

A. Procedure

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- 1. Prepare equipment:
 - a) Nebulizer kit
 - b) Reservoir tube
 - c) Oxygen supply
 - d) Proper medication and dosage
 - e) Oxygen supply tubing
- 2. Place the correct amount of medication in the bottom half of nebulizer barrel (The bottom of the nebulizer can be identified by the oxygen connection port).
- 3. Connect the upper half of the nebulizer to the barrel.
- 4. Connect the "T" shaped directional tubing on top of the nebulizer barrel or connect barrel to a face mask.
 - a) Only use the aerosol face mask designed for the nebulizer. DO NOT use ordinary oxygen masks.
- 5. Connect a mouthpiece to the "T" tubing.
- 6. Connect the reservoir tubing to the other end of the "T" tubing.
- 7. Connect oxygen supply tubing to the bottom of the nebulizer and oxygen supply.
- 8. Adjust the oxygen supply to 5 6 L/min (depending on the flowmeter and nebulizer specifications) to obtain a mist of medication. Only use <u>non-humidified</u> oxygen.
- 9. Nebulizer must be held upright for medication to be nebulized.