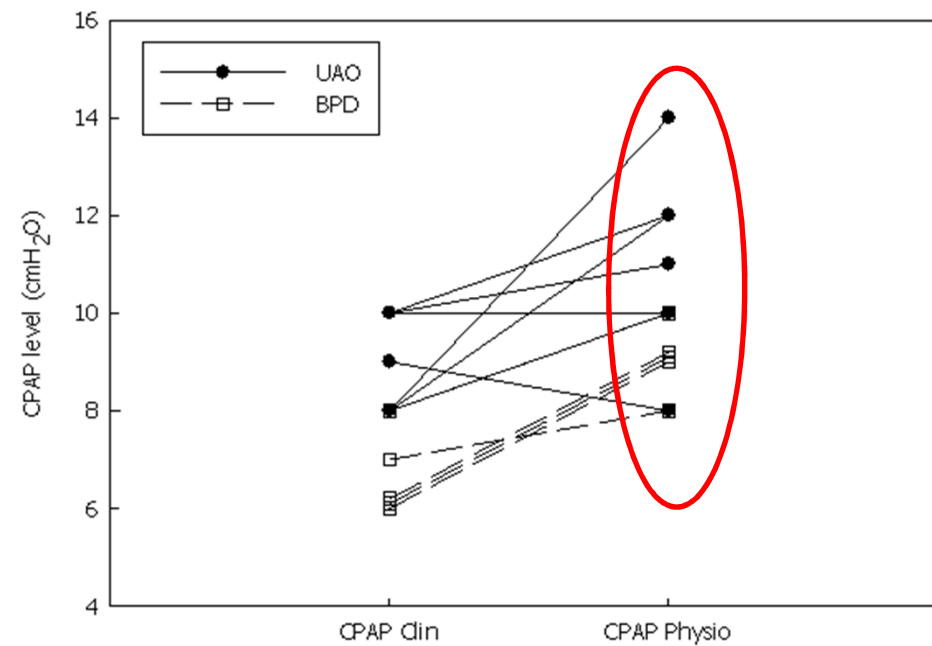


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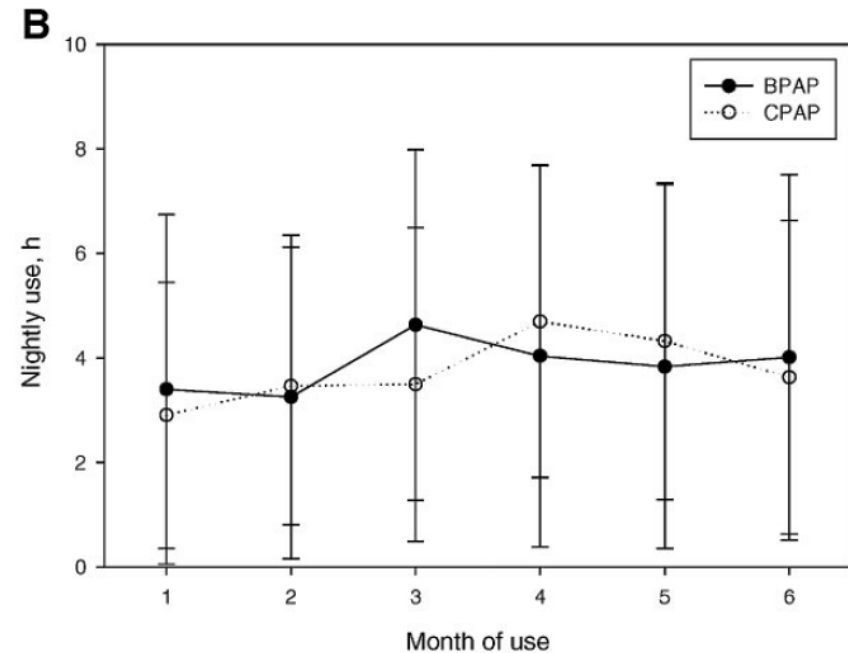
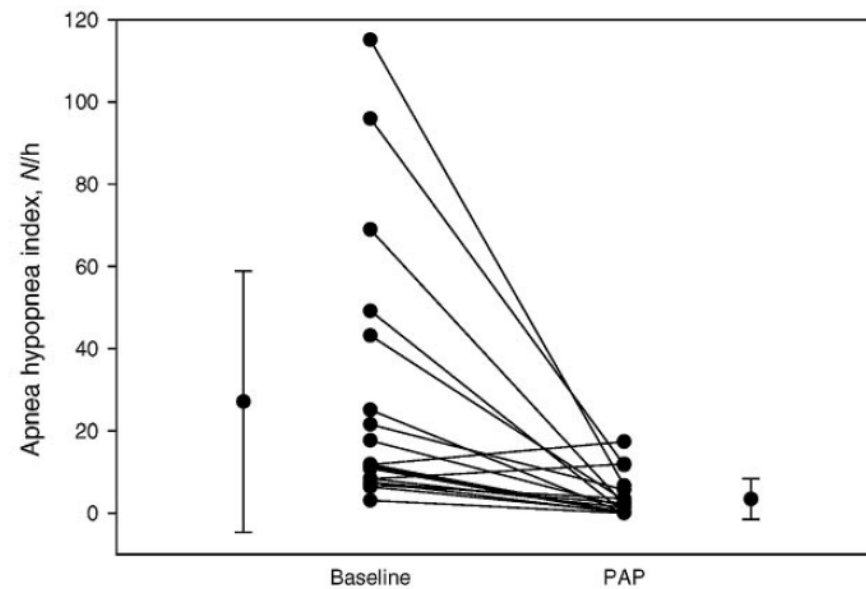
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No difference between CPAP and BiPAP

