

DATE & TIME:



## **Spontaneous Breathing Trial Screen Criteria:**

- FiO2 ≤ 0.45
- SpO2  $\geq$  95% (or as appropriate to underlying condition)
- PEEP≤8
- PIP < 22
- Cough present

PATIENT					
NAME					
Was COMFORT trend					
discussed?					
COMFORT target for					
next 24 hours?					
Was Ventilation					
goal/target discussed?					
Spontaneous Breathing					
Trial Screen reviewed?					

The SANDWICH Intervention aims to promote a multidisciplinary engagement of staff at all levels to become involved in the process of weaning ventilation and titrating sedation. The daily ward round is one of the core elements of the SANDWICH Intervention.

**W** HOW OFTEN? It is essential that there is at least one daily multidisciplinary ward round

**WHO?** As a minimum, the nursing and medical disciplines, but may include other disciplines such as physiotherapy, pharmacy and dieticians according to usual practice in your PICU

**WHERE?** The round may be conducted at the bedside or a meeting room according to usual practice in your PICU. If conducted in a meeting room without the bedside nurse, then a subsequent face to face discussion should take place at the child's bedside with the bedside nurse

What is should be discussed in terms of Sedation?

To comply with the SANDWICH Intervention, please review and discuss sedation management which should include:

- Reviewing current trends in COMFORT Scores for the previous 12-24hrs
- Prescribed sedative regimen and the additional boluses required to maintain the patient within desired COMFORT target range
- Put a plan in place for the child should they require weaning or escalation of sedation or analgesia
- Setting COMFORT score target range in accordance with the child's condition and ventilation plans. Refer to the COMFORT target range and Titration guidelines.

## **What is should be discussed in terms of Ventilation?**

To comply with the SANDWICH Intervention, please review and discuss ventilation management which should include:

- The child's current ventilatory status and ability to reduce ventilator support
- Setting ventilation goals for active weaning (as condition permits)
- Reviewing the Bedside Checklist and the daily criteria for readiness for SBT
- Reviewing previous SBT attempts and setting further goals as appropriate in preparation for SBT

























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