

Speech Voice & Swallowing FEES Report

Wythenshawe Hospital Manchester Foundation NHS Trust

Current feeding status:

Previous pneumonia:

Tracheostomy / ventilation status / oxygen requirements:

Structures

Nasal passage (Follow NGT, swollen, septal deviation)

Nasopharyngeal wall (NGT trauma, tremor, abnormality L/R/midline):

Velopharyngeal sphincter (Adequate conical closure, symmetry, neuro signs, nasal regurgitation):

Base of Tongue (Thrush, symmetry, neuro signs, abnormality L/R/midline, flap):

Oropharynx & Posterior pharyngeal wall (Normal/concave, constriction, neuro signs, reduced contraction, abnormality):

Epiglottis (Position, oedema, abnormality):

Arytenoids (Oedema, prolapsed L/R, symmetry, mucosal trauma, posterior commissure stenosis):

True & Ventricular folds (Trauma, palsy/paresis, hyperfunction, glottic closure):

CP (Hyper/hypotonic):

The Reflux Finding Score	Pseudosulcus (infraglottic oedema)	Ventricular obliteration	Erythema Hyperemia	Vocal fold oedema	Diffuse laryngeal oedema	Posterior commissure hypertrophy	Granuloma	Thick endolaryngeal mucus
	0 = Absent 2 = Present	0 = None 2 = Partial 4=Complete	0 = None 2=Arytenoids 4 = Diffuse	0 = None 1 = Mild 2 = Mod 3 = Severe 4=Polypoid	0 = None 1 = Mild 2 = Mod 3 = Severe 4=Obstruct	0 = None 1 = Mild 2 = Mod 3 = Severe 4=Obstructing	0 = Absent 2 = Present	0 = Absent 2 = Present
TOTAL SCORE (>11 indicates LPR)								

Glottic Closure

Airway protection Scale	1 Breath holding not achieved	2 Transient breath hold, glottis open	3 Sustained breath hold, glottis open	4 Transient true vocal fold closure	5 Sustained true vocal fold closure	6 Transient true and ventricular closure	7 Sustained true and ventricular closure	8 Vocal fold closure on voluntary cough

Comments

Secretions

Location, appearance:

The New Zealand Secretion Scale		
	Symptom	Score
Location	Nil significant pooled secretions in pyriforms or laryngeal vestibule = 0	

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	Secretions in pyriform fossa = 1 Secretions in laryngeal vestibule = 2	
Amount	Nil significant pooled secretions in pyriform fossa (0-20%) = 0 Secretions in pyriform fossa, not yet full (20-80%) = 1 Secretions filling (80-100%) or over spilling pyriforms/interarytenoid space = 2	
Response	Secretions in pyriform fossa or laryngeal vestibule effectively cleared = 0 Ineffective attempts to clear OR no response to secretions in pyriform fossa = 1 Ineffective attempts to clear secretions from the laryngeal vestibule = 2 No response to secretions in laryngeal vestibule = 3	
TOTAL SCORE (7 at worst)		

Sensation:

Response to secretions, scope, penetration / aspiration and residue:

Trials:

Trache cuff status, PMV, ACV, Sprint:

Boluses trialled:

Premature spillage:

Swallow strength:

Residue (response & aspiration risk)

Yale Residue Severity Scale	1 No pharyngeal coating/residue	2 Coating of pharyngeal mucosa, no pooling	3 Mild pooling / residue	4 Moderate pooling / residue	5 Severe pooling / residue
<i>Valleculae</i>					
<i>Pyriform</i>					
<i>Other</i>					

Penetration Aspiration Scale	Thin fluids	Mildly thick	Moderately thick	Extremely thick	Regular diet	Soft diet	Minced & moist diet	Pureed diet

Strategies trialled & effectiveness:

Findings:

Recommendations:

SLT names: