

**GREY BRUCE HEALTH NETWORK
 CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE
 PULMONARY DISEASE
 CLINICAL PATHWAY**

- Lions Head Markdale Meaford Owen Sound
 Southampton Tobermory Wiarton

PATIENT ID _____

COMORBID CONDITIONS:

Diabetes

PROCESS	PHASE 1 (Approximately 2 days)	DATE		DATE	
		INITIAL	DATE	DATE	DATE
PATIENT OUTCOMES	DECREASED RESPIRATORY RATE	DJA	July 11 07	D	
	DECREASED HEART RATE	DJA	July 12 07	N	
	DECREASED TEMPERATURE	DJA	July 11 07	D	
	DYSPNEA SCALE SCORE IMPROVING	DJA	July 12 07		
	SATURATIONS ACHIEVED WITH LESS OXYGEN (FLOW OR %)	DJA	July 12 07		
Once all Patient Outcomes are achieved, move to Phase 2					
ASSESSMENT (OBSERVATIONS/ MEASUREMENTS/ ELIMINATION)	VS Q4H & PRN, INCLUDING O ₂ SATS	DJA		FNR	AN
	MONITOR INTAKE / OUTPUT	DJA		FNR	AN
	CHEST ASSESSMENT Q4H (BREATH SOUNDS, PRODUCTIVE COUGH)	DJA		FNR	AN
	DYSPNEA SCALE WITH ACTIVITY	DJA		FNR	AN
	DYSPNEA SCALE AT REST	DJA		FNR	AN
	MENTAL STATUS (TIME, PLACE, PERSON)	DJA		FNR	AN
	ISOLATION: DROPLET/CONTACT PRECAUTIONS	DJA		N/A	N/A
	OTHER:				
CONSULTS (will be personalized by corporation)	CCAC IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A
	PHYSIO CONSULT IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A
	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY CONSULT IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A
	SOCIAL WORK IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A
	PHARMACY IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A
	CLINICAL NUTRITION IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A
	RESPIRATORY THERAPY IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A
	DISCHARGE PLANNING IF REQUIRED	DJA		N/A	N/A

Patient Instruction for Dyspnea Scale:

"This is a scale that asks you to rate the difficulty of your breathing. It starts at number 0 where your breathing is causing you no difficulty at all and progresses through to number 10 where your breathing difficulty is maximal. How much difficulty is your breathing causing you right now?"

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| 0 - Nothing at all | 5 - Severe breathlessness |
| 0.5 - Very, very slight (just noticeable) breathlessness | 6 - |
| 1 - Very slight breathlessness | 7 - Very severe breathlessness |
| 2 - Slight breathlessness | 8 - |
| 3 - Moderate breathlessness | 9 - Very, very severe (almost maximal) breathlessness |
| 4 - Somewhat severe | 10 - Maximal breathlessness |