



# Comment évaluer l'efficacité des techniques de désencombrement ?

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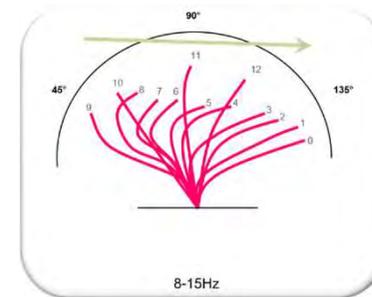
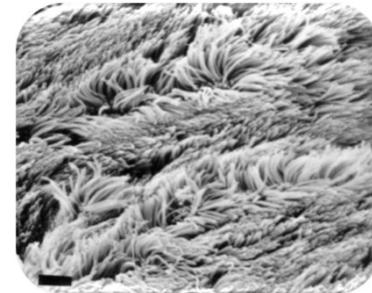
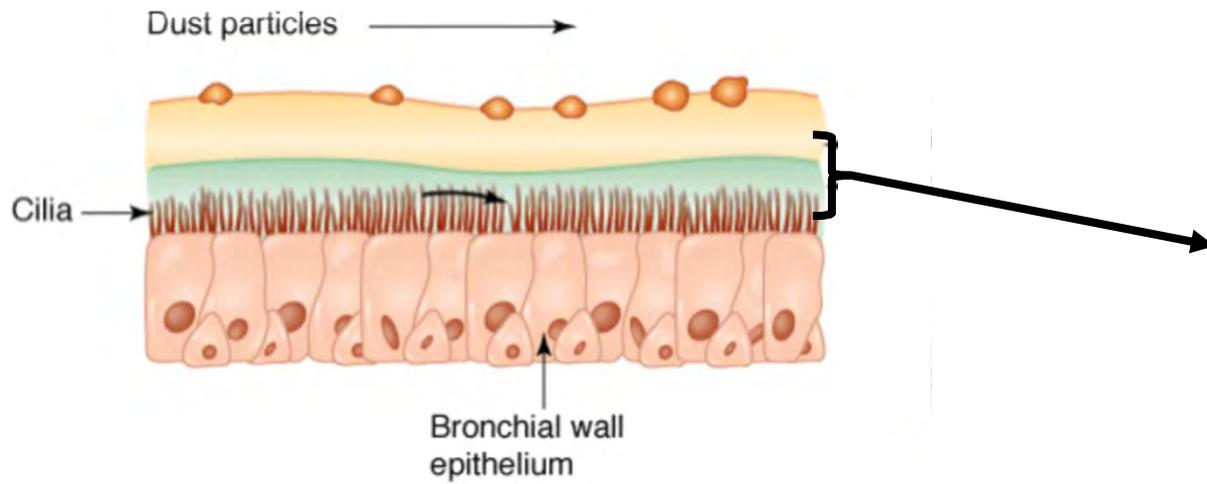
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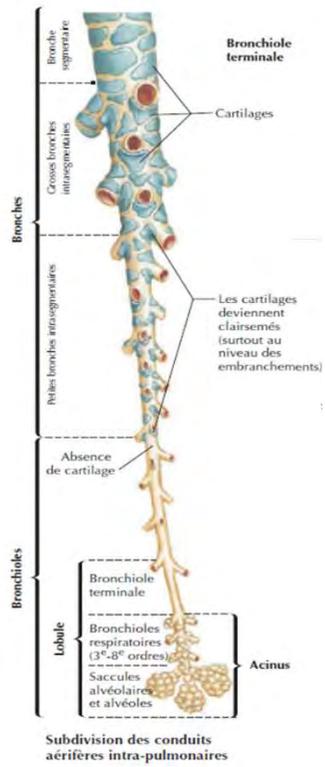
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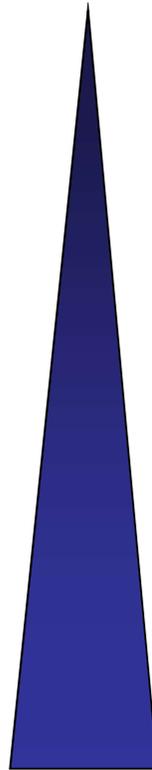


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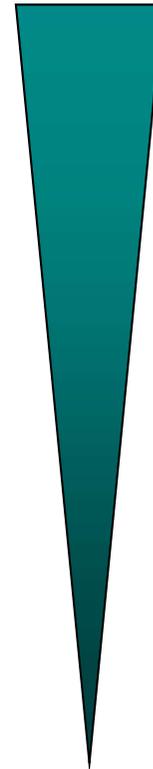
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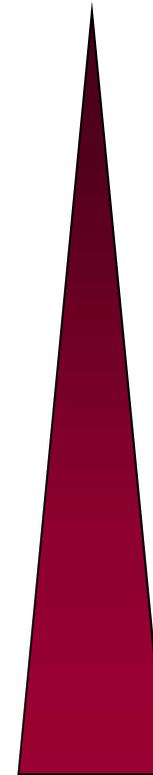
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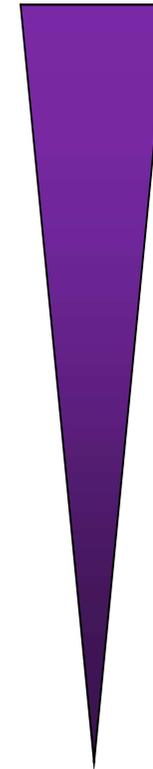
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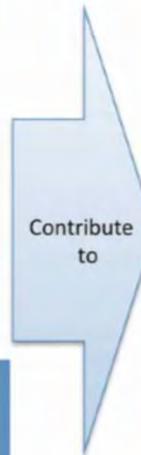
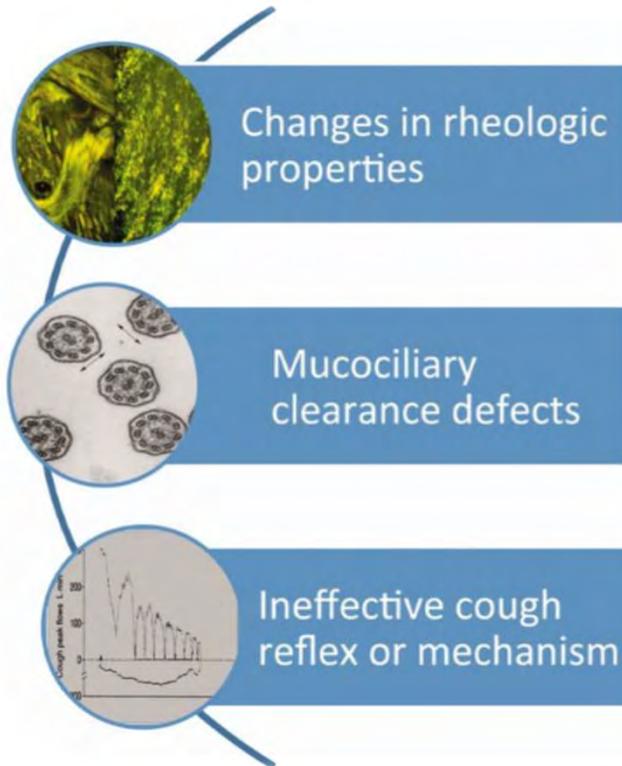


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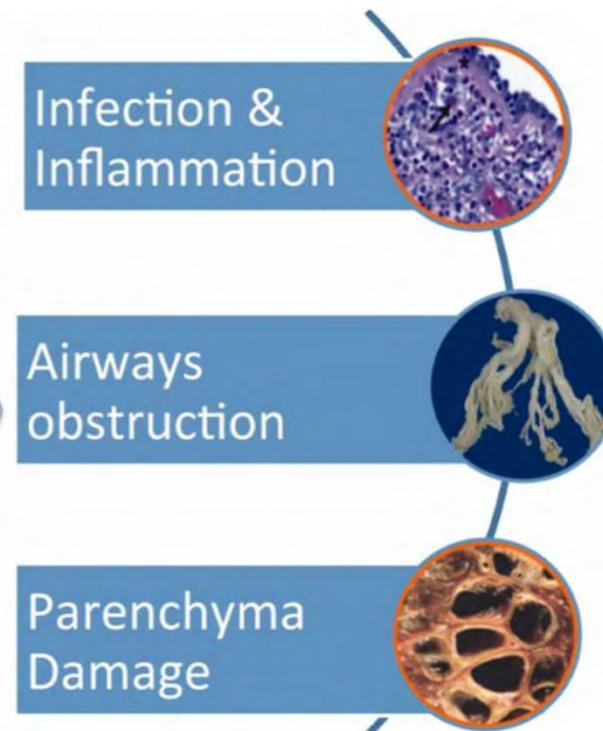




**Mucus et toux = protection et défense**

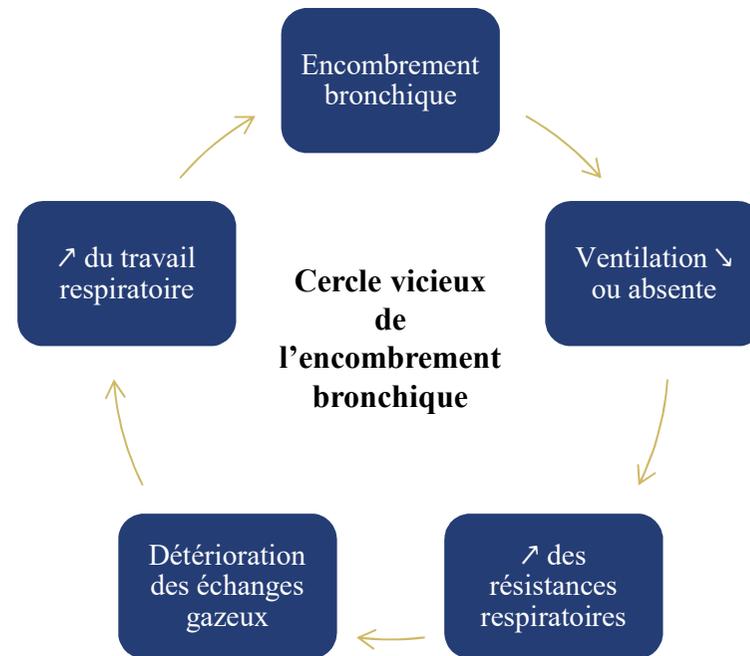
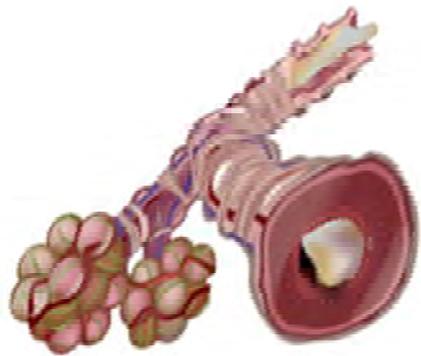


**Mucus = obstruction = complications**

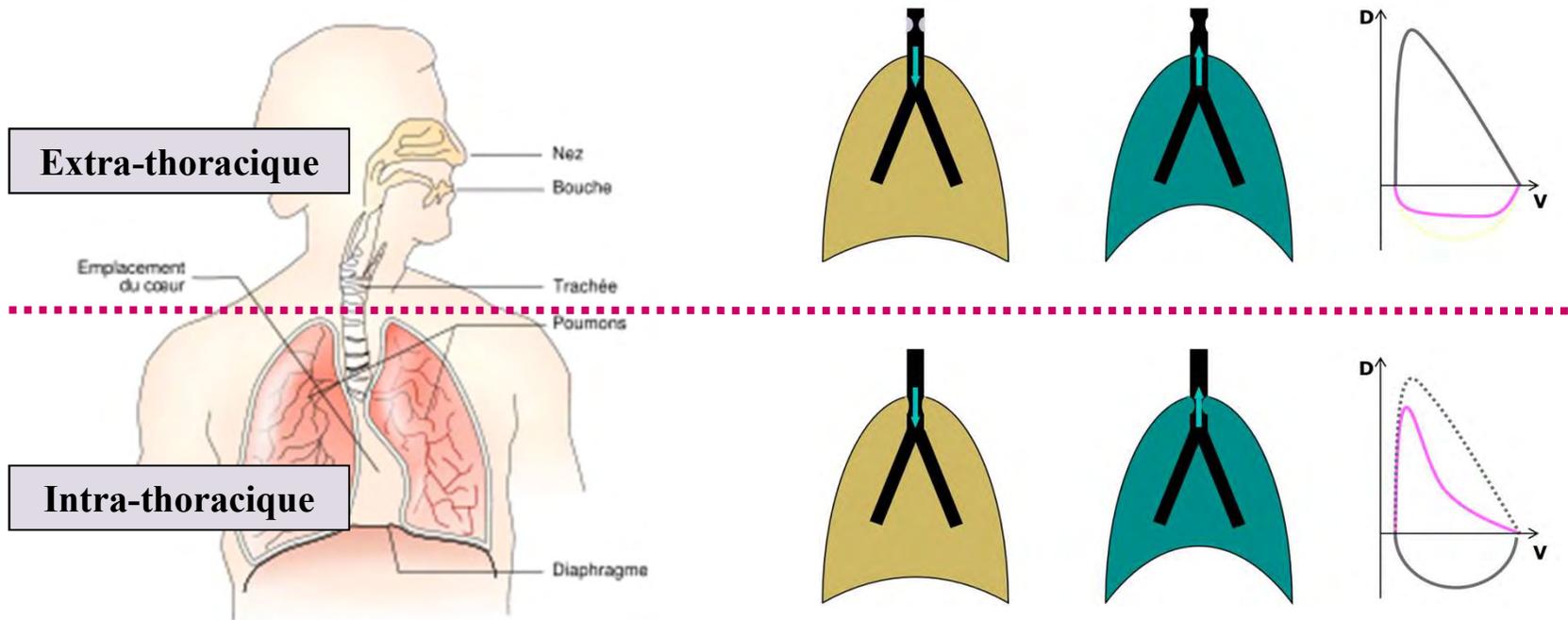


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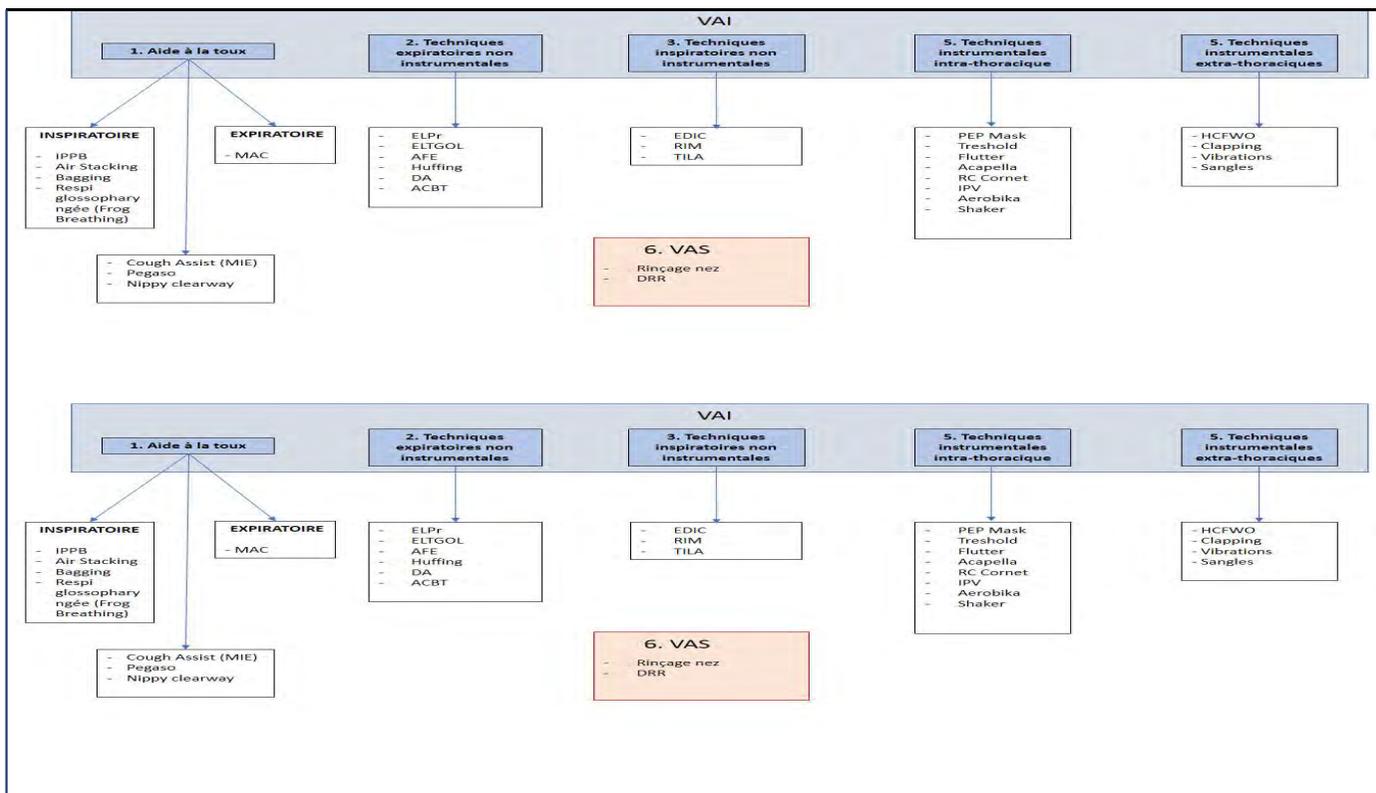
L'encombrement bronchique consiste en une accumulation de sécrétions au sein de l'arbre trachéo-bronchique, résultant d'un **déséquilibre** entre le statut sécrétoire (volume et propriétés rhéologiques des sécrétions) et les capacités d'épuration de ces sécrétions.



# DEFINITION



# TECHNIQUES DE DESENCOMBREMENT



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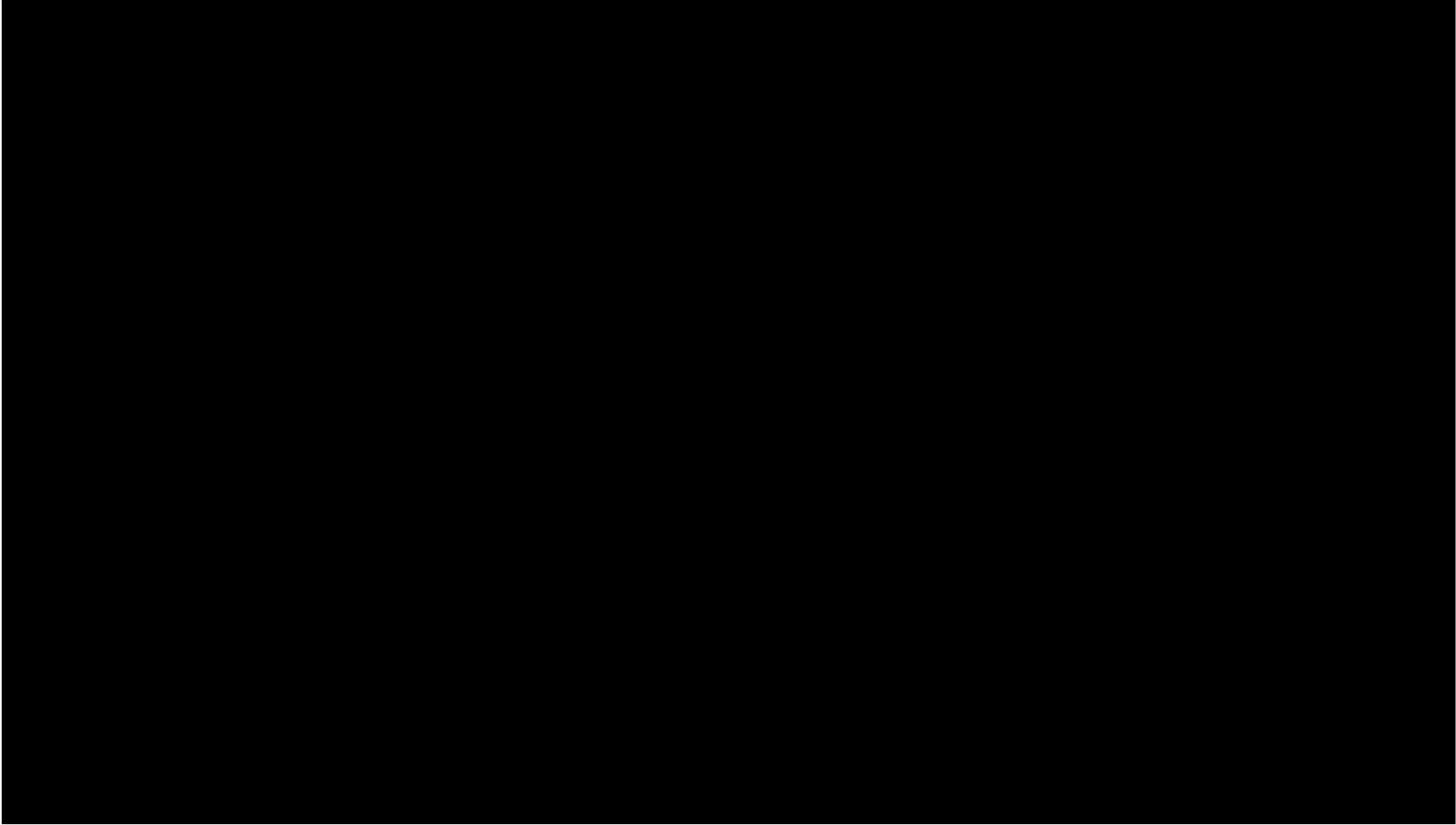
### Moyens

- Moduler le flux expiratoire
- Moduler le flux inspiratoire
- Moduler le volume pulmonaire



### Objectifs

- Mobiliser les sécrétions
- Ouvrir les territoires
- Evacuer les sécrétions



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# En préambule ...