29 children with OSAS: CPAP or Bilevel PAP

1/3 not compliant at 6 months, mean use/night: 5.3 ± 2.5 hours



Efficacy of Automated Continuous Positive Airway Pressure in Children With Sleep-Related Breathing Disorders in an Attended Setting

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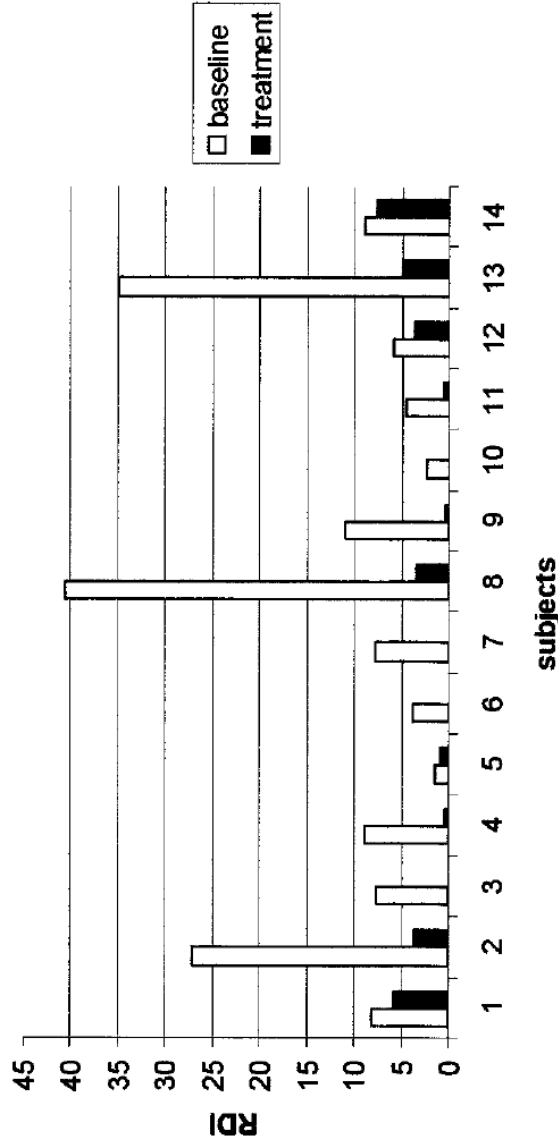
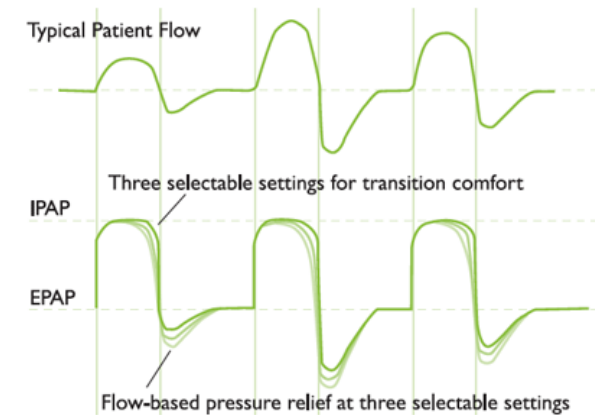


