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ARDS and Ventilator Induced Lung Injuries
On-demand Encore Virtual Session

ACTIVITY OVERVIEW

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Over half of all patients admitted to the intensive care unit require ventilatory support. While mechanical ventilation can be life-saving, it can also cause harm by injuring the lungs. Hear about the pathophysiology of ventilator induced lung injury and strategies to prevent it. Discussion of Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome (ARDS) guidelines will be included, along with special emphasis on ventilator management in the context of COVID-19 pneumonia.

TARGET AUDIENCE

This educational initiative is intended for Nurse Practitioners, Nurses, Primary Care Physicians and Physician assistants.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Explain the mechanisms that lead to ventilator-induced lung injury.
- Determine how to assess ventilator parameters and alter ventilator settings to minimize harmful effects of ventilation.
- Discuss strategies that can be used to minimize ventilator-induced lung injury in patients with COVID-19 pneumonia.

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