- Efficacité : nom féminin (latin *efficacitas, -atis*) ; L'**efficacité** est la capacité d'une personne, d'un groupe ou d'un système de parvenir à ses fins, à ses objectifs (ou à ceux qu'on lui a fixés)

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Strickland et al., *Resp Care*, 2013

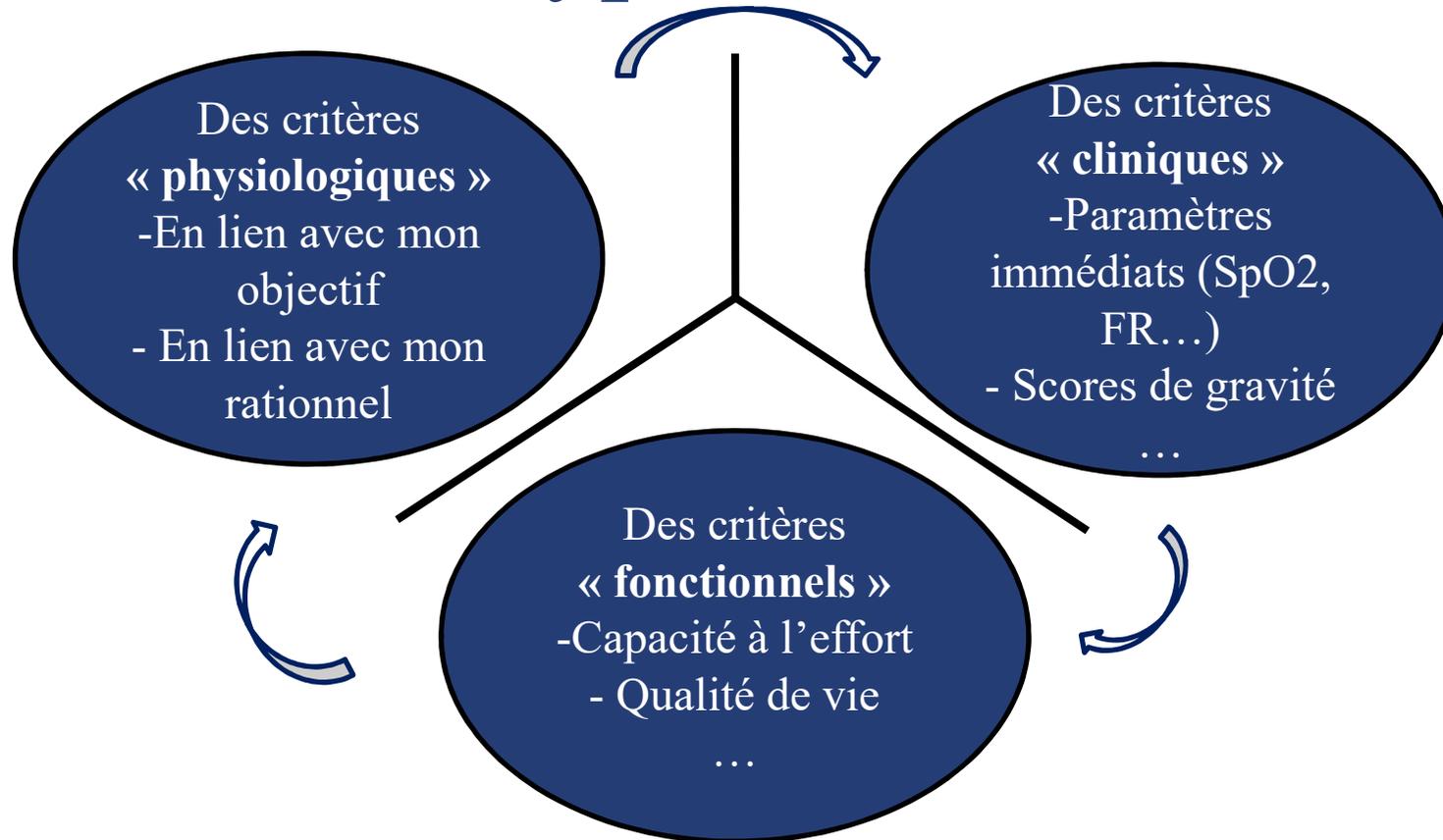
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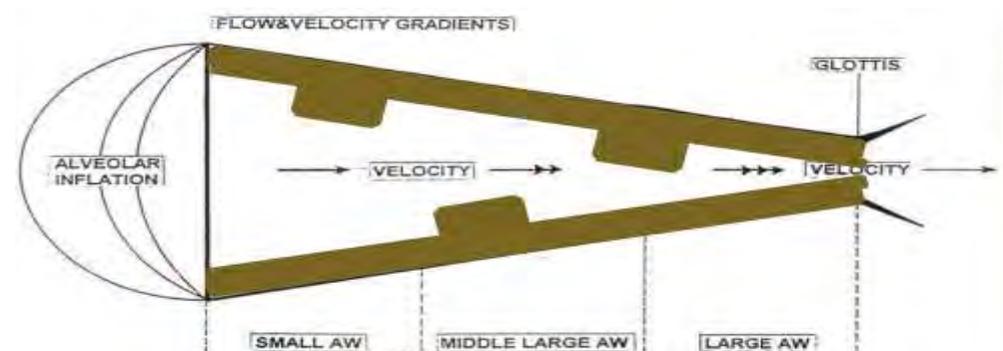
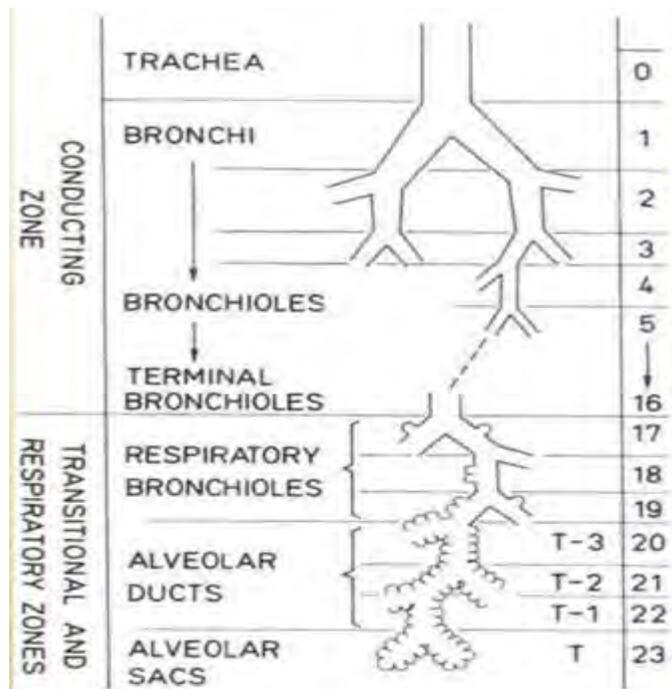
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# Différents types d'outcomes



# Principe du désencombrement bronchique



# Augmentation du débit expiratoire ?

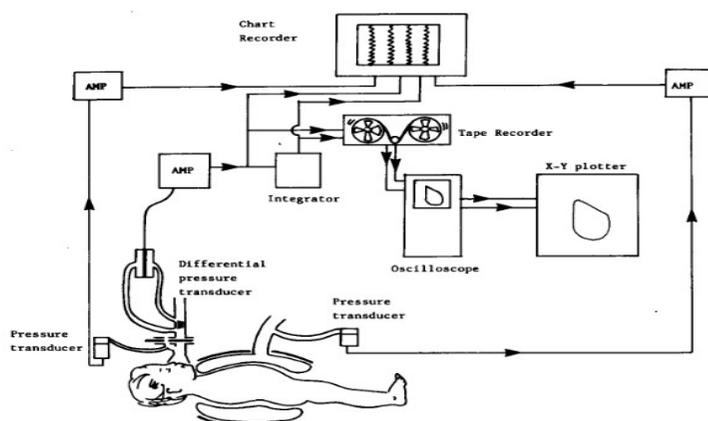


Fig. 1. Equipment used in passive and forced expiratory flow-volume studies. Body plethysmograph is not shown. AMP = amplifier. See text for details.

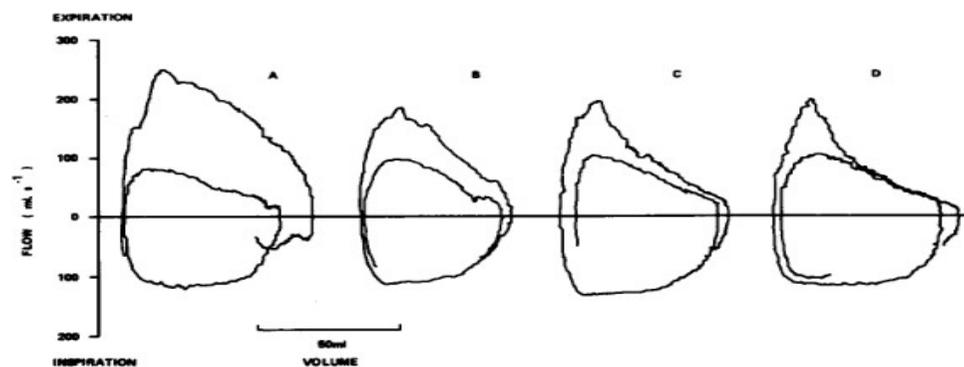


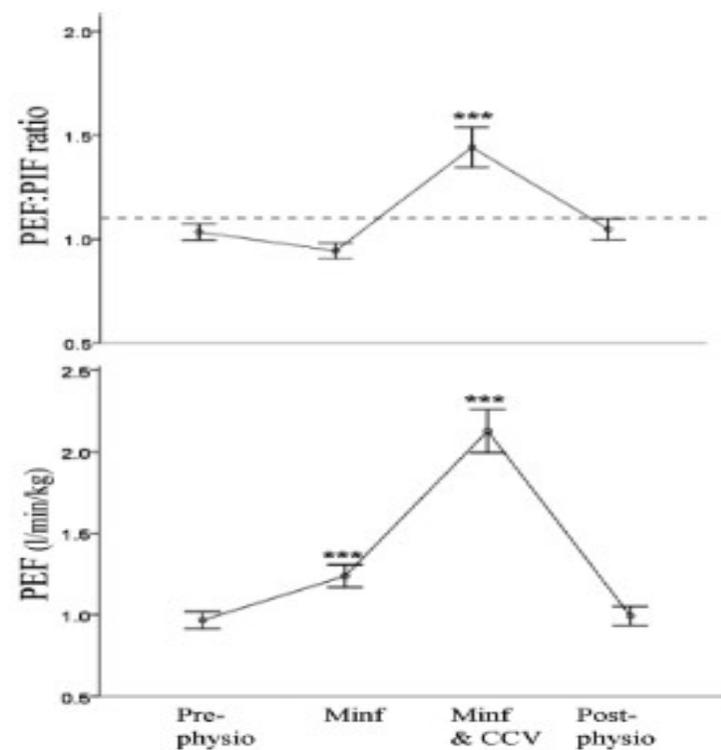
TABLE 3  
SHAPE OF STANDARDIZED PARTIAL FEV<sub>1</sub> CURVE AND CLINICAL DIAGNOSIS. ALL VALUES ARE PERCENTAGES.

Shape of FEV <sub>1</sub> Curve	Normal (%)	Bronchiolitis (%)	Bronchopulmonary Dysplasia (%)	Cystic fibrosis (%)
Convex (A)*	67	24	14	23
Straight (B)	17	18	14	50
Concave (C)	17	24	43	17
Concave (D)	0	35	29	0

\* Curve shapes correspond to shapes shown in figure 2.

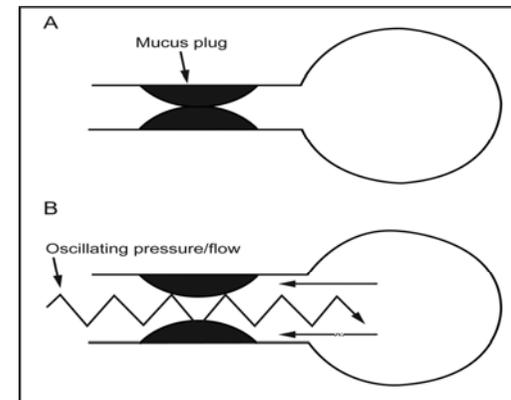
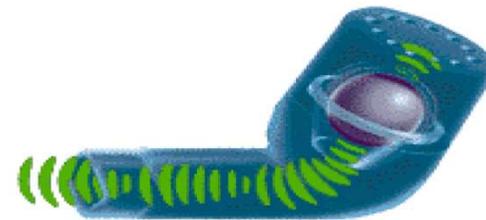
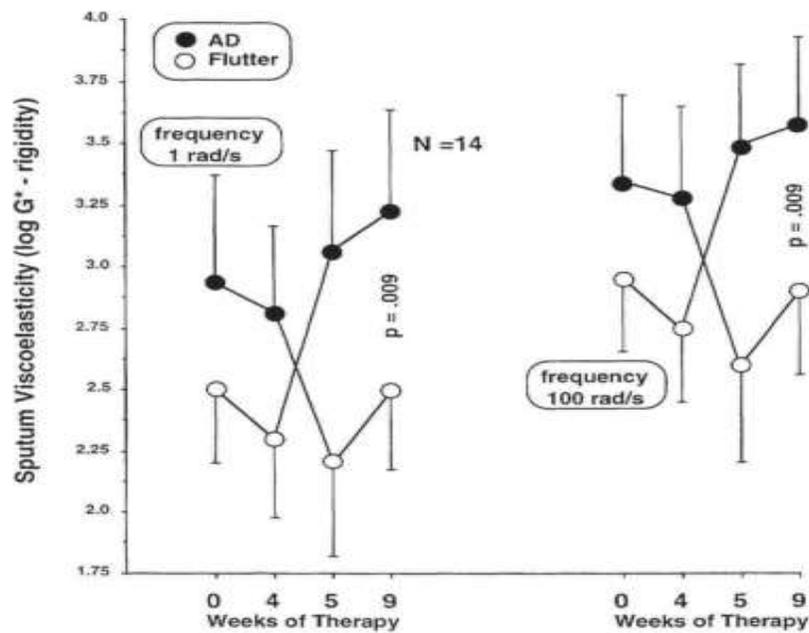
Le Souëf et al., *Am Rev Resp Dis*, 1988

# Compression manuelle pour mobiliser le mucus ?



Gregson et al., *Ped Crit Care Med*, 2012

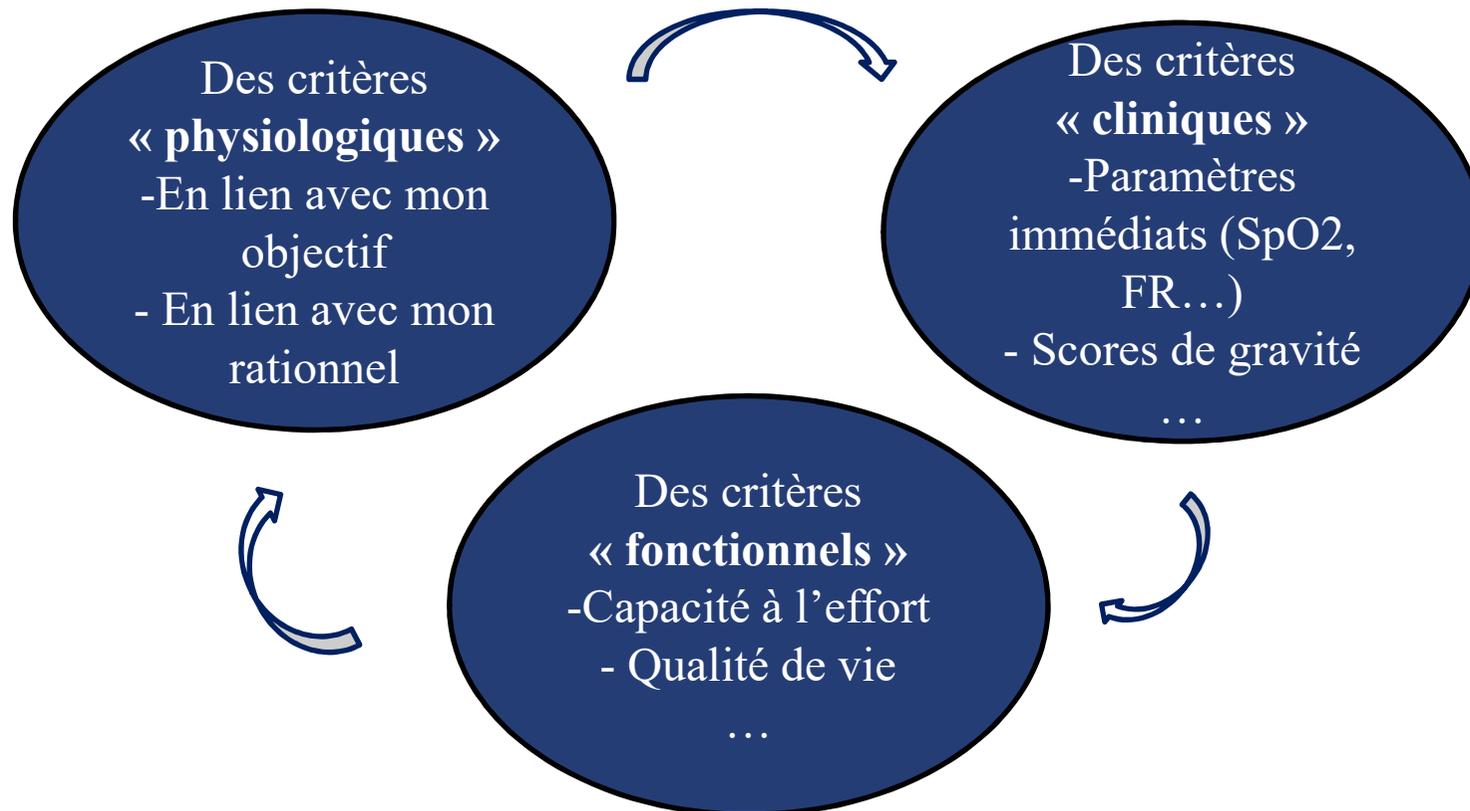
# Modifications du mucus ?



App et al., *Chest*, 1998

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# Différents types d'outcomes



# Volumes pulmonaires

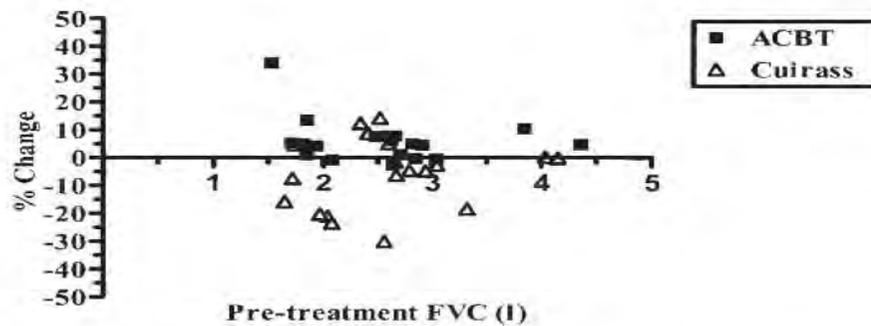
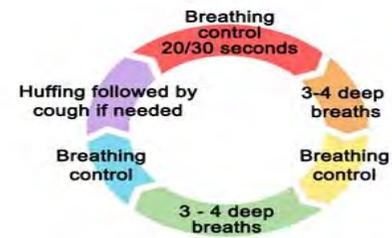


Fig. 2. Percent change in FVC following treatment.