TABLE 3. Polysomnographic Results

	Baseline, Mean (SD)	AutoSet T (Manually Reviewed)
RDI baseline, events/h	12.4 (12.4)	2.3 (2.6)*
Lowest O ₂ saturation, %	86 (10.8)	93.6 (3.9)*
Sleep efficiency, %	84.8 (7.2)	86.8 (7)
Sleep latency, min	10.4 (13)	6.7 (7.5)

No difference between CPAP and A-Flex

Randomized double blind trial: CPAP vs Bi-Flex
PSG before and after 3 months
Objective compliance at 1 and 3 months



56 children and adolescents	CPAP	A-Flex	p
Mean use (nights/month) at M1	24 ± 6	22 ± 9	NS
Mean use (min/night) at M1	201 ± 135	185 ± 165	NS
AHI/h at baseline	22 ± 21	24 ± 6	NS
IAH/h at M1	2 ± 3	2 ± 2	NS
Epworth Sleepiness Scale at baseline	8 ± 5	10 ± 6	NS
Epworth Sleepiness Scale at M1	6 ± 3	5 ± 5	NS

In practice

- No CPAP mode has proven to be superior to constant CPAP
- Titration
 - in-hospital overnight titration = gold standard
 - alternatively
 - start with auto-CPAP
 - switch to constant CPAP after one week (in-built software)
 - infant: set (progressively) to the highest tolerated level

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Devices able to deliver CPAP



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Devices	CPAP	Auto CPAP	Bilevel PAP	Adjustable trigger	Volume guarantee	Minimal weight	Minimal flow detection
S10 VPAP ST	yes	no	yes	yes	no	13kg	50ml
S10 Autoset	yes	yes	no	no	no	30kg	100ml
BIPAP A30	yes	no	yes	no	200ml	10kg mode ST 20kg AVAPS	Autotrack
BIPAP A40	yes	no	yes	yes	200ml	10kg mode ST 20kg AVAPS	Autotrack or airflow
PR1 REMstar	yes	yes	no	no	no	30kg	Autotrack
PR1 BIPAP ST	yes	no	yes	no	no	18kg	Autotrack
PR1 BIPAP ST AVAPS	yes	no	yes	no	200ml	18kg mode ST 20kg AVAPS	Autotrack
Trilogy	yes	no	yes	yes	50ml	5kg	Autotrack or airflow

