

## "Nasal high-frequency ventilation for premature infants"

**STUDY DESIGN:** VLBW infants, >7 days of age on nasal continuous positive airway pressure (CPAP), were placed on nasal HFV for 2 h using the Infant Star high-frequency ventilator (Mallinckrodt, Inc., St. Louis, MO, USA). Mean airway pressure was set to equal the previous level of CPAP, and amplitude was adjusted to obtain chest wall vibration. Capillary blood was sampled before starting HFV and after 2 h to determine change in pH and partial pressure of carbon dioxide (pCO(2)).

**RESULTS:** Fourteen subjects were studied, 10 males and 4 females. Gestational age was 26-30 weeks (median 27). Age at study was 18-147 days (median 30). Median birth weight was 955 g; median weight at study was 1605 g. Nasal CPAP pressure was 4-7 cm H(2)O (mean 5). Amplitude was 30-60 (median 50). After 2 h, PCO(2) (mean 45 torr) was significantly lower than initial PCO(2) (mean 50 torr) (p = 0.01), and pH had increased significantly (7.40 vs. 7.37, p = 0.04).

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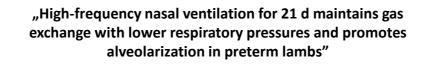
#### "Weaning of neonates from mechanical ventilation by use of nasopharyngeal high-frequency oscillatory ventilation: a preliminary study"

**STUDY DESIGN:** This was an observational study of 20 mechanically ventilated neonates [median (range) birth weight 635 (382-1020)g, median gestational age 25.3 (23.7-27.6) weeks] at high risk for extubation failure. Nine infants had failed at least one previous extubation. Fourteen infants were given hydrocortisone. All 20 infants were extubated into nHFOV, with a mean airway pressure of 8 cmH(2)O, an amplitude of 20 cmH(2)O, and a frequency of 10 Hz.

**RESULTS:** Infants remained on nHFOV for a median duration of 136.5 (7.0-456.0) h until further weaning to continuous positive airway pressure (n=14) or reintubation (n=6). Reintubation was performed in 1 of 11 infants who had not experienced any previous extubation, and in five of nine infants who had experienced at least one previous extubation (P < 0.05). PaCO(2) was virtually unchanged from preextubation levels 2 h after extubation, but declined significantly at 32 h from 59.8 (45.0-92.3) mmHg to 50.7 (39.8-74.4) mmHg (P < 0.01). PaCO(2) returned to preextubation levels upon discontinuation of nHFOV.</p> **CONCLUSION:** This small observational study demonstrates that nHFOV can be

successfully applied to wean premature infants from ventilator support.

Czernik C; J Matern Fetal Neonatal Med. 2012 Apr;25(4):374-8.



**METHODS:** Preterm lambs were exposed to antenatal steroids and treated with perinatal surfactant and postnatal caffeine. Lambs were intubated and resuscitated by IMV. At ~3 h of age, half of the lambs were switched to noninvasive HFNV. Support was for 3 or 21 d. By design, Pao2 and Paco2 were not different between groups.

**RESULTS:** At 3 d (n = 5) and 21 d (n = 4) of HFNV, fractional inspired O2 (FiO2), peak inspiratory pressure (PIP), mean airway, intratracheal, and positive endexpiratory pressures, oxygenation index, and alveolar-arterial gradient were significantly lower than matched periods of intubation and IMV. Pao2/FiO2 ratio was significantly higher at 3 and 21 d of HFNV compared to matched intubation and IMV. HFNV led to better alveolarization at 3 and 21 d.

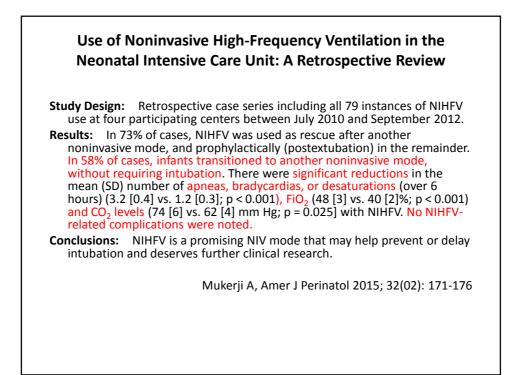
**CONCLUSION:** Long-term HFNV provides acceptable gas exchange at lower inspired O2 levels and respiratory pressures compared to intubation and IMV.