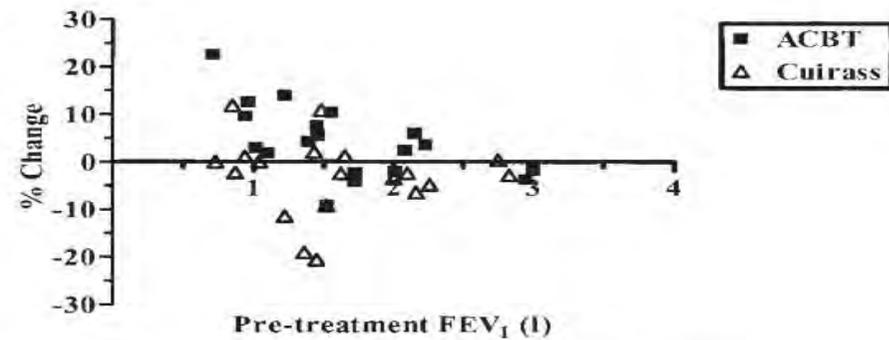
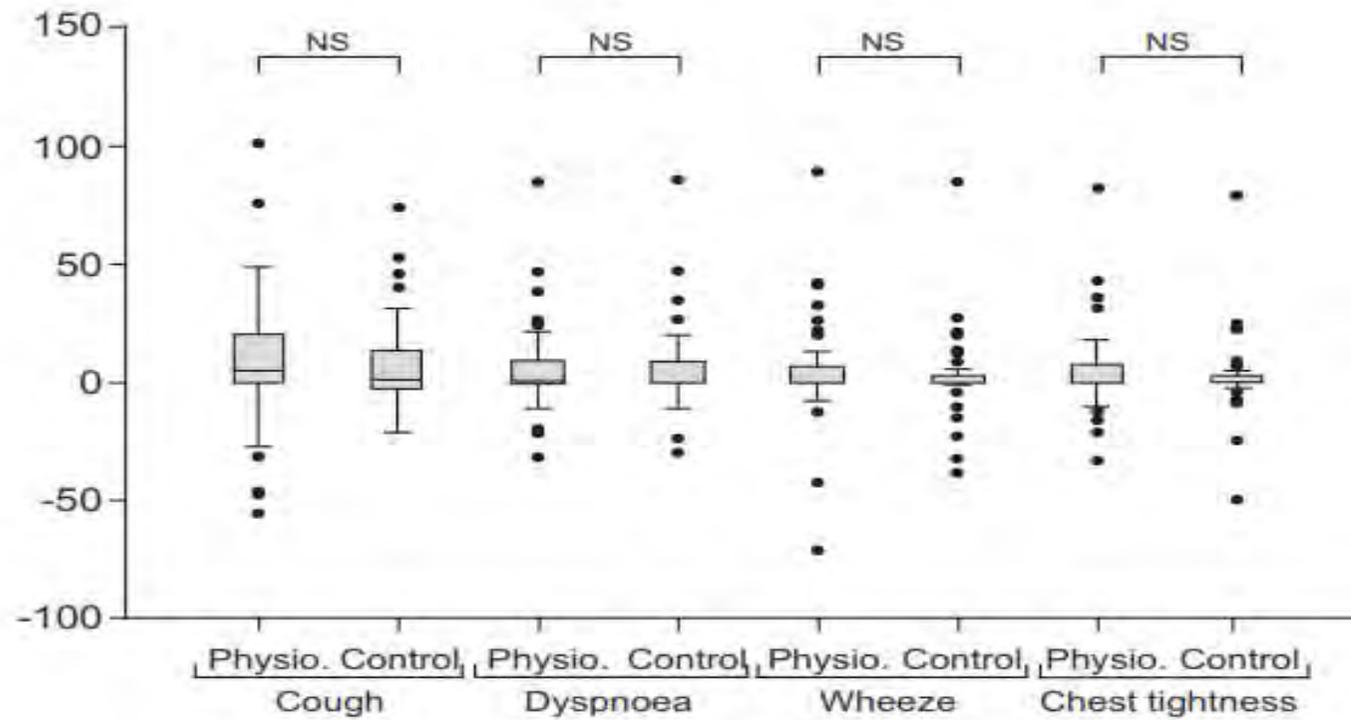


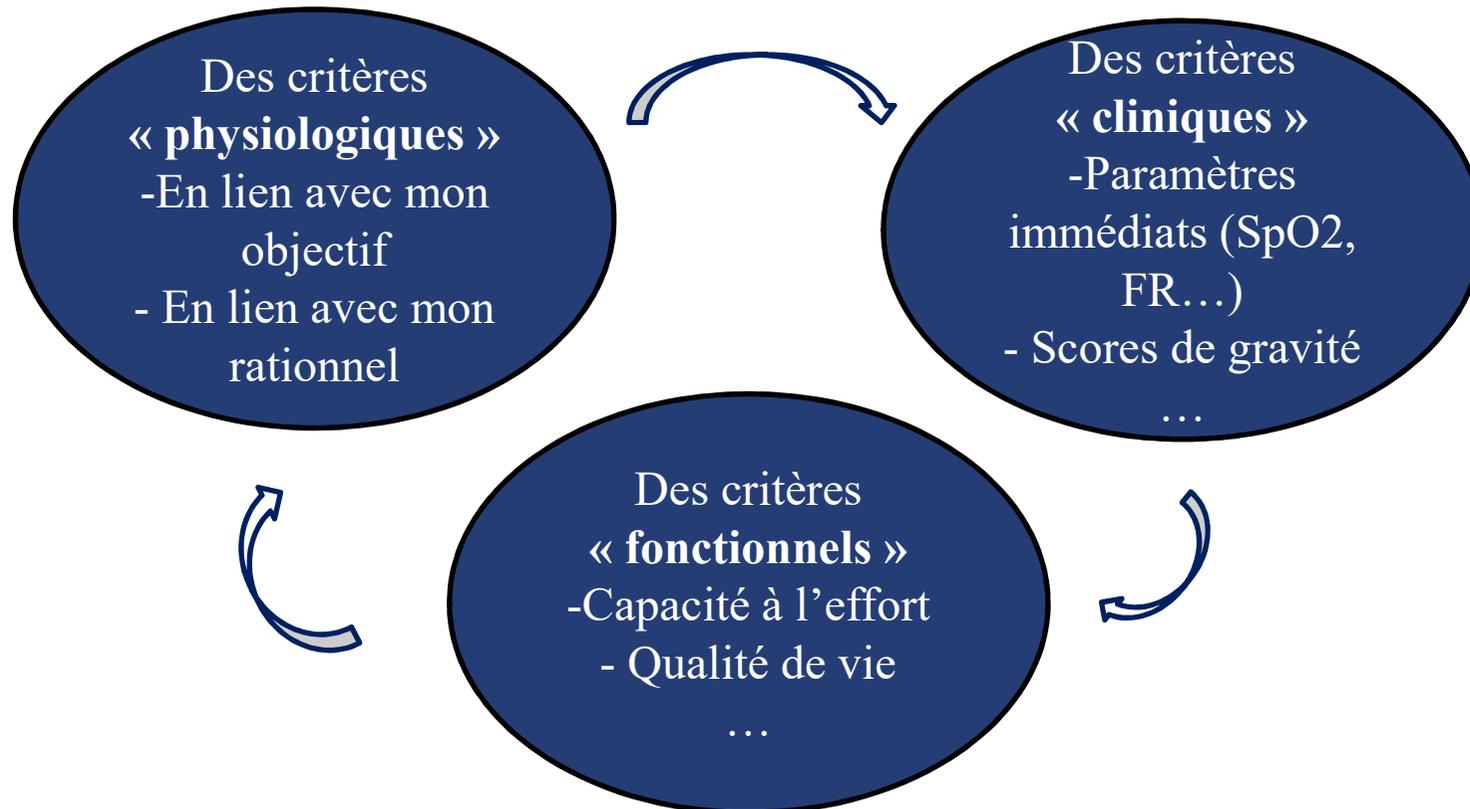
Fig. 3. Percent change in FEV<sub>1</sub> following treatment.

## Evaluation clinique subjective



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# Différents types d'outcomes



# Qualité de vie



**Table 3 Primary Outcome measure results**

	MCP arm			No MCP arm			Unadjusted analysis no MCP versus MCP			Adjusted analysis <sup>a</sup> no MCP versus MCP		
	N	Mean	SD	N	Mean	SD	Mean difference	95% CI	p-value	Mean difference	95% CI	p-value
<b>SGRQ -Total score</b>	186	63.88	19.05	186	63.52	19.68	-0.36	-4.31,3.59	0.8573	0.51	-2.67,3.69	0.753
<b>Effect size</b>							-0.02	-0.22,0.19		0.03	-0.14,0.19	
<b>SGRQ -Symptom score</b>	186	68.38	23.13	186	68.40	23.01	0.02	-4.68,4.73	0.9925	0.87	-3.50,5.25	0.695
<b>Effect size</b>							0.00	-0.20,0.21		0.04	-0.15,0.23	
<b>SGRQ -Activity score</b>	188	82.49	18.81	187	80.91	19.74	-1.58	-5.50,2.34	0.4279	-0.36	-3.76,3.04	0.836
<b>Effect size</b>							-0.08	-0.29,0.12		-0.02	-0.20,0.16	
<b>SGRQ -Impact score</b>	188	51.53	22.58	187	51.60	22.50	0.07	-4.51,4.65	0.9752	0.43	-3.29,4.14	0.822
<b>Effect size</b>							0.00	-0.20,0.2		0.02	-0.15,0.18	

<sup>a</sup> difference adjusted to take into account baseline value and hospital site.

# Tolérance à l'exercice

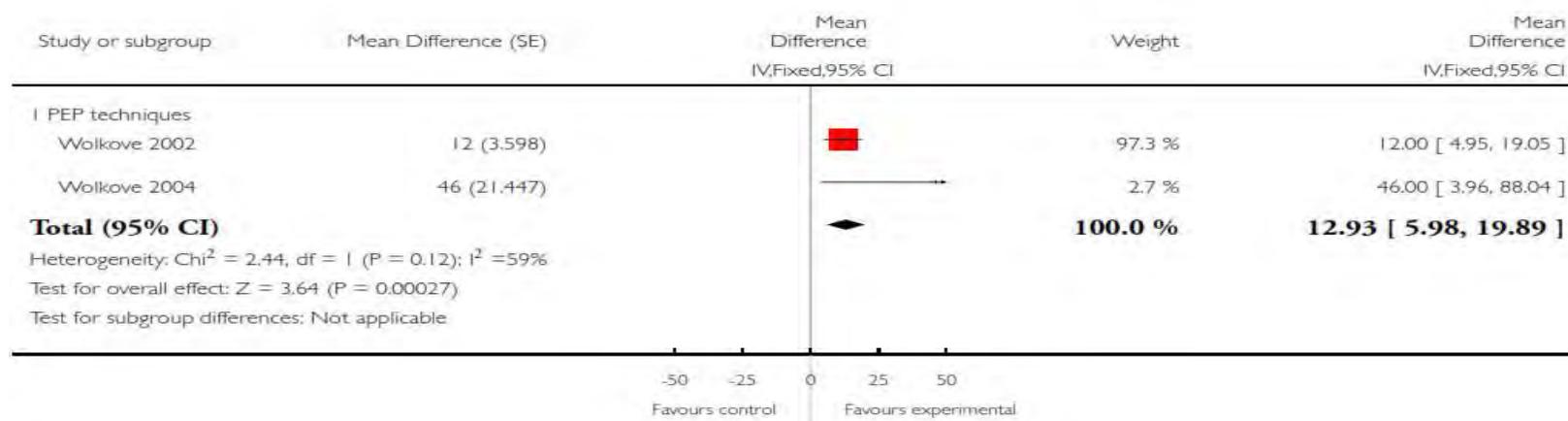


## Analysis 2.16. Comparison 2 Stable COPD: ACTs vs no ACTs (control), Outcome 16 Exercise tolerance, 6MWD (m) (short-term).

Review: Airway clearance techniques for chronic obstructive pulmonary disease

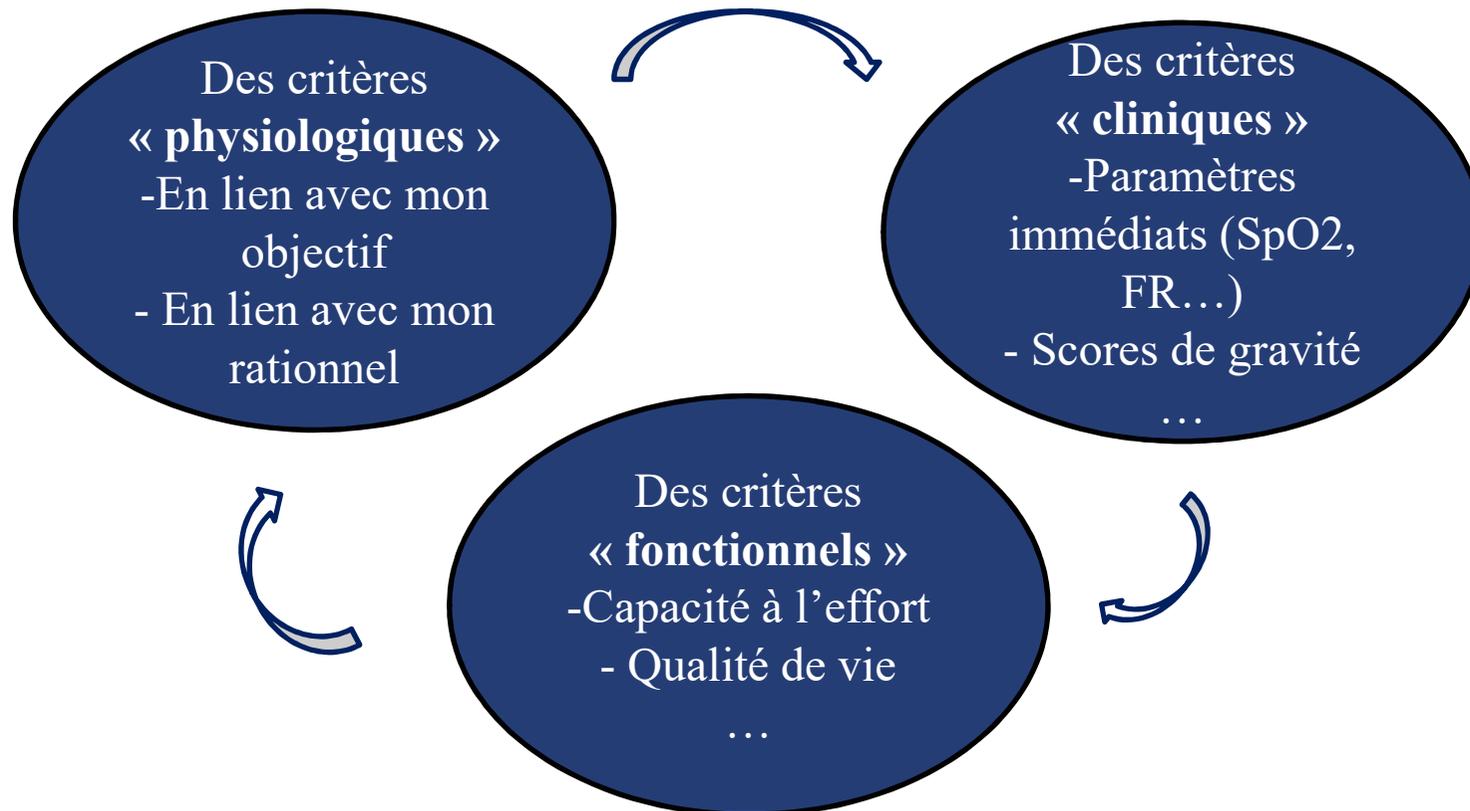
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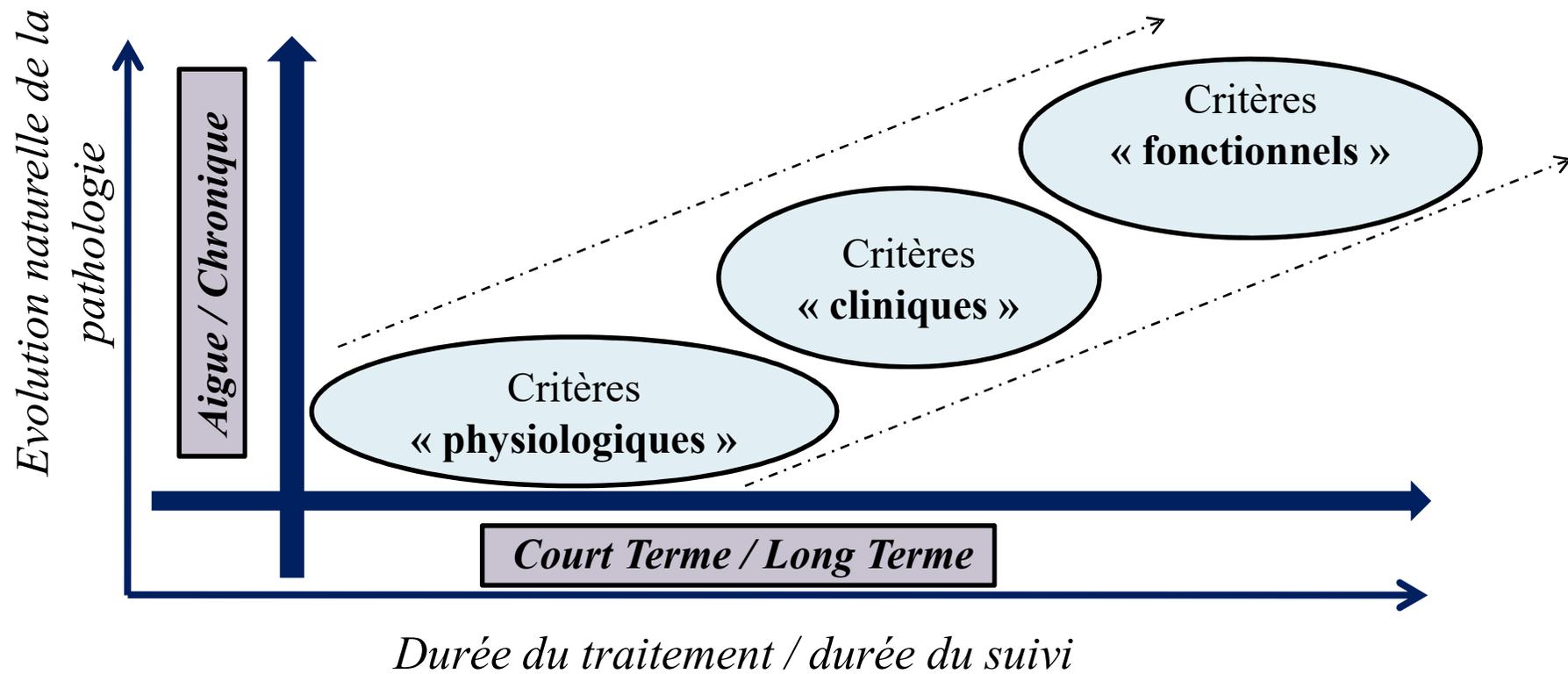


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# Synthèse



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**SHORT TERM**

**LONG TERM**



Impression  
patient

Etat général  
du patient

Paramètres  
vitaux

Sécrétions

Rx thorax



Auscultation

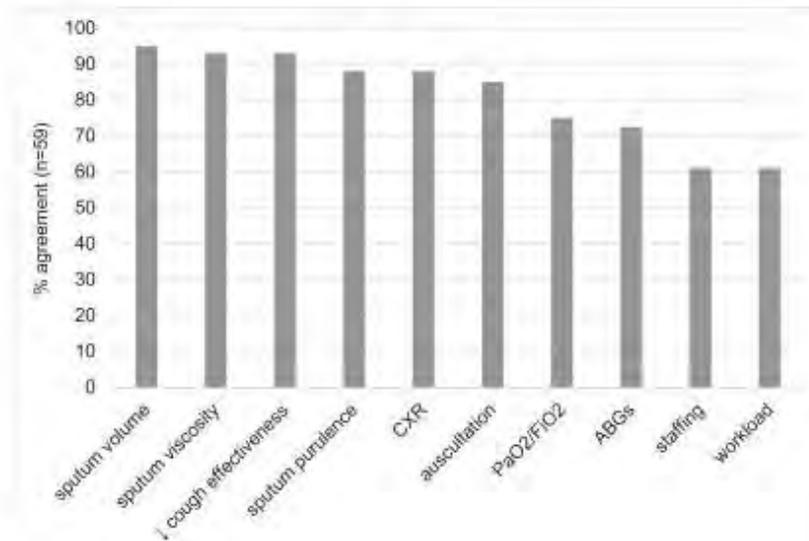
Examens  
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Effets  
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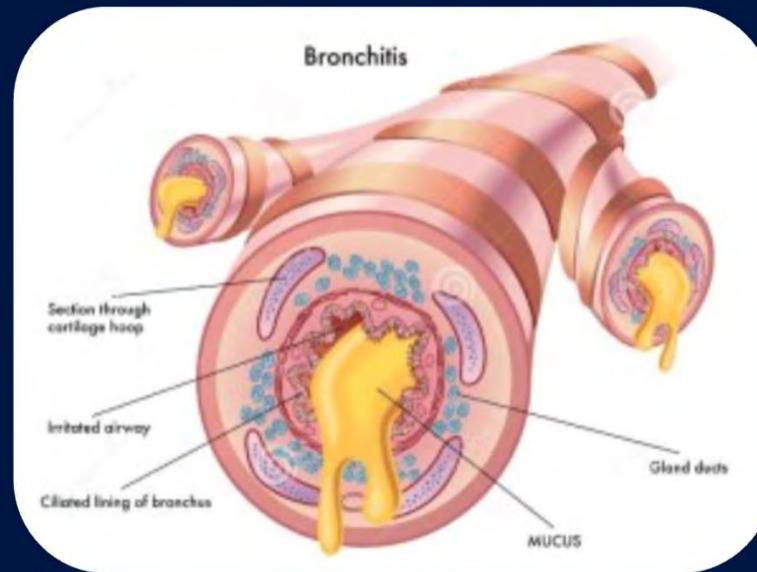
SpO<sub>2</sub>  
PaCO<sub>2</sub>/PaO<sub>2</sub>

Questionnaires

A survey of clinicians regarding respiratory physiotherapy intervention for intubated and mechanically ventilated patients with community-acquired pneumonia. What is current practice in Australian ICUs?



