

primary studies - published, non RCT

Physical working capacity before and after chest physiotherapy in cystic fibrosis.

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Participants

14 patients with cystic fibrosis

Interventions

mechanical and manual percussion physiotherapy

Outcome measures

sputum volumes, and FEV1 and FVC

Main results

Results with mechanical percussor were as good as with the manual percussor and, therefore, it would be reasonable for the older patient to use the former on his own.

<http://www.mrw.interscience.wiley.com/cochrane/clcentral/articles/494/CN-00208494/frame.html>

See also

Cystic Fibrosis YR: 1977 DE: CCT

Keywords

Adolescent; Adult; Airway clearance technique; Child; Drainage; non pharmacological intervention - devices OR physiotherapy; Percussion; Chest physiotherapy;