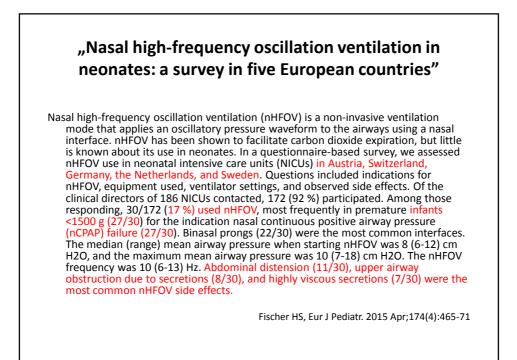
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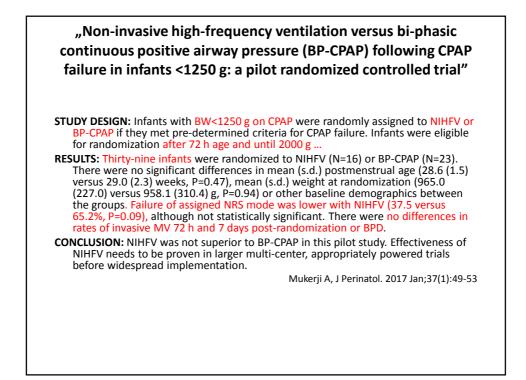
#### "Mechanism of reduced lung injury by high-frequency nasal ventilation in a preterm lamb model of neonatal chronic lung disease"

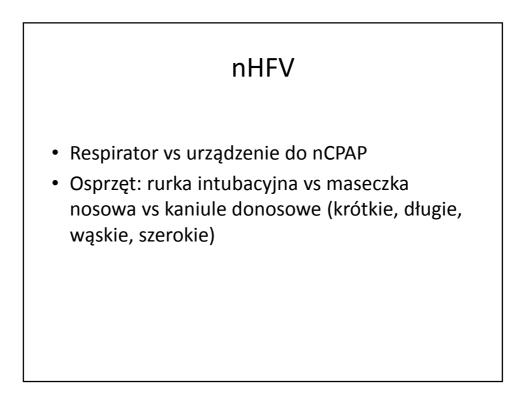
"In lambs managed by IMV, the abundance of key homeostatic alveolar epithelial-mesenchymal markers was reduced, whereas it was significantly increased in the HFNV group, providing a potential molecular mechanism by which "gentler" modes of ventilation reduce neonatal CLD."

Rehan VK, Pediatr Res. 2011 Nov;70(5):462-6









#### Leakage in nasal high-frequency oscillatory ventilation improves carbon dioxide clearance-A bench study

- **RESULTS:** nHFOV with moderate leakage was more effective in  $CO_2$  elimination than without leakage (P < 0.001) for all tested amplitudes and frequencies. Maximum leakage resulted in highly variable, partly ineffective  $CO_2$  elimination.
- **CONCLUSIONS:** A moderate oral leakage rather improves than impairs gas exchange during non-invasive ventilatory support with nHFOV.

Klotz D, Pediatr Pulmonol. 2017;52:367-372

# Parametry nHFV- respirator MAP: 4 - 7 - 8 - 10 cmH20 10 - 16 cmH2O w BPD Częstotliwość: 6 - 8 - 10 - 13 Hz Amplituda: 25 - 35 - 60 cmH2O 30-50 cmH2O w BPD Ti: 0,33-0,5 sek

### "Nasal high-frequency oscillation for lung carbon dioxide clearance in the newborn"

METHODS: A newborn mannequin with dimensions and anatomy similar to a term infant was utilized. It was connected to a commercially available neonatal mechanical ventilator using a manufacturer-provided nasal adaptor. Various modes of noninvasive ventilation were compared as CO2 clearance was measured at the oropharynx by an end-tidal CO2 analyzer following the addition of a known amount of CO2 into the lung. Measurements were obtained at two different lung compliances using nHFO and compared with nCMV and nasal continuous positive airway pressure (nCPAP) as a control. Pressures near the nasal adaptor and the larynx were simultaneously measured with in-line pressure transducers.

**RESULTS:** Whereas no CO2 elimination was observed under nCPAP, its clearance with nHFO was 3-fold greater as compared to NIPPV. On nHFO, CO2 clearance was inversely proportional to frequency and maximal at 6 and 8 Hz. At a lower lung compliance, CO2 clearance was significantly <u>higher at 6 Hz as compared to 10 Hz.</u> During nHFO set to deliver a <u>MAP of 10.0</u>, we documented pressures of 7.2  $\pm$  0.3 at the nasal adaptor and only 2.3  $\pm$  0.3 cm H2O at the larynx.

**CONCLUSIONS:** Nasal HFO is effective and superior to NIPPV at lung CO2 elimination in a newborn mannequin model. The use of nHFO as the preferred mode of noninvasive ventilation warrants further clinical studies.

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#### Effect of amplitude and inspiratory time in a bench model of non-invasive HFOV through nasal prongs

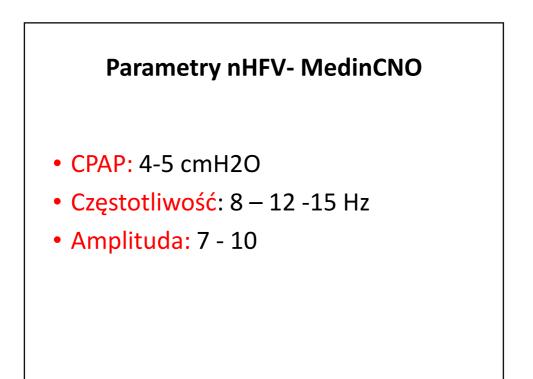
**METHODS:** In vitro mechanical study on a previously described bench model of nHFOV. The model was built connecting SM3100A tubings to a neonatal lung model, via two differently sized binasal prongs. A circuit with no nasal prongs was used as control. Tidal volume (T(v)), oscillatory pressure ratio ( $\Delta P(dist) / \Delta P(prox)$ ), and ventilation (DCO(2)) were measured across a range of amplitudes and inspiratory times (I(T)). Measurements were performed with a low-dead space hot wire anemometer coupled with a pressure transducer.