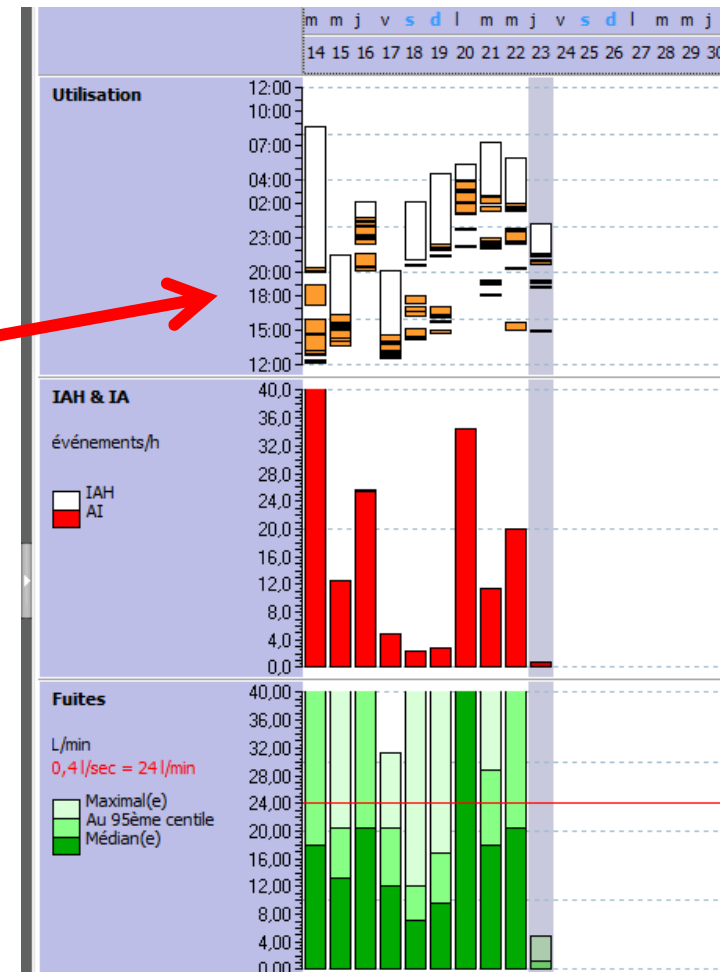
Choice of the CPAP device

- Characteristics of the patient

- battery ? alarms ?
(humidification)
- necessity to use the
in-built software ?

- In practice

- simplicity
- ergonomomy
- humidification



Interfaces for children

Long-term non-invasive ventilation in children

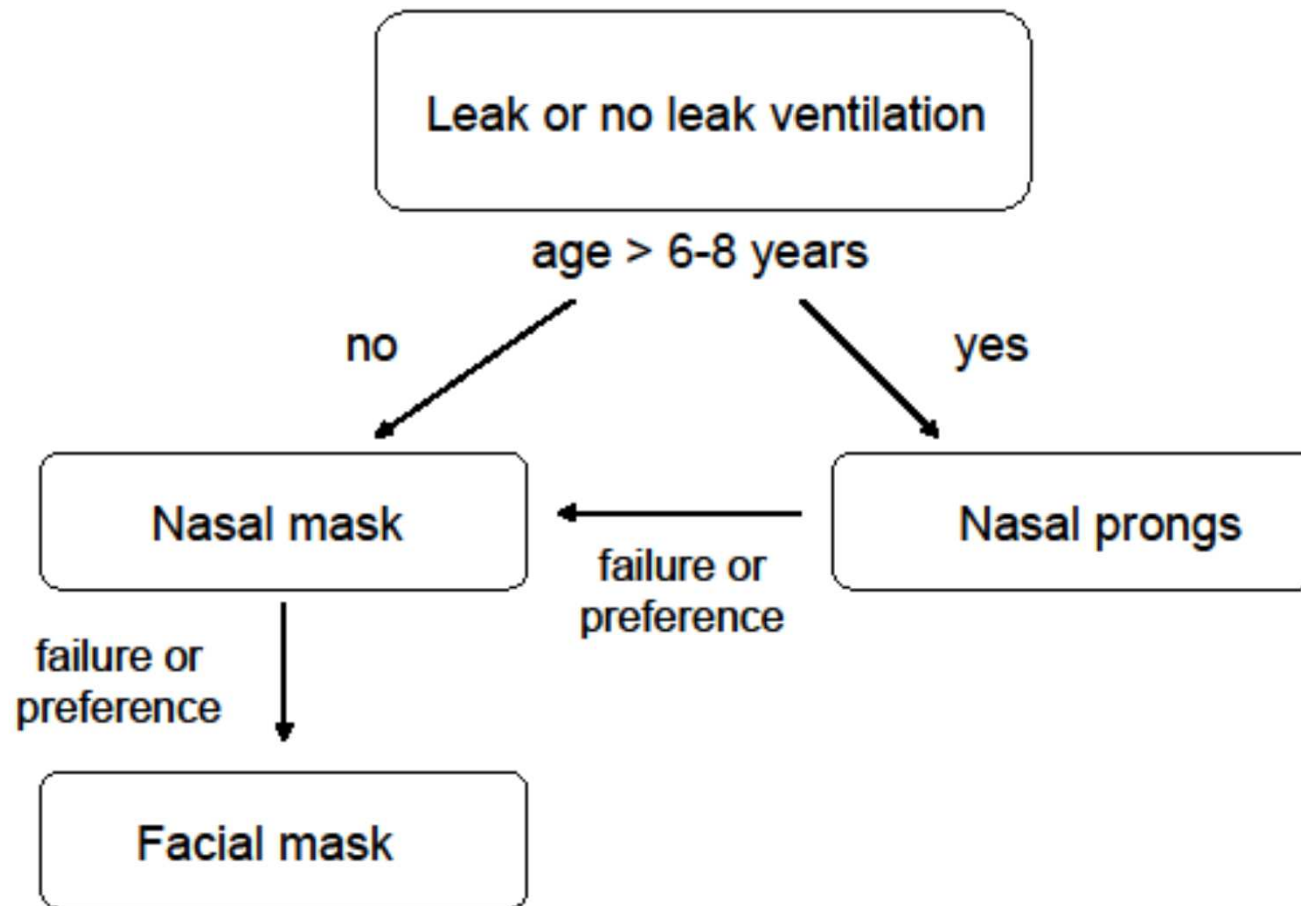


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	Advantages	Disadvantages	Side-effects
Nasal mask	Small internal volume; large choice of different industrial models	Not usable in case of mouth leaks	Pressure sores, eye irritation if leaks, facial deformity
Nasobuccal mask	Prevents mouth leaks	Large volume; risk of inhalation of gastric content in case of gastro-oesophageal reflux; impairs communication and vocalisation; increased aerophagia	Pressure sores, eye irritation if leaks, facial deformity
Total face mask	Prevents mouth leaks	Larger volume than nasobuccal mask; risk of inhalation of gastric content in case of gastro-oesophageal reflux; impairs communication and vocalisation; increased aerophagia	Pressure sores, facial deformity
Nasal pillows	Small and light; no pressure sores	Not usable in case of mouth leaks	Nasal irritation
Mouthpiece	Small and light; no pressure sores; can be used intermittently	Not useable during sleep	None

Table: Advantages, disadvantages, and side-effects of interfaces for children

Choice of the interface



Nasal interfaces for infants



Interfaces for older children



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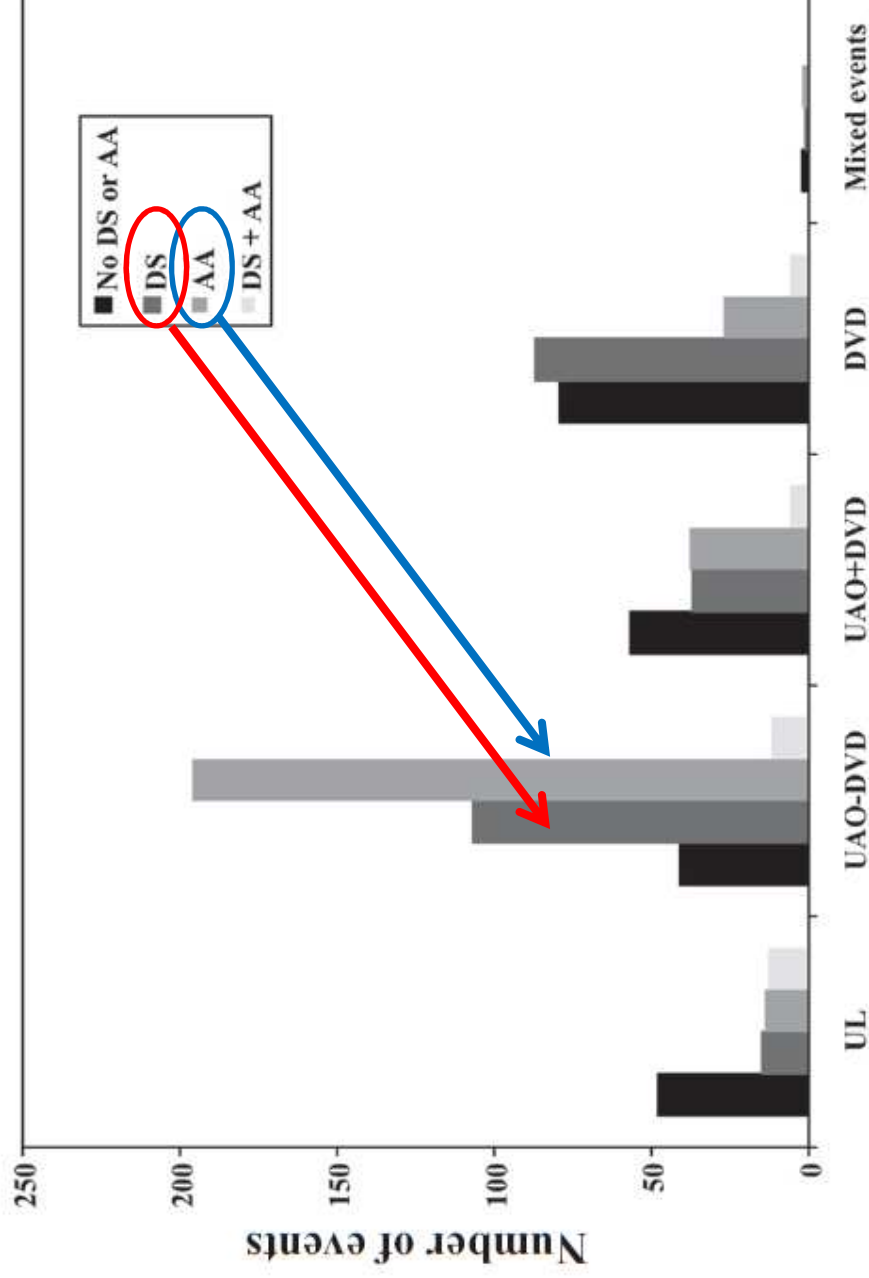
Polygraphy duration (h:min)	7:10 ± 1:30
Mean CPAP level (cmH ₂ O)	7.7 ± 1.5
Nocturnal gas exchange	
Mean SpO ₂ (%)	97 ± 1
Minimal SpO ₂ (%)	89 ± 6
Time spent with SpO ₂ <90% (%)	0.2 ± 0.5
Oxygen Desaturation Index (number/h)	3.8 ± 5.2
Mean PtcCO ₂ (mmHg)	40 ± 4
Maximal PtcCO ₂ (mmHg)	46 ± 7
Time spent with PtcCO ₂ >50 mmHg (%)	1.7 ± 6.0
Objective CPAP adherence over the last month (n = 20)	
Average use per night (h:min)	7:40 ± 2:10
Average use per month (nights/month)	28 ± 2