The most frequent clinical reasoning rationale reported to undertake respiratory physiotherapy treatment for intubated patients was facilitation of sputum clearance.



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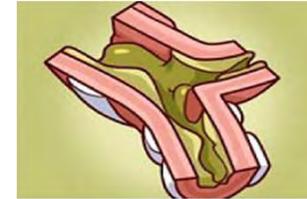
VA encombrées



Techniques de désencombrement



Expectorations



**Amélioration désencombrement = ↗ sécrétions**

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## Chest physiotherapy compared to no chest physiotherapy for cystic fibrosis (Review)



### Primary outcomes

1. Expecterated secretions (mucus, sputum, phlegm)
2. Mucus transport rate (assessed by radioactive tracer clearance)
3. Pulmonary function tests (post-intervention objective change from baseline compared to control)

### Key results

Summarising the findings of these eight studies, we found that methods of clearing the airways have short-term benefits for moving mucus. Three studies measured sputum which had been coughed up and found those people using chest physiotherapy coughed up more sputum; four studies measured radioactive tracer clearance and found increased clearance with chest physiotherapy. Only one study reported an improvement in lung function in some of the treatment groups; but three other studies who reported this outcome did not find any significant effect from chest physiotherapy. At present there is no clear evidence of long-term effects in chest clearance, quality of life or survival with chest physiotherapy.

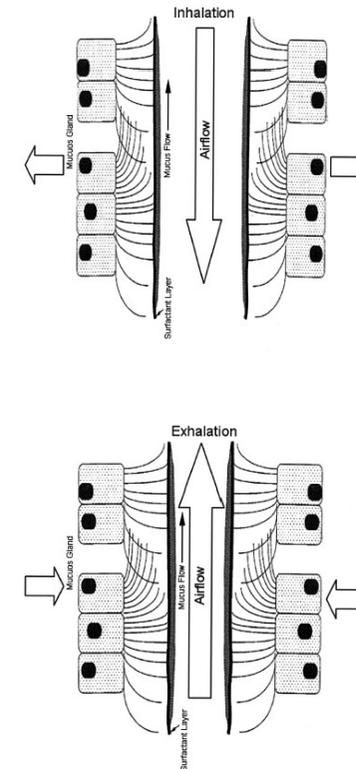
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Table 5. Studies of Forced Exhalation Technique, Directed Cough, and Autogenic Drainage

First Author	Patients (no.)	Disease(s)	Treatment(s)	Regimen	Results	p
Lorin <sup>42</sup>	17	CF	Postural drainage	20 min	More sputum than baseline	< 0.001
Bateman <sup>43</sup>	10	COPD	CPT	20 min/d	More sputum than control	< 0.01
Bateman <sup>8</sup>	6	COPD	CPT	20 min	More sputum than control	< 0.05
de Boeck <sup>9</sup>	9	CF	CPT	Once a day for 2 d	More tracer cleared than with cough alone	< 0.001
Mortensen <sup>45</sup>	10	CF	Postural drainage plus FET	20 min	Postural drainage plus FET cleared radiotracer better than did control at 30 min	< 0.01
App <sup>37</sup>	17	CF	Autogenic drainage vs vibratory PEP	Twice a day for 2 weeks	Cough clearance and FEV <sub>1</sub> similar to vibratory PEP	NS
Lannefors <sup>46</sup>	9	CF	Postural drainage, FET, and exercise	20-min postural drainage and FET	No difference in radiotracer clearance between FET and PEP or exercise	NS
Sutton <sup>47</sup>	10	CF, bronchiectasis	Postural drainage and FET	30-min postural drainage and FET	Better clearance of radiotracer than control period	< 0.01
Sutton <sup>14</sup>	10	CF	FET, FET with postural drainage, and directed cough	30-min sessions	Sputum weight greater with all than with control. FET with postural drainage had greater sputum weight than FET alone.	< 0.01
Pryor <sup>17</sup>	10	CF, bronchiectasis	Directed cough or FET	30-min directed cough or 30-min FET	Greater clearance with FET than with directed cough	< 0.01
Oldenburg <sup>48</sup>	8	Chronic bronchitis	Directed cough plus exercise	1 cough/min times 5 min and exercise for 40 min	Better clearance than with rest	< 0.03
Rossmann <sup>49</sup>	6	CF	Postural drainage, postural drainage with percussion, postural drainage with PT, vibratory PEP, and directed cough.	40 min	All better than cough control. Directed cough equivalent to all therapies	< 0.05
Miller <sup>35</sup>	18	CF	Autogenic drainage vs active cycle of breathing technique with postural drainage	One CPT method on each study day. Monitored for 6 hours each day. Mucus movement quantified via radioaerosol clearance. Sputum collected during and for 1 hour after CPT.	Greater mucus clearance with autogenic drainage than active cycle of breathing technique with postural drainage	< 0.05



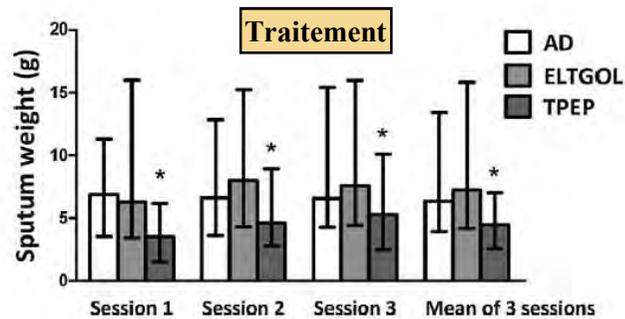


Fig. 2. Wet sputum expectorated during three physiotherapy sessions and mean values. Bar graphs express medians and ranges. \* $P < 0.02$ . AD, auto-genic drainage; ELTGOL, slow expiration with glottis opened in lateral posture; TPEP, temporary positive expiratory pressure.

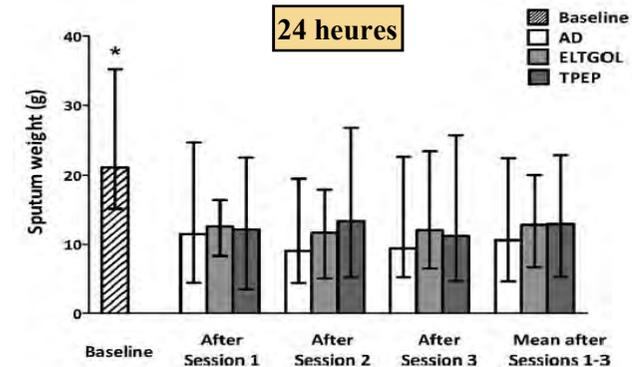


Fig. 3. Wet sputum expectorated spontaneously at baseline and during the 24-hour period following three physiotherapy sessions (excluding during treatment), and mean values. Bar graphs express medians and ranges. The amount of sputum collected over the 24-hour period after each physiother-

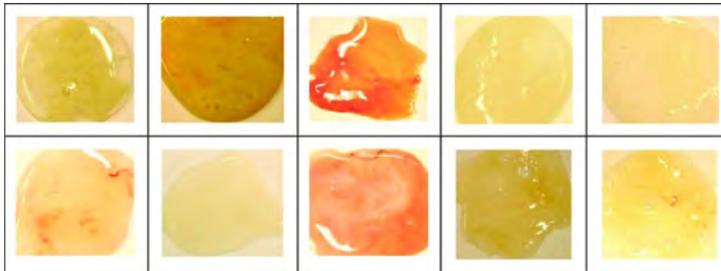
The main mechanism to improve mucus clearance is the generation of expiratory flow exceeding inspiratory.

Slow expiratory ACTs enhance mucus clearance during treatment sessions, and reduce expectoration for the rest of the day in patients with bronchiectasis.

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- ★ **Volume**
- ★ **Rhéologie**
- ★ **Timing**
- ★ **Coloration**
- ★ **Origine**
- ★ **Séché/humide**
- ★ **Bactériologie**

Reychler et al., *Respir Care*, 2016  
Stockley et al., *Thorax*, 2001

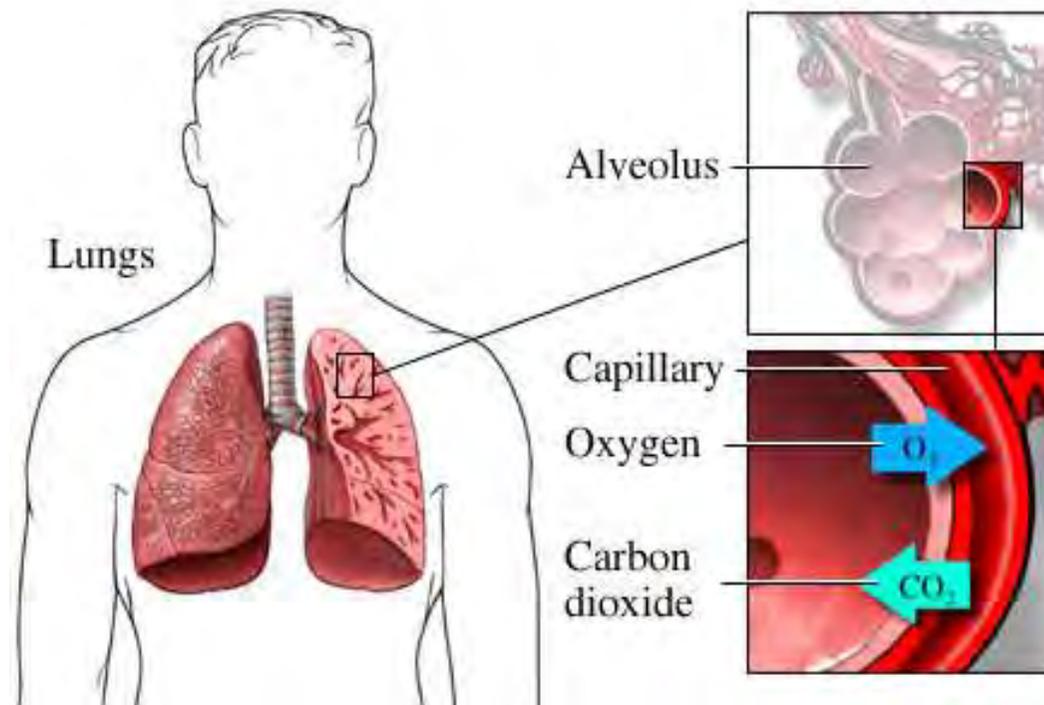


$SpO_2$ ,  $PaO_2$ ,  $PaCO_2$

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Désencombrement

Augmentation territoires ventilés

↗ oxygénation (PaO<sub>2</sub>-SpO<sub>2</sub>)  
↗ élimination CO<sub>2</sub> (PaCO<sub>2</sub>)

## Effect of intrapulmonary percussive ventilation on expiratory flow limitation in chronic obstructive pulmonary disease patients

**Table 1** Characteristics of the 25 patients included in the study

Male/Female	15:10
Age (y) *	63 ± 8
FEV <sub>1</sub> (%predicted) *	33.4 ± 6.7
Body mass index	26 ± 3
SAPS II *	35.6 ± 4.9
Ventilation time (d) *	8.0 ± 3.0
Reason for initiating mechanical ventilation (n, numbers)	
Acute-on-chronic COPD, n	19
Pneumonia, n	1
Heart failure, n	1
Postoperative respiratory failure, n	2
Miscellaneous, n	2

FEV<sub>1</sub> indicates forced expiratory volume in 1 second; SAPS II, new acute physiologic score [19].

\* Values are means ± SD.

**Table 2** Effect of IPV on the expiratory flow limitation, the airway occlusion pressure, the gas exchange, the RR, and heart rate in COPD patients \*

	Before IPV	After IPV	P
EFL (%)	65.4 ± 18.2	34.4 ± 24.2	<.05
P0.1 (cm H <sub>2</sub> O)	3.9 ± 1.6	2.8 ± 1.1	<.05
pH	7.39 ± 0.01	7.40 ± 0.01	<.05
Paco <sub>2</sub> (kPa)	7.35 ± 0.5	7.0 ± 0.3	<.05
Pao <sub>2</sub> (kPa)	8.3 ± 0.4	8.8 ± 0.4	<.05
HCO <sub>3</sub> <sup>-</sup> (mmol/L)	33 ± 3	33 ± 3	NS
RR (breaths/min)	22.6 ± 2.3	21.4 ± 1.7	<.05
HR (beats/min)	83 ± 15	85 ± 14	NS
SpO <sub>2</sub> (%)	90 ± 2	93 ± 3	<.05

HR indicates heart rate; SpO<sub>2</sub>, pulse oximetry.

\* Values are mean ± SD.

## Effectiveness of Airway Clearance Techniques in Children Hospitalized With Acute Bronchiolitis

**TABLE 3—Length of Hospital Stay and Mean Differences of Wang Score, SaO<sub>2</sub>, and HR Between the Groups Over All Hospitalization Days**

	Bouncing	AAD	IPV	P <sub>B-AAD</sub>	P <sub>B-IPV</sub>	P <sub>AAD-IPV</sub>
Hospital stay (days) ± SD	4.5 ± 1.9	3.6 ± 1.4	3.5 ± 1.3	0.05	0.03	1.00 NS
Wang (T0–T20) ± SD	0.2 ± 0.3	0.5 ± 0.5	0.7 ± 0.5	0.04	<0.01	0.03
Wang (T0–T80) ± SD	0.5 ± 0.4	0.8 ± 0.6	0.9 ± 0.5	0.03	<0.01	0.77 NS
HR (T0–T20) ± SD	5 ± 10	3 ± 10	4 ± 13	0.68 NS	0.86 NS	0.94 NS
HR (T0–T80) ± SD	6 ± 10	8 ± 8	7 ± 10	0.65 NS	0.93 NS	0.86 NS
SaO <sub>2</sub> (T0–T20) ± SD	0 ± 1	–1 ± 1	–1 ± 1	0.07 NS	0.10 NS	0.98 NS
SaO <sub>2</sub> (T0–T80) ± SD	–1 ± 3	0 ± 1	0 ± 1	0.91 NS	0.87 NS	0.99 NS

NS, not significant.

Hospital stay: ANCOVA for bouncing versus AAD or IPV and AAD versus IPV.

Wang score, HR, and SaO<sub>2</sub>: Tukey's post hoc test for bouncing versus AAD or IPV and AAD versus IPV.

Table 2. Raw Data

Patient	Atelectasis Score		Static Compliance (mL/cm H <sub>2</sub> O)		S <sub>pO<sub>2</sub></sub> (%)		f (breaths/min)		Treatment Duration (d)	Weight (kg)	Age
	Before*	After	Before	After	Before	After	Before	After			
CPT 1	2	2	1.9	1.9	93	95	44	52	5	4.5	4 mo
CPT 2	2	2	2.1	1.5	92	93	36	32	7	3	2 mo
CPT 3	2	2	2.4	3	95	95	42	48	8	5	3.5 mo
CPT 4	1	4	36.4	34.6	91	92	18	14	4	56	14 y
CPT 5	3	3	7	8.3	93	93	24	28	7	16	3 y
CPT Mean	2.0	2.6	10.0	9.9	92.8	93.6	32.8	34.8	6.2	16.9	–
IPV 1	3	1	2	2.8	91	92	36	33	2	3	3 mo
IPV 2	2	0	3.5	4	93	93	26	28	2	10	22 mo
IPV 3	3	3	2.3	3	92	95	44	42	4	4	4 mo
IPV 4	1	0	1.3	1.6	94	95	38	36	2	3.8	7 wk
IPV 5	2	1	7.6	6.6	93	99	26	28	3	7.8	14 mo
IPV 6	2	1	6.5	7.2	90	93	36	33	2	8	18 mo
IPV 7	3	0	7.7	8.3	94	94	24	25	7	16	3 y
IPV Mean	2.3	0.9	4.4	4.8	92.4	94.4	32.9	32.1	3.1	7.5	–

f = respiratory rate

\*Values labeled "Before" were obtained after the first treatment. Values labeled "After" were obtained after the last treatment, when the patient exited the study.

S<sub>pO<sub>2</sub></sub> = oxygen saturation measured via pulse oximetry.

CPT = chest physiotherapy

IPV = intrapulmonary percussive ventilation

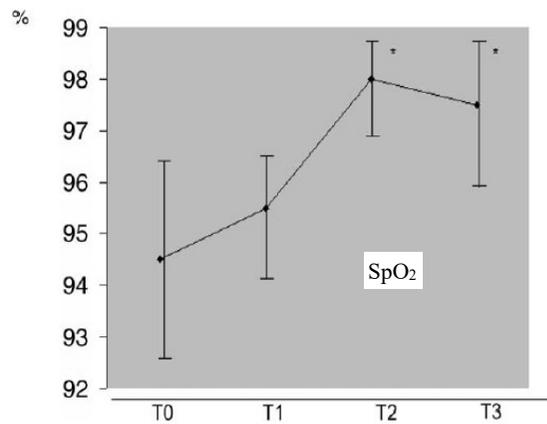
## Effect of Intrapulmonary Percussive Ventilation on Mucus Clearance in Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy Patients: A Preliminary Report

Table 3: Other Measurements From the 5 Hypersecretive Patients\*

Measurement	IPV+ (n = 38 treatments)			IPV- (n = 37 treatments)		
	T0	T1	T2	T0	T1	T2
HR (beats/min)	107.8 ± 14	101.8 ± 12.1†	104.7 ± 14.2	107.5 ± 12.8	105.6 ± 10.9	103.4 ± 11.8
f (breaths/min)	23.7 ± 8.3	24 ± 9.4	23.5 ± 7.8	24.1 ± 8.7	24.9 ± 9.6	24.9 ± 9.6
SpO <sub>2</sub> (%)	97.4 ± 1.8	97 ± 1.5	97 ± 1.4	96.9 ± 1.6	96.7 ± 1.4	96.9 ± 1.6
P <sub>ETCO<sub>2</sub></sub> (mm Hg)	28.7 ± 7.9	27.7 ± 7.5	28.1 ± 7.9	28.1 ± 8.5	28.5 ± 7.8	28.0 ± 7.7
R <sub>aw</sub> (mm Hg/s/L)	4.7 ± 1.6	3.9 ± 1.6†	4.0 ± 1.6	4.4 ± 1.8	4.4 ± 1.7	4.1 ± 1.6
PEF (L/min)	55.3 ± 23.4	60.7 ± 22.9†	65.1 ± 22.9	54.9 ± 24.5	59.6 ± 23.8†	59.3 ± 22.4

There was no significant variation in SpO<sub>2</sub>, which indicates that the patients were stable for the duration of the study and that there was no obvious interaction between the 2 sequences.

## Efficacité de la kinésithérapie respiratoire chez des enfants intubés ventilés atteints de bronchiolite aiguë



T0: baseline

T1: suction

T2: CP + suction

T3 :1h after T2

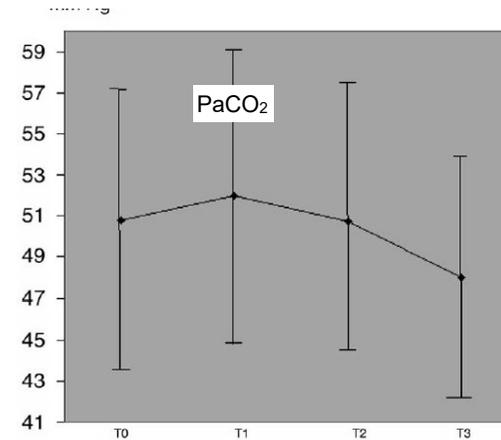


Tableau 3  
Résultats des relevés aux différents temps

	T0 : relevé de base	T1 : aspiration simple	T2 : KR + aspiration	T3 : 1 h. après KR
SpO <sub>2</sub> (%)	94,5 ± 3,8	95,5 ± 9,9	98 ± 5,3 <sup>a</sup>	97,5 ± 10,5 <sup>a</sup>
TePCO <sub>2</sub> (mm Hg)	50,9 ± 12	52 ± 13	50,7 ± 13	48 ± 13
VTI (ml)	55,4 ± 16	59,6 ± 17	66,3 ± 19 <sup>a</sup>	63,6 ± 20 <sup>a</sup>
VTE (ml)	53,15 ± 16	59,1 ± 17	66,1 ± 20 <sup>a</sup>	62,3 ± 21 <sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup>  $p < 0,05$  (comparaison à la valeur T0).

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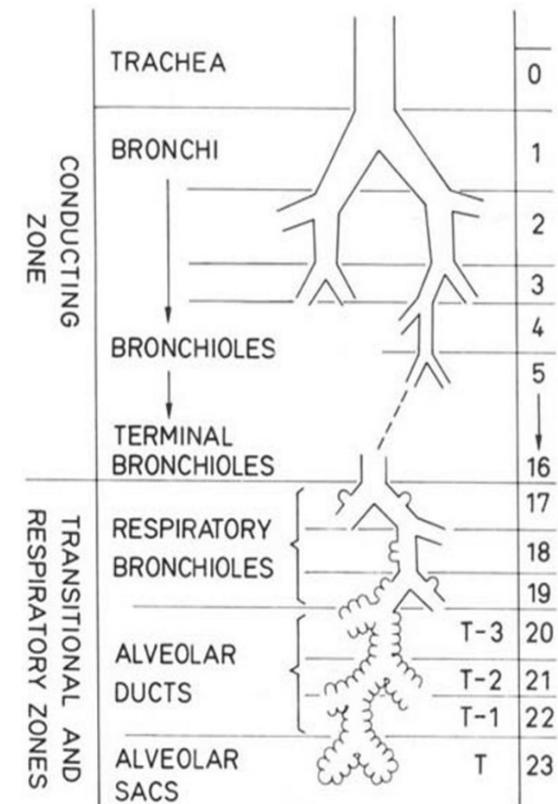
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Simple à mettre en place (SpO<sub>2</sub>)  
 Fiabilité  
 Moment d'évaluation  
 Désencombrement Espace mort  
 Consensus niveau SpO<sub>2</sub>

**Table 15-1** SUMMARY OF OBSERVATIONAL STUDIES SHOWING THE POTENTIAL BENEFITS OF LOWER SPO<sub>2</sub> TARGETING

Reference	Study Group	SpO <sub>2</sub> Ranges Compared	Survival	Chronic Lung Disease	ROP (stage 3-4)	ROP (treatment)
Tin et al, 2001 <sup>104</sup>	≤27 weeks	Low: 80-90% High: 94-98%	53% 52%	18% 46% P < 0.01	6% 27% P < 0.01	
Sun, 2002 <sup>103</sup>	≤1500 g	Low: ≤95% High: >95%	83% 76%	27% 53% P < 0.01	10% 29% P < 0.01	4% 12% P < 0.01
Chow et al, 2003 <sup>106</sup>	500-1500 g	Low: 85-93% High: 90-98 %	88% 81%	2.5% 12.5% P < 0.01	0-1.3% 4.4% P < 0.01	
Anderson et al, 2004 <sup>107</sup>	≤1500 g, >2 weeks old	Low: ≤92% High: >92%		2.4% 5.5% P < 0.01	1.3% 3.3% P < 0.01	

ROP, retinopathy of prematurity.



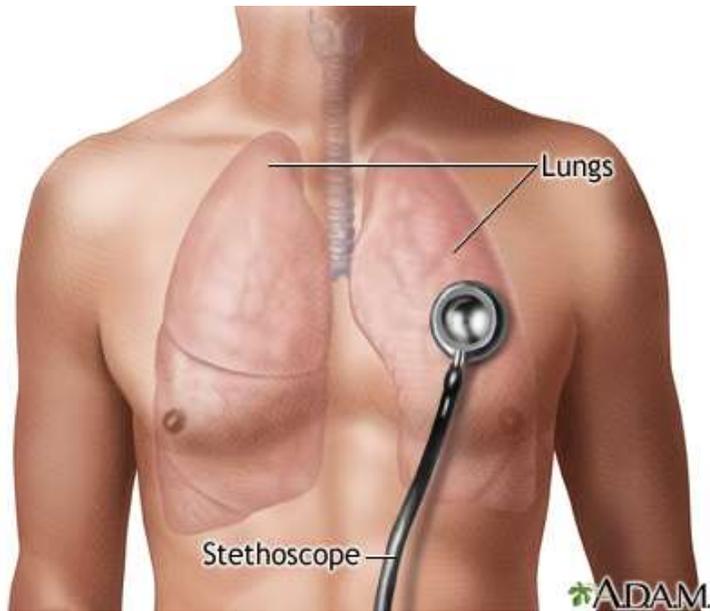


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Désencombrement

↘ sécrétions

↗ territoires ventilés

↘ Bruits  
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↗ murmures  
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### The Addition of Mechanical Insufflation/Exsufflation Shortens Airway-Clearance Sessions in Neuromuscular Patients With Chest Infection

**Auscultation.** Air entry was evaluated before and after treatments via auscultation while on NIV. All auscultation was verified by a physiotherapist blinded to the intervention. The physiotherapist has worked as a respiratory physiotherapist for more than 10 years and has worked with ventilated adults and children for more than 9 years. Air entry was compared right to left in the upper, middle, and lower zones. If any added sounds were present, these were recorded and classified as wheeze or crackles; one point was given to decreased air entry in one of the 6 areas auscultated, and one point for crackles. A maximum of 12 points indicated very poor air entry, with a large volume of sputum present. A low score indicated good air entry, with no secretions.

- Auscultation is the best marker of air entry and the presence of secretions;
- In this study, auscultation assessment was made by a highly experienced respiratory physiotherapist;
- They recognize that such experience may not be available in all centers.

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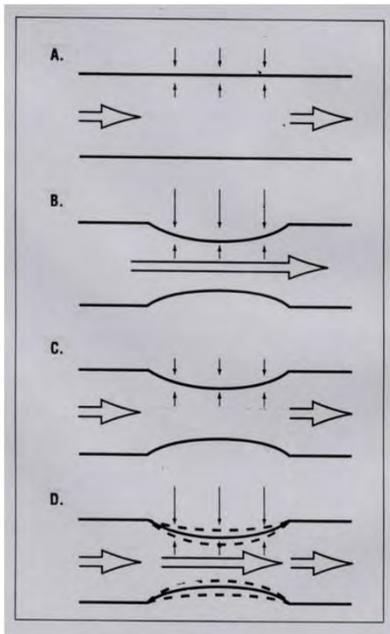


Table 5. Session Results on Wang Clinical Severity Score\*

	Percent Change T0 to T30			Percent Change T0 to T150		
	Control	New CPT Method	P	Control	New CPT Method	P
Wang clinical severity score	13.3	-22.5	.004	-8.6	-3.2	.47
Wheezing	1.1	-60.7	.001	-12.2	-20.8	.62
Respiratory rate	31.5	0	.11	3.9	11.5	.60
Retraction	3.3	-16.7	.18	-16.7	11.7	.19
General condition	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
S <sub>p</sub> O <sub>2</sub> (%)	-0.7	-0.66	.98	-0.13	1.2	.36
Heart rate (beats/min)	5.2	-4.7	.02	2.5	-1.66	.34

\* Positive values indicate worsening of clinical condition. Negative values indicate improvement of clinical condition.  
 CPT = chest physiotherapy  
 NA = not applicable

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Table 1. Levels of Experience According to the National Health Service Agenda for Change Pay Grades

Pay Grade	Job Title
Band 5	Physiotherapist
Band 6	Specialist Physiotherapist
Band 7	Highly Specialist Physiotherapist
Band 8a	Clinical Specialist Physiotherapist
Band 8c	Consultant Physiotherapist

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Pay Grade
Band 5
Band 6
Band 7
Band 8a
Band 8c

Table 6. Levels of Agreement on Palpable Fremitus in All Lung Zones

Palpable Fremitus	Agreement Between ICU and Research Clinicians		
	%	Kappa (95% CI)	P
Upper zone			
Left	80.3	0.53 (0.31–0.74)	<.001
Right	93.0	0.84 (0.71–0.98)	<.001
Middle zone			
Left	93.0	0.63 (0.33–0.93)	<.001
Right	88.8	0.66 (0.45–0.88)	<.001
Lower zone			
Left	93.0	0.41 (–0.02 to 0.83)	<.001
Right	91.6	0.36 (–0.03 to 0.75)	<.001

Table 2. Standardized Terminology for Breath Sounds, Abnormal and Adventitious Lung Sounds Used by the Research and ICU Clinician During Their Assessment of the 6 Lung Zones

- Breath sound
  - Present
  - Absent
- Abnormal and adventitious lung sounds
  - Inspiratory wheeze (present/absent)
  - Expiratory wheeze (present/absent)
  - Inspiratory crackle (present/absent)
  - Expiratory crackle (present/absent)
  - Bronchial breathing (present/absent)
  - Pleural rub (present/absent)



Fig. 1. Percentage agreements between the research clinician and ICU clinicians, of variable experience, on the presence or absence of breath sounds during auscultation in all lung zones.



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Echelles

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Evolution

Dyspnée

Adhérence

Préférence

Anxiété patient

Toux

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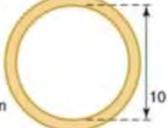


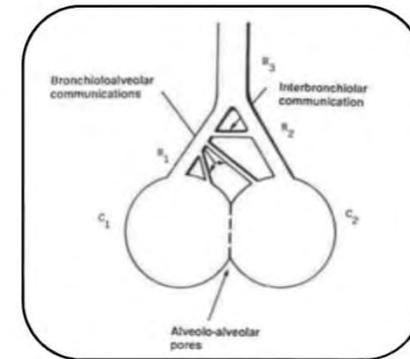
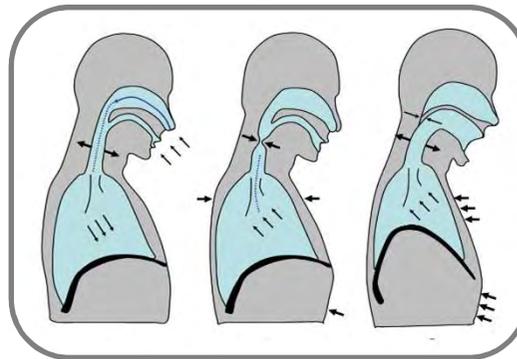
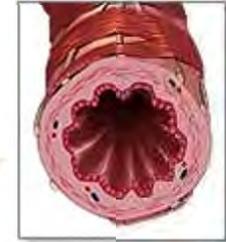
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	Normal airway	Airway narrowing by 1 mm	Airway cross-section	Normal resistance
Pediatric airway (4 mm diameter)	 4 mm	 2 mm	75% ↓	16 fold ↑
Adult airway (12 mm diameter)	 12 mm	 10 mm	30% ↓	2 fold ↑



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## Chest physiotherapy compared to no chest physiotherapy for cystic fibrosis (Review)



### A randomised crossover trial of chest physiotherapy in non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis

#### Primary outcomes measures

- Pulmonary function tests
  - forced expiratory volume in one second (FEV1)
  - forced vital capacity (FVC)
  - forced expiratory flow between 25% and 75% expired FVC (FEF25–75) dem 25-75

#### Secondary outcomes

- Total lung capacity (TLC) and functional residual capacity (FRC)
- Maximum inspiratory pressure (MIP)
- Maximum expiratory pressure (MEP)



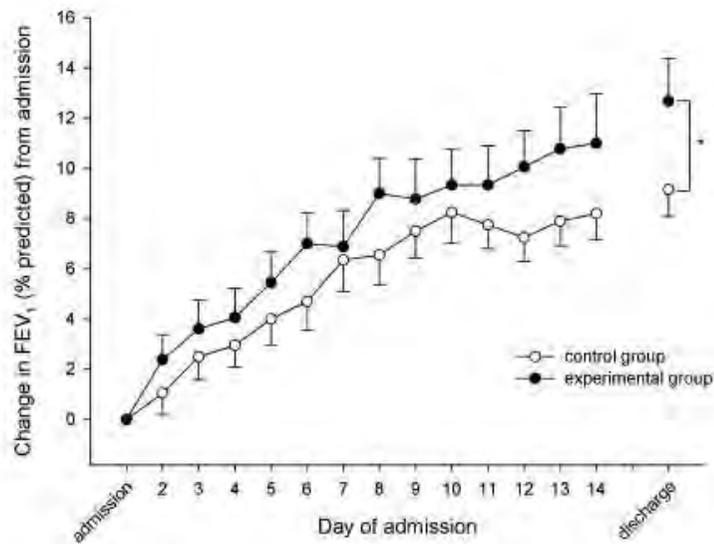
- Peak Cough Flow
- Resistance
- Ventilators parameters



Murray et al. *ERJ Express*, 2009  
Warnock and Gates, *Cochrane Database Syst Rev*, 2012

### Mucociliary clearance techniques for treating non-cystic fibrosis bronchiectasis: Is there evidence?

Snijders, *Int J immunopath*, 2015



**Table 2** Pulmonary function at baseline, post exercise and post-physiotherapy in 12 participants with CF

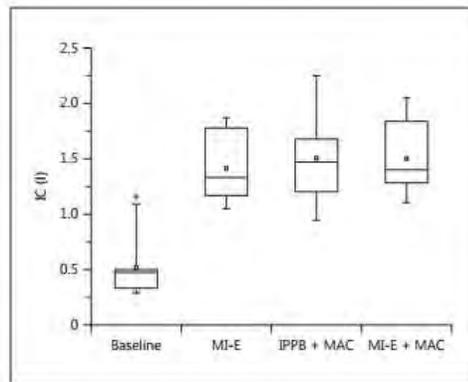
	Bicycle	Trampoline	Billard
<b>FVC (l)</b>			
Baseline	3.13±0.88	2.98±0.77	3.10±0.83
Post exercise	3.12±0.83	3.01±0.77	3.08±0.81
Post-physiotherapy	3.14±0.82	3.07±0.76	3.13±0.82
<b>FEV<sub>1</sub> (l)</b>			
Baseline	2.39±0.71	2.22±0.66	2.30±0.68
Post exercise	2.34±0.74	2.23±0.66	2.29±0.67
Post-physiotherapy	2.36±0.66	2.27±0.65	2.30±0.65

Data are mean ± SD. FVC denotes forced vital capacity, FEV<sub>1</sub> denotes forced expiratory volume in 1 s

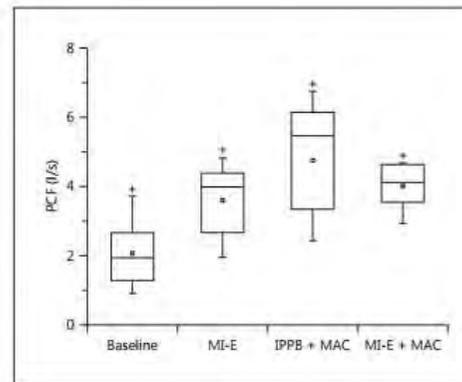
### Short-Term Effect of Different Physical Exercises and Physiotherapy Combinations on Sputum Expectoration, Oxygen Saturation, and Lung Function in Young Patients with Cystic Fibrosis

Kriemler, *Lung*, 2016

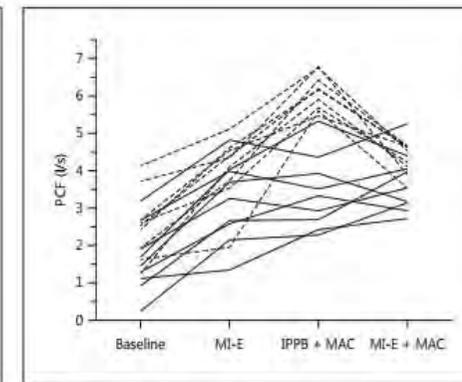
## Comparison of Three Cough-Augmentation Techniques in Neuromuscular Patients: Mechanical Insufflation Combined with Manually Assisted Cough, Insufflation-Exsufflation Alone and Insufflation-Exsufflation Combined with Manually Assisted Cough



**Fig. 1.** IC at baseline and with the three cough-assist techniques: MI-E, IPPB + MAC and MI-E + MAC. The boxplots indicate the 25th percentile, the median and the 75th percentile, and the whiskers indicate the 5th and 95th percentiles. Means are represented by small squares. Friedman test,  $p < 0.0001$ . \* Different from the other conditions, Wilcoxon test.



**Fig. 2.** PCF at baseline and with the three cough-assist techniques: MI-E, IPPB + MAC and MI-E + MAC. The boxplots indicate the 25th percentile, the median and the 75th percentile, and the whiskers indicate the 5th and 95th percentiles. Means are represented by small squares. Friedman test,  $p < 0.0002$ . \* Different from the other conditions, Wilcoxon test.



**Fig. 6.** Individual PCF values with the three cough-assist techniques: MI-E, IPPB + MAC and MI-E + MAC. The dotted lines represent patients in whom facemask pressure became transiently positive during mechanical exsufflation due to the flow induced by the combined patient cough effort and MAC.

**Table 4.** The median (IQR) before and after suction lung function parameters for patients who experienced an increase in dynamic compliance following suction (n = 17).

	Before suction	After suction	p value
Dynamic compliance (ml/cmH <sub>2</sub> O/kg)	0.54 (0.44–0.75)	0.55 (0.47–0.84)	< 0.001*
Inspiratory dynamic resistance (cmH <sub>2</sub> O/l/s)	40.4 (27.2–69.3)	39.0 (24.6–69.0)	0.03*
Expiratory dynamic resistance (cmH <sub>2</sub> O/l/s)	65.6 (33.1–98.8)	66.1 (35.4–103.0)	0.42
% Tracheal tube leak	2.3 (–3.1–10.34)	3.5 (0–10.5)	0.41
Total respiratory rate (breaths per minute)	59.5 (43–71)	62 (40.5–74.5)	0.23
Spontaneous expired tidal volume (ml/kg)	2.1 (0.8–3.7)	2.6 (0.8–3.5)	0.93
Mechanical expired tidal volume (ml/kg)	6.19 (4.78–7.80)	6.22 (4.79–8.31)	0.03*
Total minute volume (l/kg)	0.24 (0.21–0.3)	0.28 (0.23–0.35)	< 0.001*

\* $p < 0.05$

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## Effects of sputum on pulmonary function

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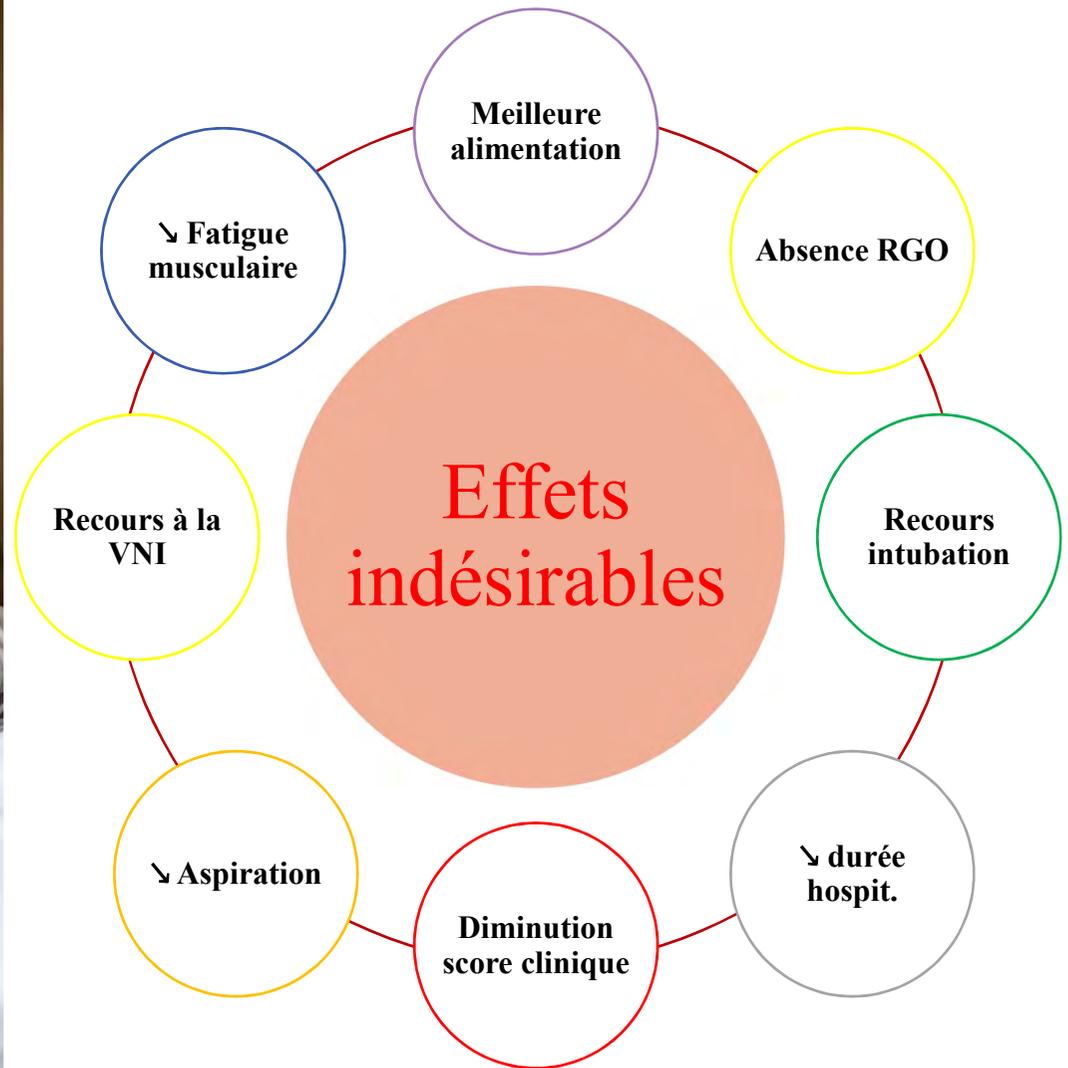
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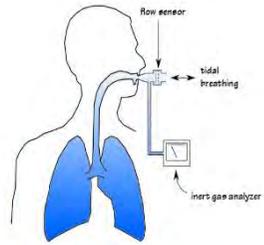
### Summary

The specific airways conductance (SGAW) of 23 patients with copious sputum production and airflow obstruction was measured before and after physiotherapy to deter-

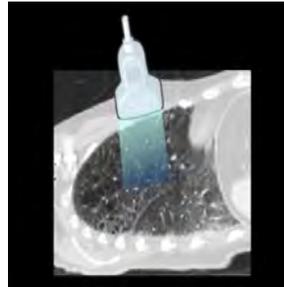
mine the effect of bronchial secretions on pulmonary function. Chest physiotherapy to remove these secretions had the effect of reducing airflow obstruction, as measured by SGAW.