Occurrence of SomnoNIV respiratory events during CPAP (n = 29).

	Unintentional leaks	Partial or total UAO without decrease in ventilatory drive	Partial or total UAO with decrease in ventilatory drive	Decrease in ventilatory drive	Mixed events
Number of polygraphies with the event, n (percentage)	12 (41%)	19 (65%)	13 (45%)	12 (41%)	3 (10%)
Event index/h, median (range)	0.0 (0.0–3.1)	0.4 (0.0–7.9)	0.0 (0.0–4.8)	0.0 (0.0–25.2)	0.0 (0.0–2.0)
Percentage of time spent with each event, median (range)	0.0 (0.0–42.4)	0.7 (0.0–13.7)	0.0 (0.0–7.4)	0.0 (0.0–5.3)	0.0 (0.0–4.0)

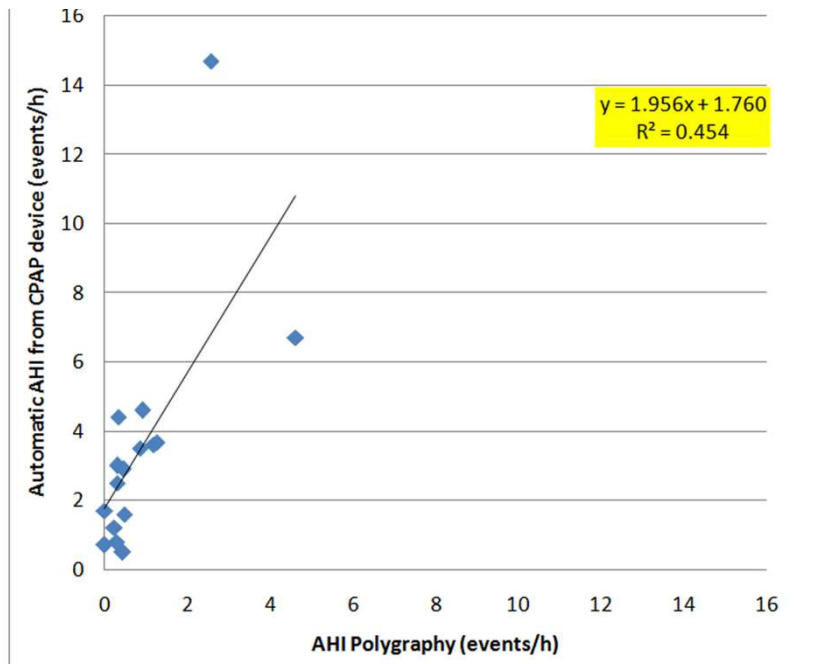
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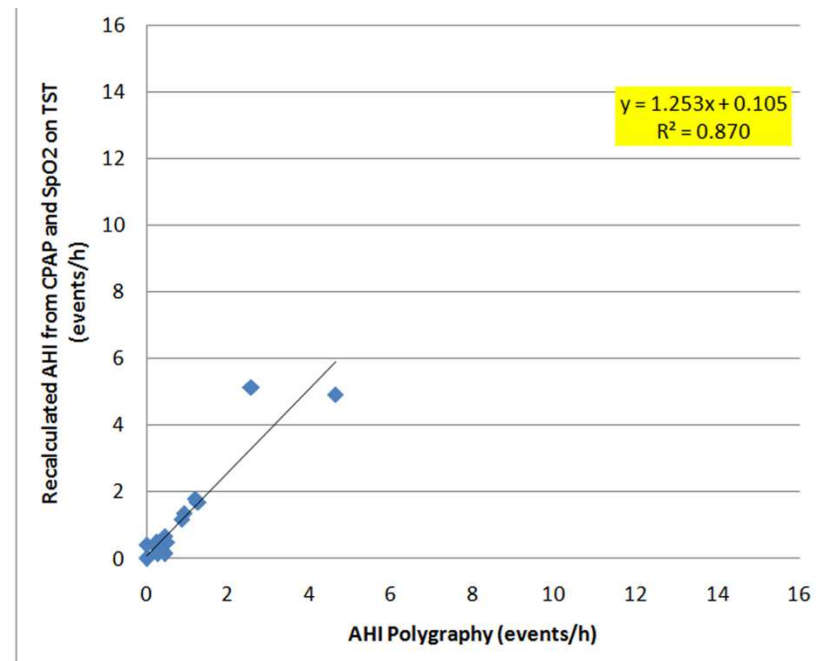


Value of the analysis of the in-built software

Comparison of the data from the in-built software (Rescan) + SpO₂ and a PG



Automatic
analysis



Analysis of the in-built
software tracings as a PG

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Weaning of CPAP

- Lack of guidelines
- Determinants
 - underlying disease and natural history (PRS)
 - growth, weight loss
 - interventions: orthodontics, surgery...
- Long lasting effect of CPAP
 - importance long term follow up with of regular assessments
- Criteria: normal sleep without CPAP

Noninvasive positive-pressure ventilation avoids recannulation and facilitates early weaning from tracheotomy in children*

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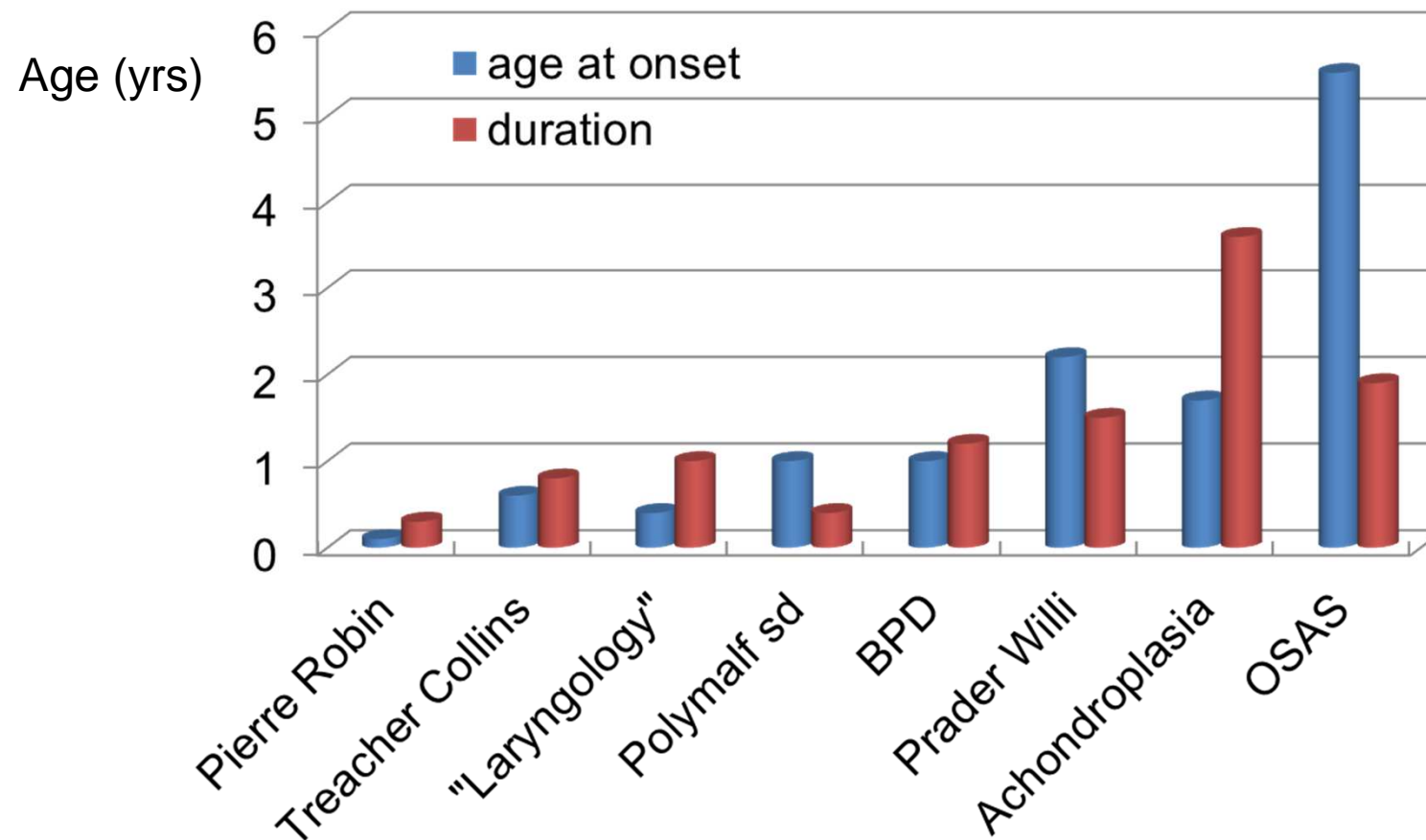
Patient	Gender	Diagnosis	Age at Tracheotomy	Age at Detubation (yrs)	NPPV Delay (mos)	Outcome
Delayed NPPV group						
1	female	Treacher-Collins syndrome	1 mo	2.5	6	on NPPV since 1 mo
2	female	Vocal cord paralysis + tracheomalacia	1 mo	2.5	4	successful NPPV withdrawal at age 5, now 7.5 yrs old still on NPPV at age 18
3	male	Vocal cord paralysis + polymalformation	3 mos	11	48	still on NPPV at age 18
4	male	Congenital diaphragmatic hypoplasia #	3 mos	5.7	12	still on NPPV at age 12
5	female	Cystic lymphangioma	6 mos	2	1	successful NPPV withdrawal at age 4, now 11 yrs old still on NPPV at age 4
6	male	Vocal cord paralysis + BPD #	6 mos	2	1	still on NPPV at age 11
7	male	Vocal cord paralysis + multiple congenital anomalies	6 mos	10	6	successful NPPV withdrawal at age 12, now 13 yrs old still on NPPV at age 12
8	male	Laryngeal cleft	1 yr	3	6	
9	female	Vocal cord paralysis + cerebral tumor	6.5 yrs	10.5	9	

Weaning of CPAP/NIV

59 patients (25%) / 27 mois

Age at CPAP/NIV initiation (median), yrs	1.4																										
CPAP / NIV	51 (86%) / 8 (14%)																										
Duration of CPAP / NIV (median), yrs	1 / 4																										
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Reason of withdrawal	Improvement 75%: spontaneous 2/3, after surgery 1/3 Non compliant, poor tolerance: 25%																										

Age at onset of CPAP/NIV and duration of treatment



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Areas for future research

- Validation of initiation & weaning criteria
- Improvements of the flow detection (in-built software) of CPAP devices (infant)
- Nasal prongs and naso-buccal interfaces for infants
- Teletransmission of inbuilt software data + gas exchange (SpO_2 + PtcCO_2)