These findings suggest that sputum has a detrimental effect on pulmonary function and that physiotherapy can reduce airways obstruction.





**Lung Clearance Index**



**Echographie**



**Impédancemétrie**



**Simulation**





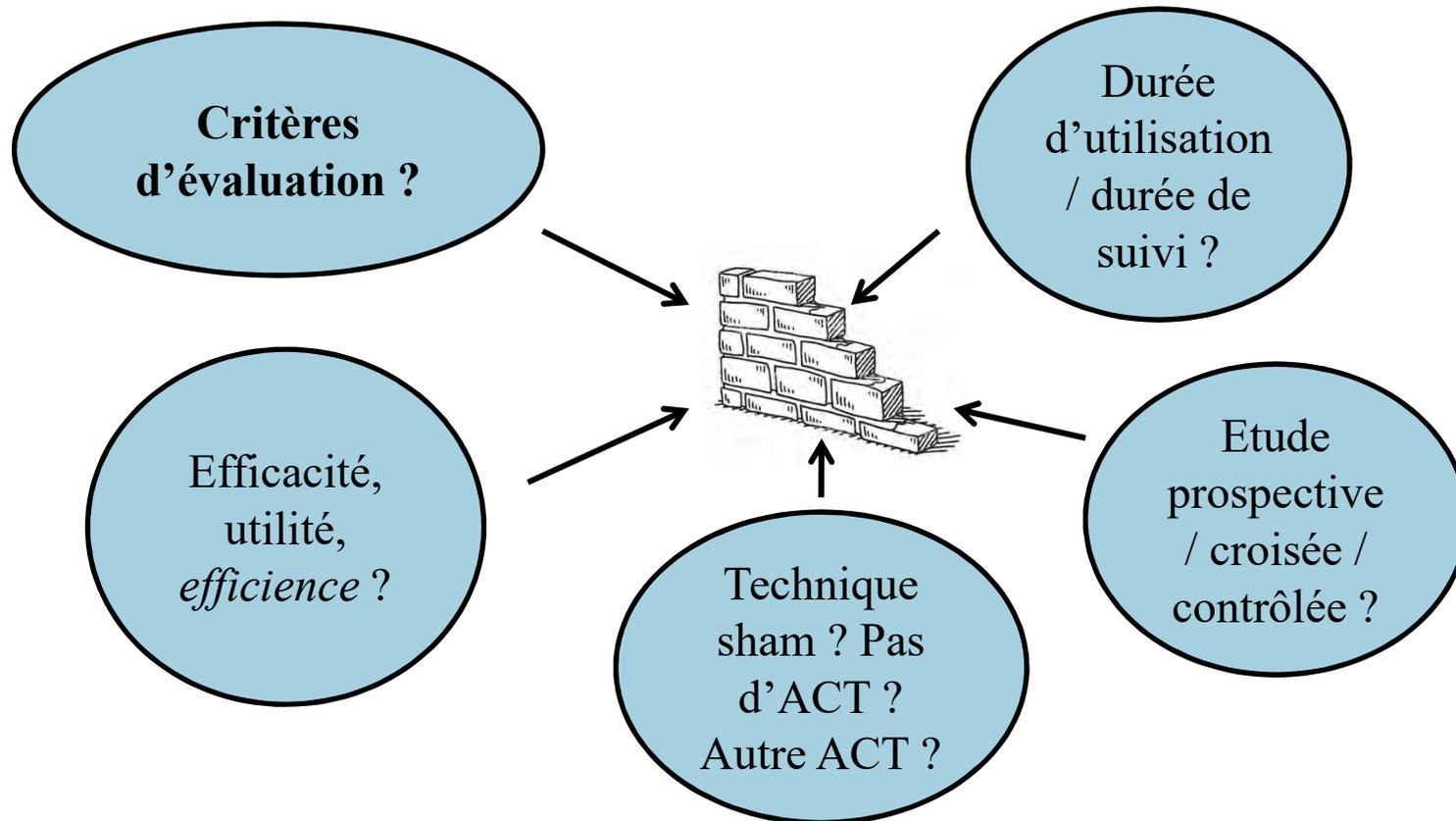
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**Comment évaluer l'efficacité des techniques de désencombrement au long cours ?**

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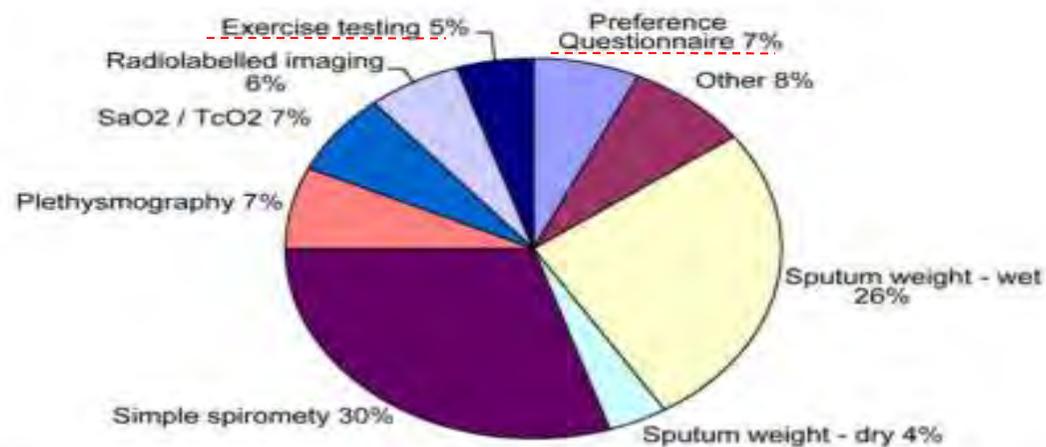
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# Réflexions à mener



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## Quels critères ? (CF)



**Figure 1** Frequency of outcome measures in 40 studies of ACT in CF. (Adapted from Prasad and Main<sup>12</sup>.)

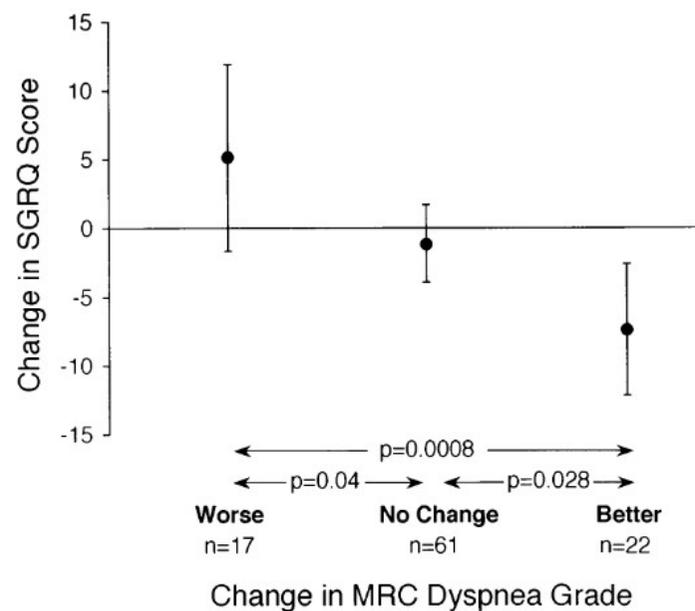
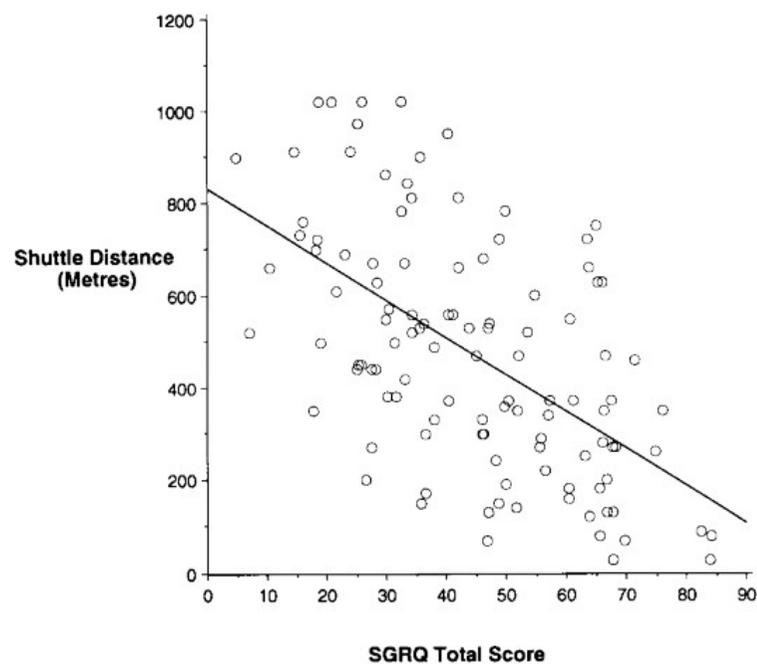
## Quels critères ? (Patients hospitalisés hors CF)

Table 7. Numbers of Studies Reporting Key Outcomes, by Quality Rating

Outcome	Number of Studies		
	Good Studies	Fair Studies	Poor Studies
Stay	2	9	5
Pulmonary function	1	3	11
Sputum weight/volume	1	2	8
Oxygenation	2	4	4
Gas exchange	0	5	3
Pulmonary complications	1	2	4
Duration of ventilation	1	4	0
Heart rate	0	1	4
Dyspnea	1	0	3
Harms of airway clearance techniques	0	1	2
Mean arterial pressure	1	1	1
Breathing frequency	0	1	3
Exercise tolerance	0	0	2
Quality of life	0	0	2
Need for ventilation	1	3	0
Hospital readmission (time to exacerbation)	1	1	1
Total	12	37	53

Andrews et al., *Resp Care*, 2013

# Qualité de vie



Wilson et al., *Am J Respir Crit Care Med*, 1997

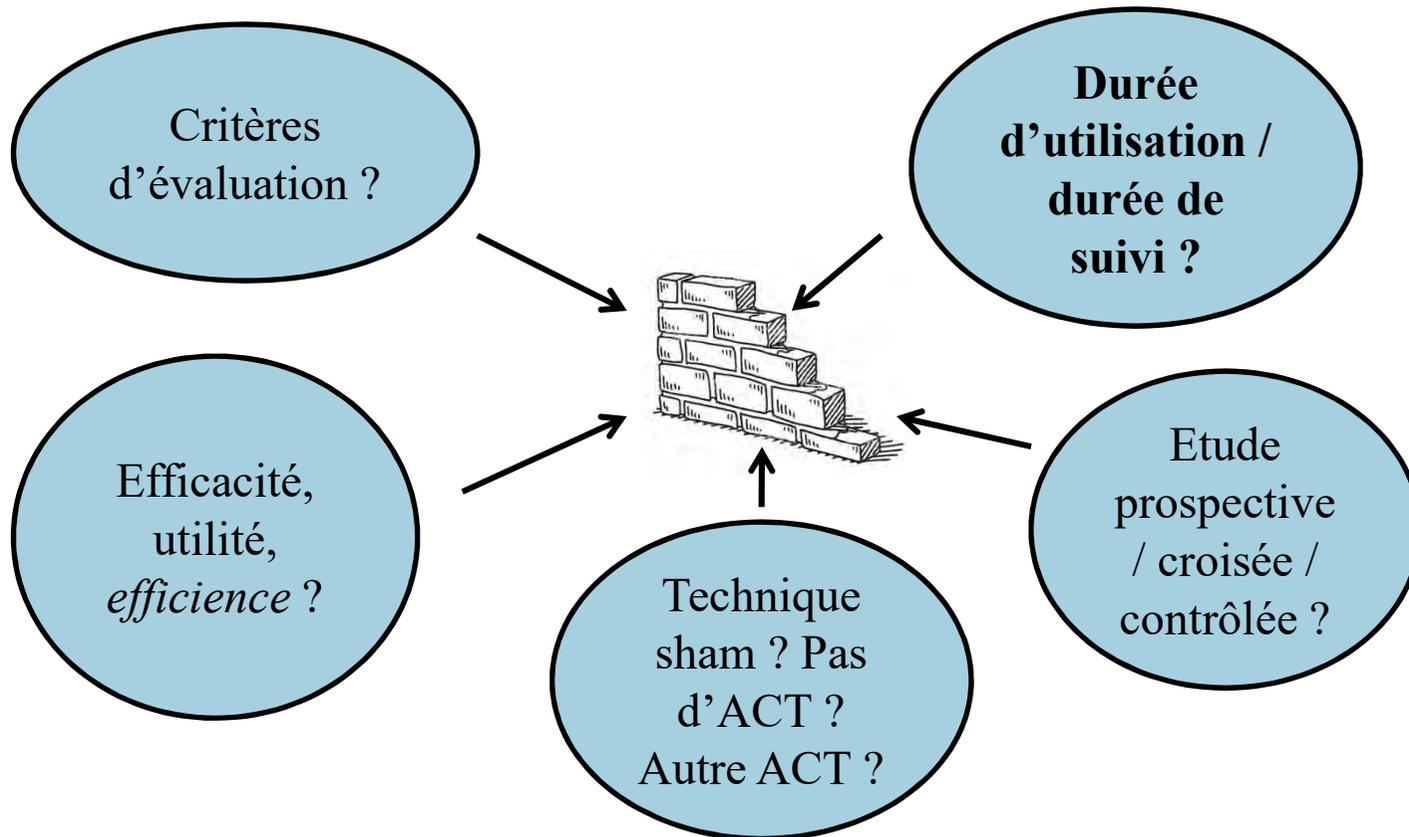
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## Suivi au long terme

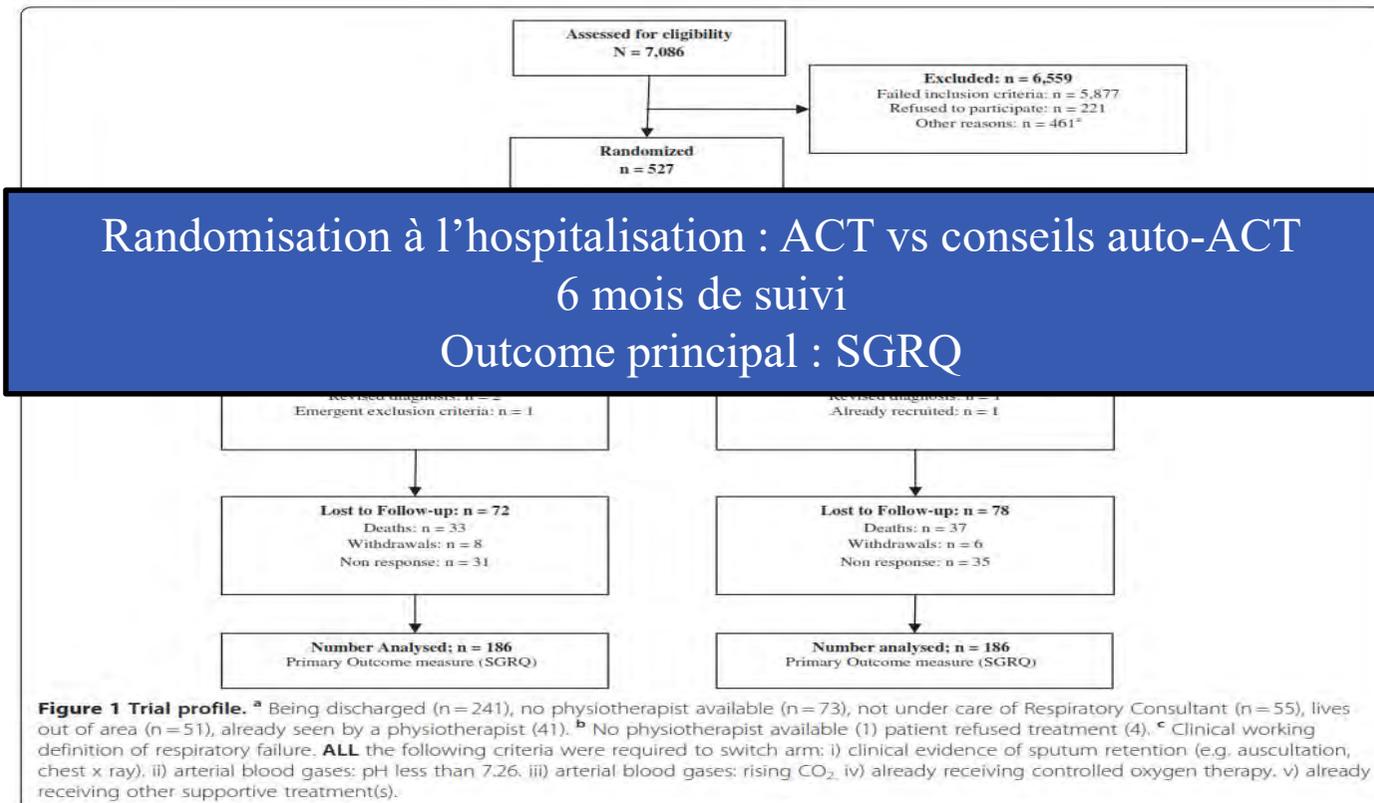
- Qualité de vie** (SGRQ, CFQ-R, LCQ ...)
  - Préférences du patient** (auto-questionnaires, fatigabilité, flexibilité ...)
  - Exacerbations / Hospitalisations
  - Tolérance à l'exercice (6MWT, ISWT ...)
  - Coûts
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# Quelques questions



# ACT en cours d'exacerbation



# Qualité de vie

**Table 3 Primary Outcome measure results**

	MCP arm			No MCP arm			Unadjusted analysis no MCP versus MCP			Adjusted analysis <sup>a</sup> no MCP versus MCP		
	N	Mean	SD	N	Mean	SD	Mean difference	95% CI	p-value	Mean difference	95% CI	p-value
<b>SGRQ -Total score</b>	186	63.88	19.05	186	63.52	19.68	-0.36	-4.31,3.59	0.8573	0.51	-2.67,3.69	0.753
<b>Effect size</b>							-0.02	-0.22,0.19		-0.03	-0.14,0.19	
<b>SGRQ -Symptom score</b>	186	68.38	23.13	186	68.40	23.01	0.02	-4.68,4.73	0.9925	0.87	-3.50,5.25	0.695
<b>Effect size</b>							0.00	-0.20,0.21		0.04	-0.15,0.23	
<b>SGRQ -Activity score</b>	188	82.49	18.81	187	80.91	19.74	-1.58	-5.50,2.34	0.4279	-0.36	-3.76,3.04	0.836
<b>Effect size</b>							-0.08	-0.29,0.12		-0.02	-0.20,0.16	
<b>SGRQ -Impact score</b>	188	51.53	22.58	187	51.60	22.50	0.07	-4.51,4.65	0.9752	0.43	-3.29,4.14	0.822
<b>Effect size</b>							0.00	-0.20,0.2		0.02	-0.15,0.18	

<sup>a</sup> difference adjusted to take into account baseline value and hospital site.

# Outcomes fonctionnels

**Table 4 Secondary Outcome Measures results**

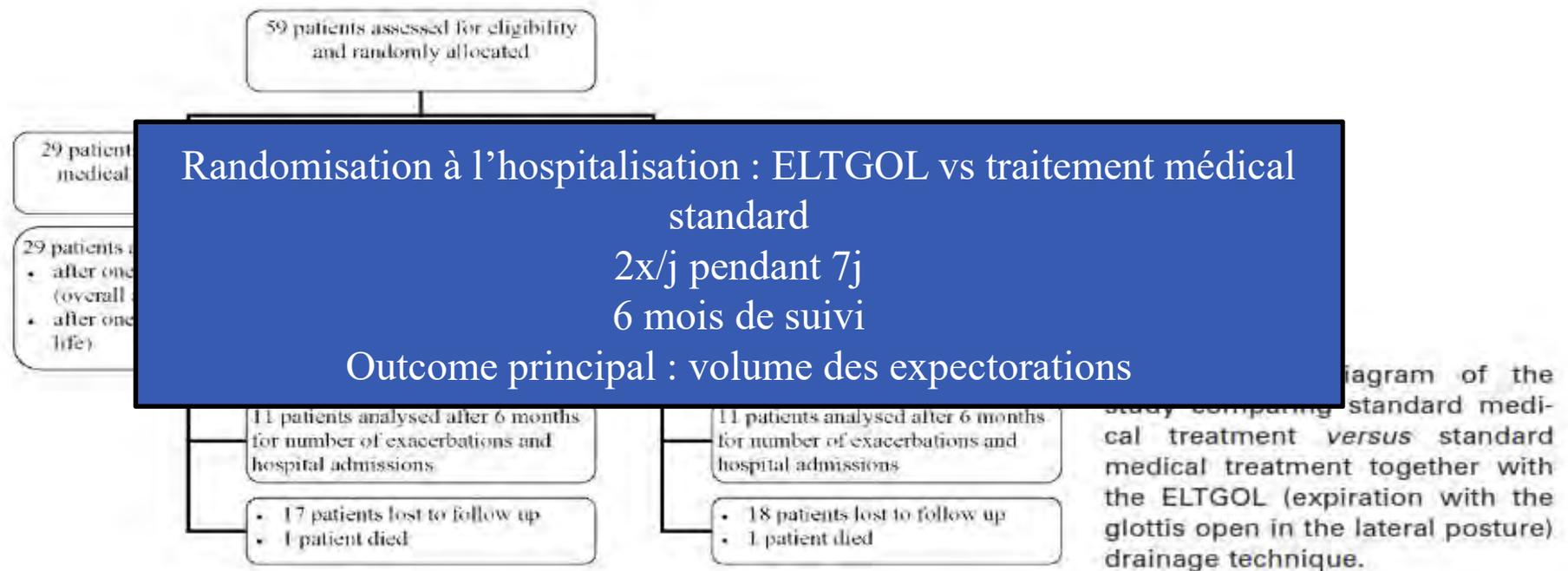
	MCP arm			No MCP arm			Unadjusted analysis no MCP - MCP			Adjusted analysis <sup>a</sup> no MCP - MCP		
	N	Mean	SD	N	Mean	SD	Mean difference	95% CI	p-value	Mean difference	95% CI	p-value
BCSS	175	5.60	2.96	179	5.66	2.84	0.06	-0.55,0.66	0.8577	0.01	-0.54,0.56	0.978
Days in hospital <sup>b</sup>	258	15.95	16.49	264	16.98	18.04				1.07 <sup>c</sup>	0.91,1.24	0.4209
EQ-VAS	167	51.29	20.97	173	52.25	19.65	0.96	-3.37,5.29	0.6630	2.65	-2.35,7.65	0.297
EQ-5D Score	209	0.48	0.33	207	0.45	0.35	-0.03	-0.10,0.04	0.3720	-0.01	-0.07,0.06	0.886

<sup>a</sup> difference adjusted to take into account baseline value and hospital site.

<sup>b</sup> analysed with a negative binomial regression model.

<sup>c</sup> Incidence Rate Ratio (IRR).

# ELTGOL en exacerbation



# Réadmissions et réexacerbations ?

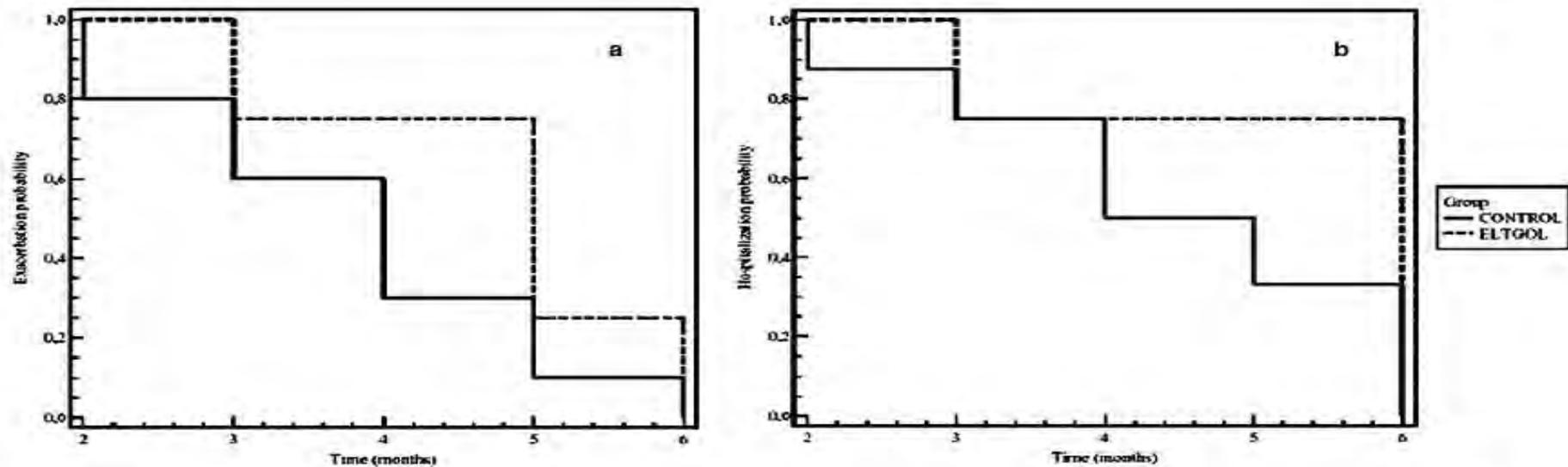


Figure 3 Survival curve (time-to-event) analysis for exacerbation (a) and hospitalization (b) for the two groups.

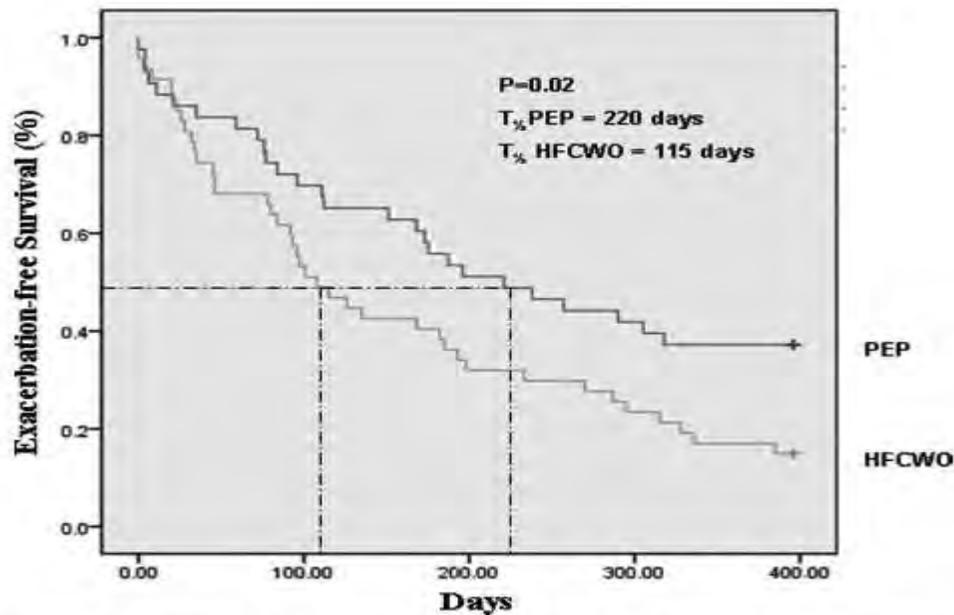


# Désencombrement bronchique régulier

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# Exacerbations



**Figure 2** Kaplan–Meier plot of time to first pulmonary exacerbation (PE). T<sub>1/2</sub> refers to time when 50% of subjects have experienced their first PE. HFCWO, high frequency chest wall oscillation; PEP, positive expiratory pressure.

**Table 2** Pulmonary exacerbations (PEs) reported for the two study groups

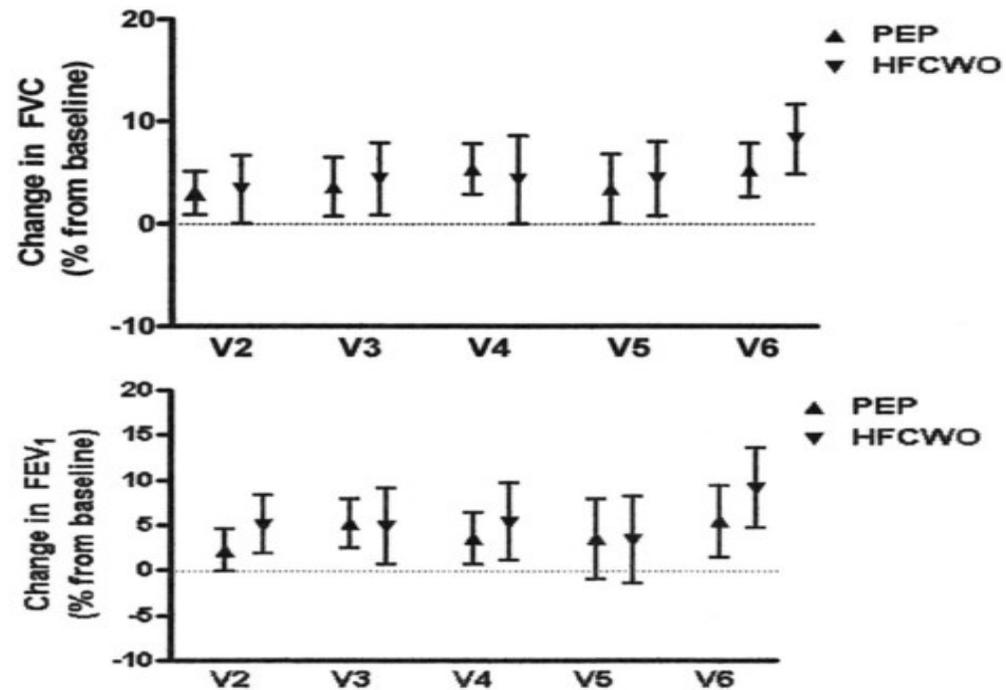
	PEP	HFCWO	p Value
Number of PEs requiring antibiotics	49 Median 1.00 (0.00, 2.00)	96 Median 2.00 (1.00, 3.00)	0.007*
Number of PEs requiring intravenous antibiotics	6 Median 0.00 (0.00, 0.00)	19 Median 0.00 (0.00–1.00)	0.258
Median length in days of intravenous antibiotics per treatment	14.5 (13, 17)	14 (9.5, 15)	0.484
Number of PEs requiring oral/ inhaled antibiotics	43 Median 1.00 (0.00, 2.00)	77 Median 2.00 (1.00, 3.00)	0.025*

\*Significantly different at the p=0.05 level.

Data are presented as median (25%, 75% percentiles)

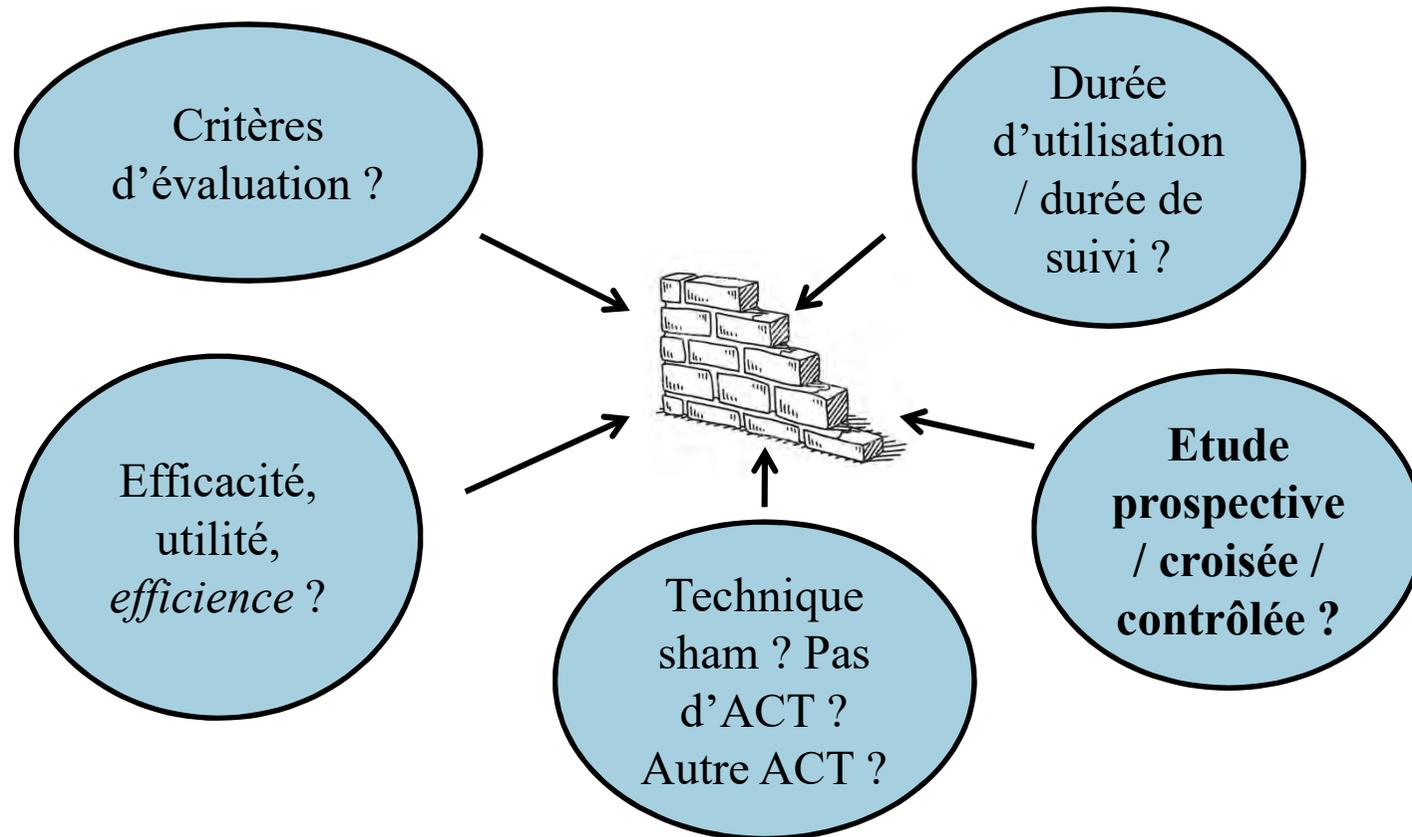
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# Lien avec les volumes pulmonaires ?



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# Quelques questions



# RCT

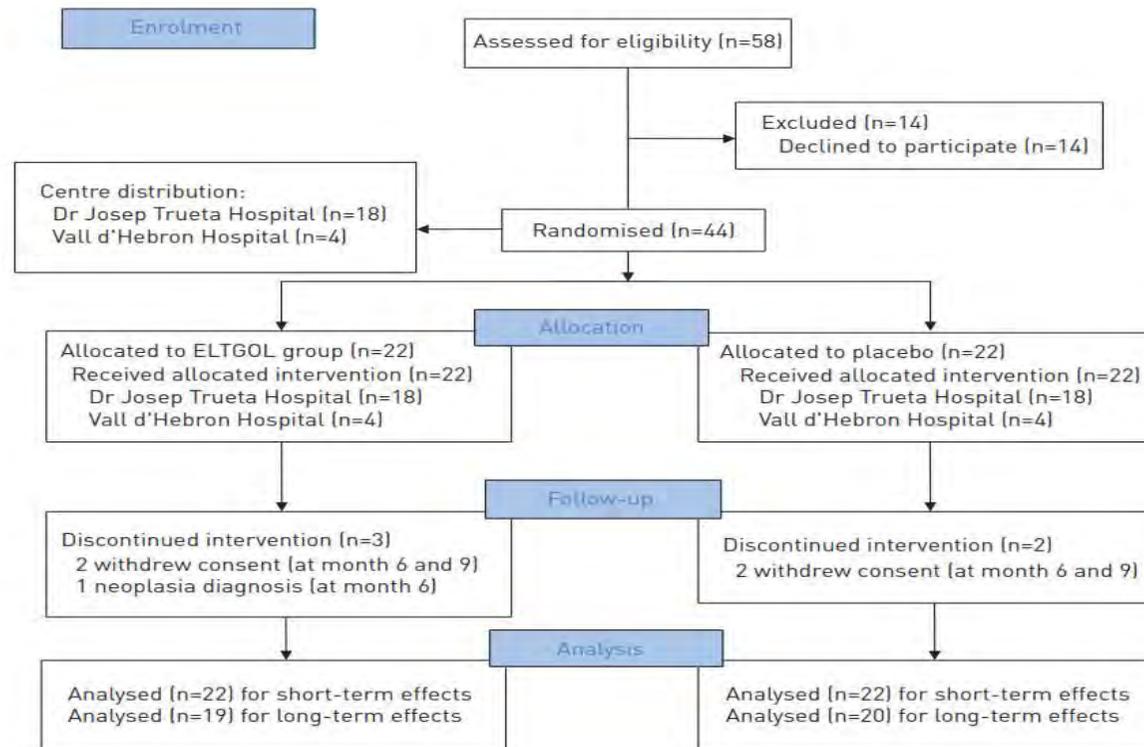


FIGURE 1 Trial profile.

# Volume de mucus

TABLE 2 Sputum volume obtained during the study

	Sputum volume mL		p-value
	ELTGOL group	Placebo group	
<b>Baseline 24-h</b>	20 (15–40)	15 (15–20)	0.061
<b>Visit 2 overall 24-h</b>	40 (23.75–60)	12.5 (0–20)	<0.001
During intervention	12.27±11.93	0	
24 h later	30 (20–45)	12.5 (0–20)	<0.001
<b>Difference between visit 2 and baseline<sup>+</sup></b>	17.5 (10–26.25)	–5 (–11.25–0)	<0.001
<b>Month 12 overall 24-h</b>	35 (30–50)	15 (10–20)	<0.001
During intervention	10.83±5.21	0	
24 h later	25 (20–40)	15 (10–20)	0.001
<b>Difference between month 12 and baseline<sup>#</sup></b>	10 (–5–25)	0 (–10–3.75)	0.015
<b>Difference between month 12 and visit 2<sup>¶</sup></b>	–5 (–30–5)	5 (5–10)	0.019

Data are presented as mean±SD and median (interquartile range); differences are expressed as median (95% confidence interval). Unpaired t-test values of the differences in the overall 24-h sputum volume between visit 2 and baseline<sup>+</sup>, month 12 and baseline<sup>#</sup>, month 12 and visit 2<sup>¶</sup> in the ELTGOL group (p=0.001, p=0.026, p=0.09, respectively) and in the placebo group (p=0.008, p=0.106, p=0.261, respectively).

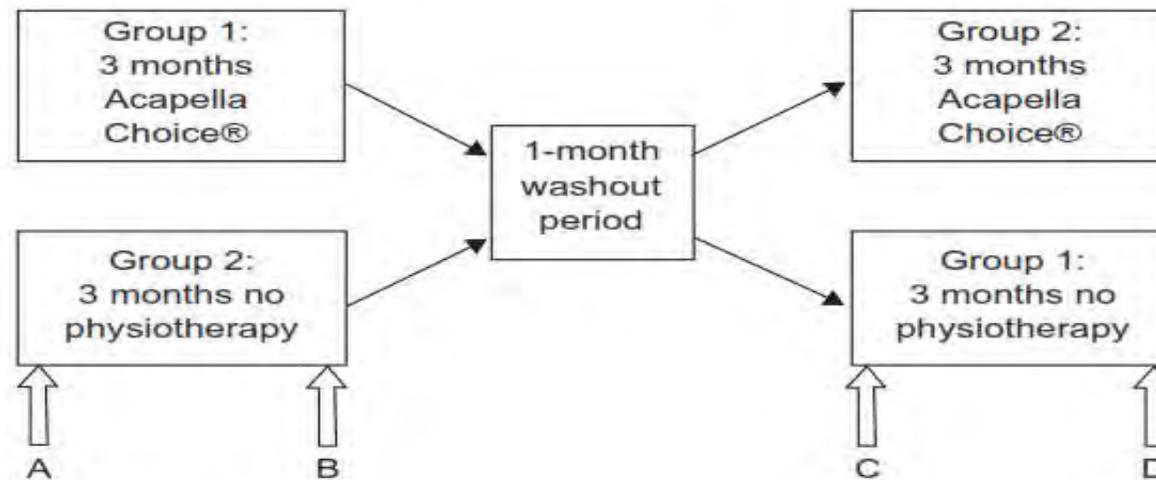
# Impact fonctionnel

TABLE 3 Quality of life, pulmonary function, dyspnoea scale, exercise capacity and inflammatory markers between the groups at the beginning and the end of the study

	ELTGOL			Placebo			p-value <sup>#</sup>
	Baseline	Month 12	Between-group differences	Baseline	Month 12	Between-group differences	
<b>SGRQ total score</b>	40.2±13.7	33.7±15.7	-6.8 [-15.1-1.5] <sup>+</sup>	35.0±9.9	47.6±12.8	11.4 [6.9-15.9] <sup>+</sup>	<0.001
<b>LCQ total score</b>	14.5±3.4	16.2±3.2	1.96 [0.2-3.8] <sup>+</sup>	15.7±2	13.7±2.1	-2 [-2.8- -1.2] <sup>+</sup>	<0.001
<b>Exacerbations</b>	2 [1-3.25]	1 [0-2]	-0.8 [-1.5- -0.1] <sup>¶</sup>	1 [0.75-2.25]	2 [1-3]	0.35 [-0.5-0.35] <sup>¶</sup>	0.042
<b>FEV<sub>1</sub>% predicted</b>	58.1±22.9	57.9±25	-0.4 [-3.5-2.8] <sup>+</sup>	64.6±21.1	61.3±21	-2.5 [-4.7- -0.2] <sup>+</sup>	0.262
<b>FEV<sub>1</sub> L</b>	1.6±0.8	1.6±0.8	-0.004 [-0.1-0.03] <sup>+</sup>	1.5±0.4	1.5±0.4	-0.1 [-0.2-0.004] <sup>+</sup>	0.407
<b>mMRC</b>	1 [0-1.25]	1 [0-1]	0 [-0.5-0] <sup>¶</sup>	1 [1-1.25]	1 [1-2]	0.5 [0-0.5] <sup>¶</sup>	0.127
<b>6MWT m</b>	417.8±67	423.5±84.9	2.3 [-16.7-21.2] <sup>+</sup>	382.9±76.9	377.8±57.3	-2.6 [-29.3-24.1] <sup>+</sup>	0.746
<b>ESR mm</b>	22.3±26.5	17.1±17.5	9 [7-23] <sup>+</sup>	25.5±22.3	23.9±17.6	24 [7.3-34.5] <sup>+</sup>	0.863
<b>Leukocytes ×10<sup>3</sup> μL<sup>-1</sup></b>	6.9±2	7.5±2	0.03 [-0.8-0.9] <sup>+</sup>	7.5±2.2	7.7±2.7	0.6 [-0.2-1.3] <sup>+</sup>	0.641
<b>Neutrophils %</b>	59.7±8.7	60±8.9	-1.6 [-6.6-3.3] <sup>+</sup>	58.5±8.4	57.9±12.1	-1.4 [-6-3.2] <sup>+</sup>	0.945
<b>CRP mg·dL<sup>-1</sup></b>	0.7±0.9	1.7±2.7	0.7 [-0.7-2.2] <sup>+</sup>	0.6±0.5	0.7±0.6	0.06 [-0.3-0.4] <sup>+</sup>	0.619
<b>Fibrinogen mg·dL<sup>-1</sup></b>	425.5±69	468.6±1000.5	43.9 [-31.3-119] <sup>+</sup>	449.6±930.5	492.6±125.2	59.3 [-13.8-132.3] <sup>+</sup>	0.756

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# Crossover

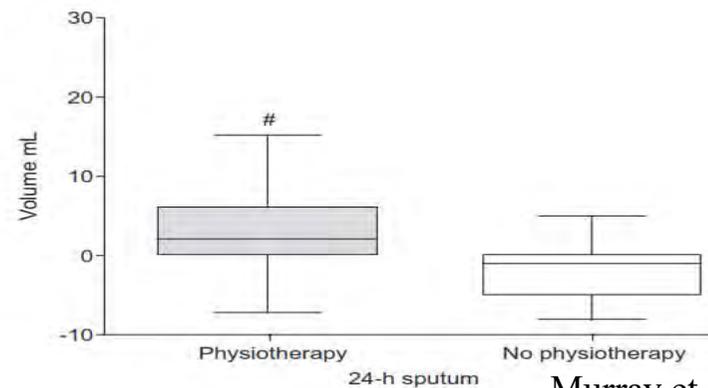
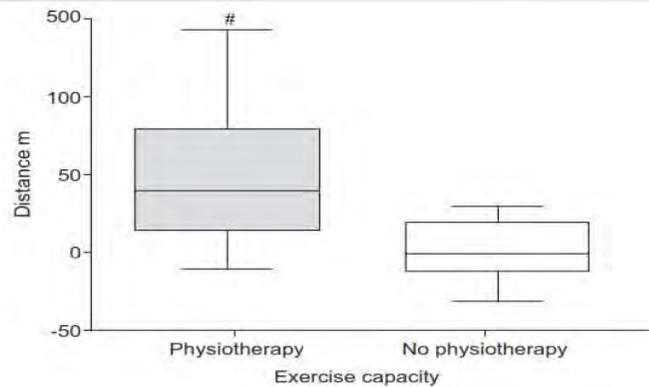


**FIGURE 1.** Study protocol. Assessments were performed at the start and end of each treatment period. A, B, C and D represent the assessment time-points. Acapella Choice<sup>®</sup>: Smiths Medical ASD Inc., Weston, MA, USA.

# Résultats

**TABLE 3** Treatment differences

Outcome	Twice daily physiotherapy	No regular physiotherapy	p-value
Total LCQ score improvement	1.3 (-0.17–3.25)	0 (-1.5–0.5)	0.002
24-h sputum volume mL	2 (0–6)	-1 (-5–0)	0.02
FEV <sub>1</sub> L	-0.01 (-0.06–0.08)	-0.01 (-0.1–0.11)	0.7
FVC L	-0.01 (-0.09–0.28)	0.06 (-0.08–0.21)	0.9
FEF <sub>25–75%</sub> L·s <sup>-1</sup>	-0.02 (-0.17–0.16)	0.04 (-0.1–0.34)	0.6
MIP cmH <sub>2</sub> O	-1 (-9–7)	5.5 (-10–12.5)	0.7
MEP cmH <sub>2</sub> O	5 (-11–25)	8.5 (-3.7–19.7)	0.7
Exercise capacity m	40 (15–80)	0 (-10–20)	0.001
Sputum bacterial load cfu·mL <sup>-1</sup>	$-1 \times 10^3$ ( $-2.78 \times 10^6$ – $1.74 \times 10^7$ )	$1 \times 10^3$ ( $-6.5 \times 10^7$ – $6.4 \times 10^6$ )	0.72
Total SGRQ score improvement	7.8 (-0.99–14.5)	-0.7 (-2.3–0.05)	0.005
Exacerbations n	5	7	0.48



# Spécificité liée au design

**TABLE 2** Patient characteristics at entry to each study phase

Characteristic	Start of study <sup>#</sup>	End of washout period <sup>*</sup>	p-value
Total LCQ score <sup>+</sup>	16.3 (14.1–17.9)	15.9 (13.8–19.4)	0.5
24-hr sputum volume mL	5 (1.25–15)	5 (1–13.1)	0.3
FEV <sub>1</sub> L	1.68 (1.25–2.31)	1.72 (1.19–2.10)	0.8
FEV <sub>1</sub> % pred	75.7 (48.3–98.1)	68.4 (53–107.1)	
FVC L	2.64 (1.9–3.65)	2.82 (1.75–3.5)	0.6
FVC % pred	79.5 (68.2–95.4)	81.6 (66.1–95.4)	
FEV <sub>1</sub> /FVC	0.63 (0.57–0.77)	0.62 (0.56–0.82)	0.7
FEV <sub>1</sub> /FVC % pred	87.1 (77.6–104.4)	97.0 (76.1–120)	
FEF <sub>25–75%</sub> L·s <sup>-1</sup>	0.95 (0.64–1.54)	1.09 (0.54–1.84)	0.96
FEF <sub>25–75%</sub> % pred	47.5 (21.9–64.8)	44.8 (24.8–96.4)	
MIP cmH <sub>2</sub> O	43.5 (33.2–72.5)	48 (32.5–61.5)	0.2
MIP % pred	58.5 (37.2–77.2)	51.7 (31.1–63)	
MEP cmH <sub>2</sub> O	68.5 (58.5–95.2)	67 (51–109)	0.3
MEP % pred	60.9 (41.9–83.4)	51.3 (38.3–55.7)	
Exercise capacity m	220 (120–405)	210 (137.5–357.5)	1.0
Sputum bacterial load cfu·mL <sup>-1</sup>	3.8 × 10 <sup>6</sup> (3.9 × 10 <sup>5</sup> –3.8 × 10 <sup>7</sup> )	1.1 × 10 <sup>6</sup> (1 × 10 <sup>3</sup> –1.1 × 10 <sup>8</sup> )	0.6
Total SGRQ score <sup>‡</sup>	41.1 (24.6–44.8)	40.4 (18.0–52.5)	0.6

# Inconvénient potentiel

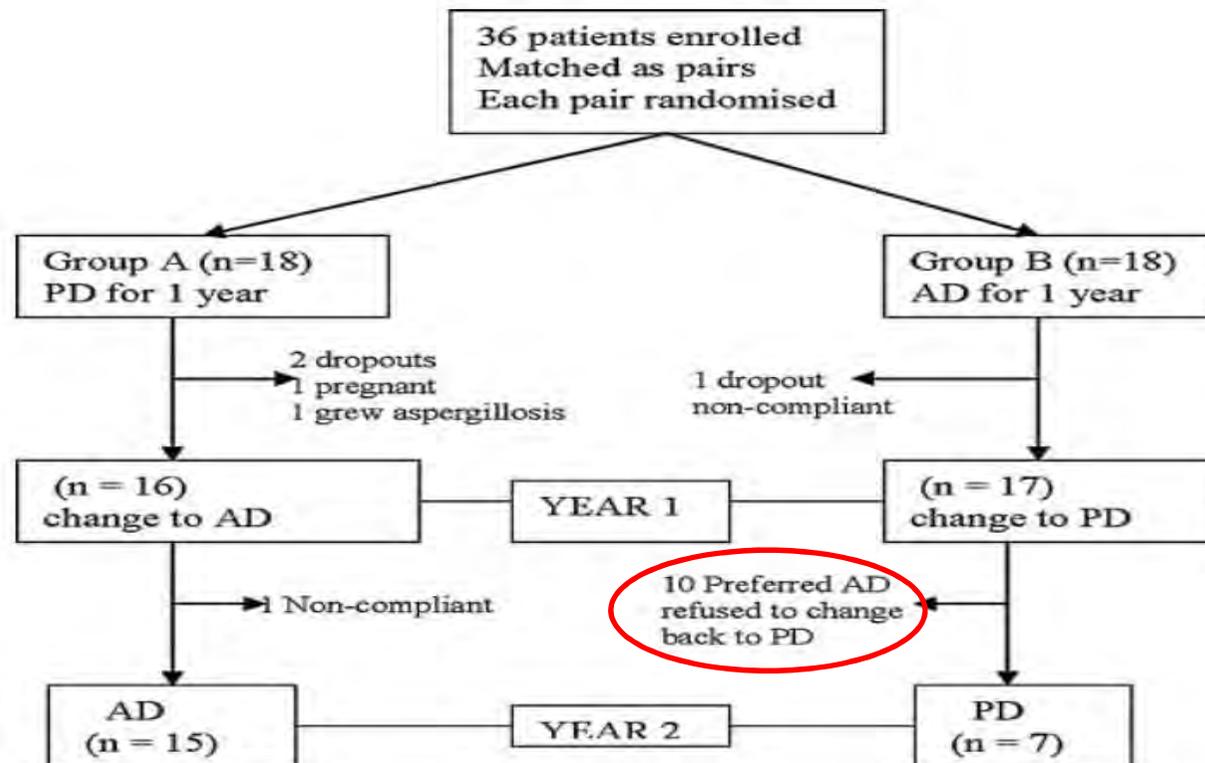
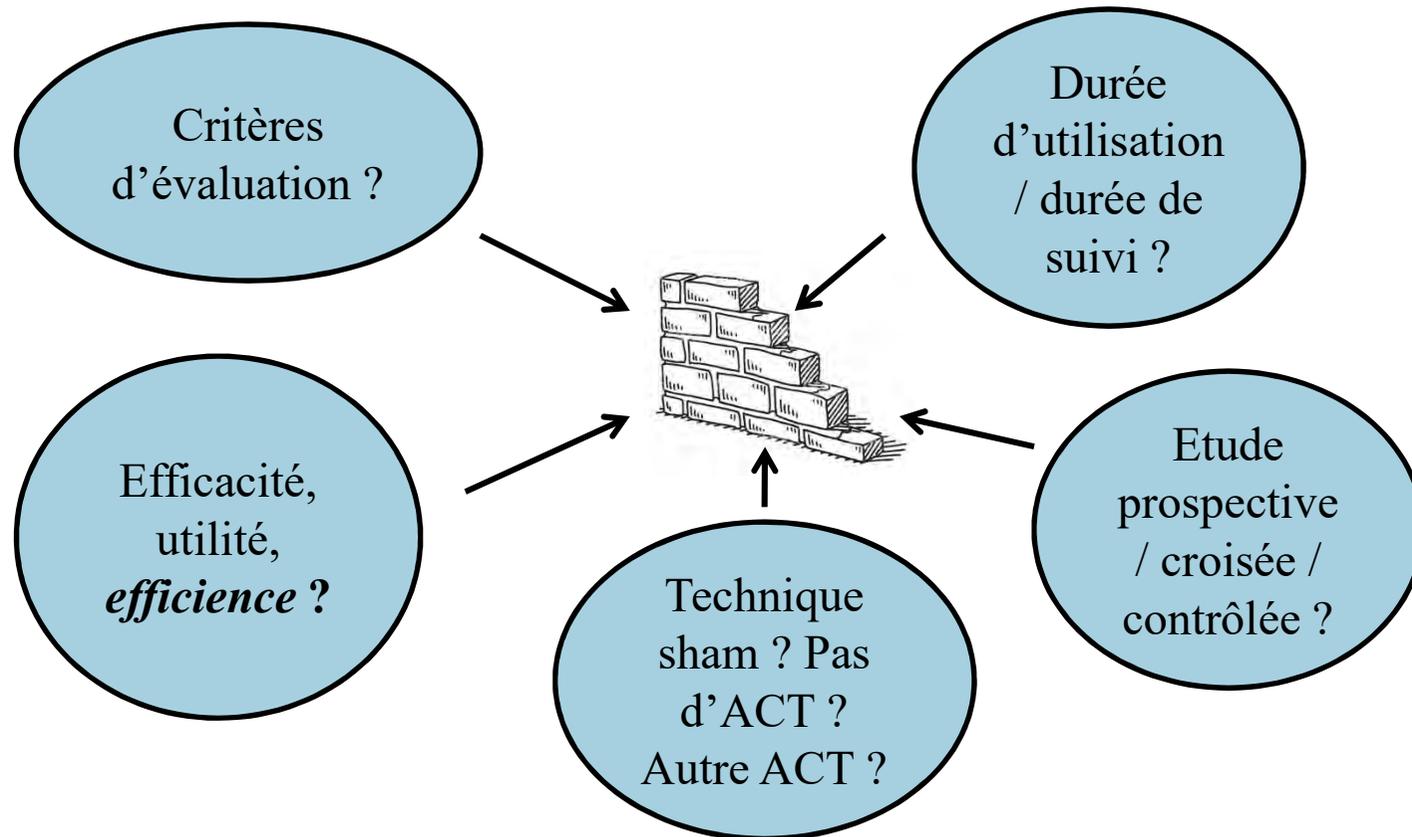


Fig. 1. Flow diagram of study.

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# Quelques questions



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# Limites du désencombrement bronchique

- Temps important
- « Coût élevé » (dispositifs, accessibilité...)
- Fatigue
- Compliance au traitement (51-74% enfants, 50% adolescence, 30% adultes)**
- Perception du patient

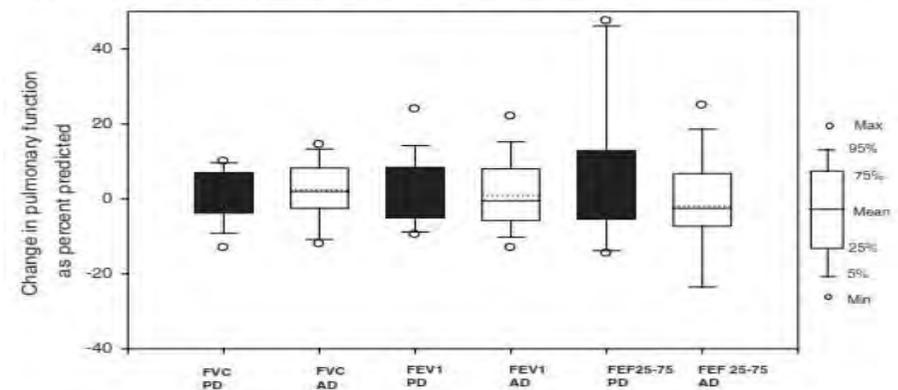
# Préférences du patient

**TABLE 3—Pulmonary Function Results for Year 1 Comparing Groups A and B**

	Group A PD N = 16	Group B AD N = 17	Sig
FVC	0.47 ± 1.65	2.35 ± 1.87	NS
FEV <sub>1</sub>	2.09 ± 2.20	0.97 ± 2.25	NS
FEF <sub>25-75%</sub>	5.63 ± 4.55	-1.91 ± 3.75	NS
Hospital admissions	1.00 ± 0.32	0.76 ± 0.18	NS
Shwachman score change	7.53 ± 9.01	3.12 ± 6.24	NS
Huang score change	-0.88 ± 4.86	2.32 ± 4.31	<i>P</i> = 0.04

Results are expressed as mean and standard deviation.

**TABLE 2—Regression Slopes for Pulmonary Function for Year 1 Comparing PD to AD**



# Temps de traitement

**Table 3** Treatment time, comfort, flexibility and adherence in the two study groups

Self-reported measure	PEP	HFCWO	p Value
Treatment time (min)	20 (15, 20)	30 (20, 35)	<0.001
Comfort 1–5	5 (4, 5)	5 (4, 5)	0.474
Independence 1–5	4 (3, 5)	4 (3, 5)	0.427
Flexibility 1–5	5 (4, 5)	4 (3, 5)	<0.001
Mean number times per day	1.75	1.76	0.962
Mean number of misses per week	0.5	0.5	

Data are presented as median (25%, 75% percentiles).

HFCWO, high frequency chest wall oscillation; PEP, positive expiratory pressure.

# Coût pour le patient et QDV

**Table 4**  
**Predictors of Higher Treatment Burden: Multivariate Linear Regression Results \*\***

	Adjusted*	
Level of Activity	Parameter	P
<i>≥2 nebulized medications</i>	-9.61	.0024
<i>≥2 inhaled medications</i>		NS
<i>≥3 oral medications</i>		NS
<i>≥30 minutes for ACT</i>	-12.72	.0001

\* Adjusted for age, gender, FEV1, adjusted R-squared = 0.198

\*\* Using *≥2 inhaled medications* and *≥3 oral medications* were not significant predictors were dropped from the model during stepwise selection.

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# Take-Home messages



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- ❑ Critères fonctionnels objectifs (et subjectivité du patient)
- ❑ Prise en compte des limites (coût, temps ...)
- ❑ Spécificités liées à la pathologie
- ❑ Temps d'administration du traitement & design





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