**RESULTS:** ...No differences were noticed between small and large prongs. T(v) and  $\Delta P(\text{prox})$  were linked by a quadratic relationship. T(v) plateaus for amplitude values >65 cmH(2)O.  $\Delta P(\text{dist}) / \Delta P(\text{prox})$  shows same tendency. Same results were obtained with both types of prongs and with increasing I(T). On the whole, mean T(v) was higher with I(T) at 50% than at 33% (2.4 ml vs. 1.4 ml; P < 0.001).

**CONCLUSIONS:** Changing oscillation amplitude and I(T) has a significant effect on ventilation. Varying these two parameters provides a theoretical T(v) within the ideal values for HFOV also using the smallest nasal prongs.

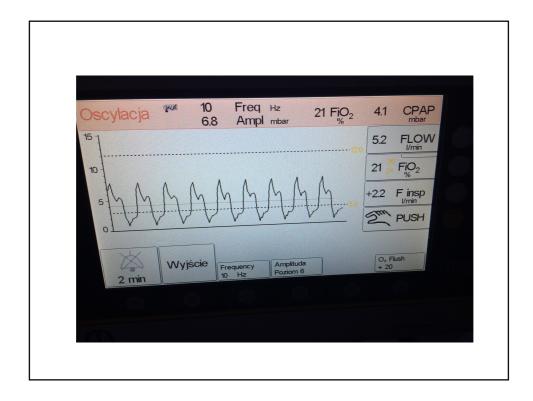
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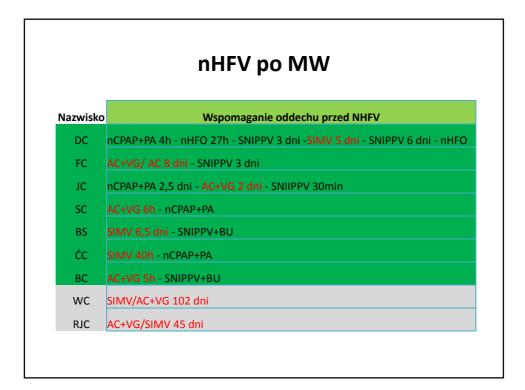
nHFV po nCPAP					
Nazwisko	Hbd	MC (g)	Włączenie NHFV	Czas stosowania NHFV	
KS	35	2610	5 hż	7h	
PS	36	2980	5 hż	44h	
SS	37	3230	15 hż	5h	
DC	29	1350	4 dż	3 dni	
NS	38	3180	2 hż	16h	
GFS	37	2025	28 hż	8,5h	
GC	30	1470	I/ 30 hż; II/ 78hż	I/ 24h; II/ <mark>5,5 dni</mark>	
КС	36	2410	12 hż	11h	
MC	36	2700	16 hż	20h	
KS	32	1540	56 hż - 2,5 dż	36h	
BC	26	820	14 dż	36h	
HS	24	600	74 dż	5,5 dni	
WS	32	800	21dż	2 dni	
TS	30	1620	19 hż	35h	
PC	32	1240	5,5 hż	36h	

nHFV po MW				
Nazwisko	Hbd	MC (g)	Włączenie NHFV	Czas stosowania NHFV
DC	30	1600	l/ 4hż;  Il/ <mark>16 dż</mark>	I/ 27h; II/ <mark>3 dni</mark>
FC	29	1220	11 dż	
JC	31	1560	4,5 dż	2dni
SC	26	860	12 dż	11dni
BS	26	870		4 dni
ćc	29	860		2 dni
BC	29	1550	7,5 hż	40h
WC	24	622	102 dż	11dni
RJC	25	830	45 dż	6 dni

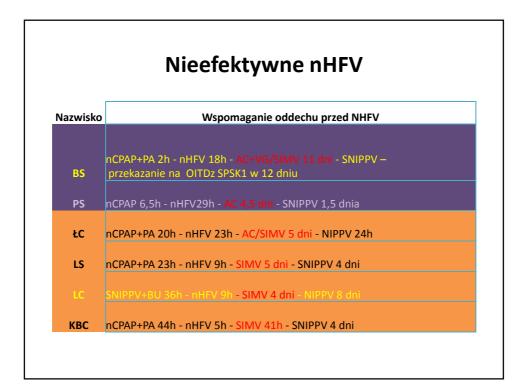
Nazwisko	Hbd	MC (g)	Włączenie NHFV	Czas stosowania NHFV
BS	38	2530	2 hż	18h
PS	31	1640	6,5 hż	30h
Łc	33	1890	20 hż	23h
LS	30	1330	23 hż	9h
LC	30	1540	36 hż	9h
КВС	29	870	44 hż	4h

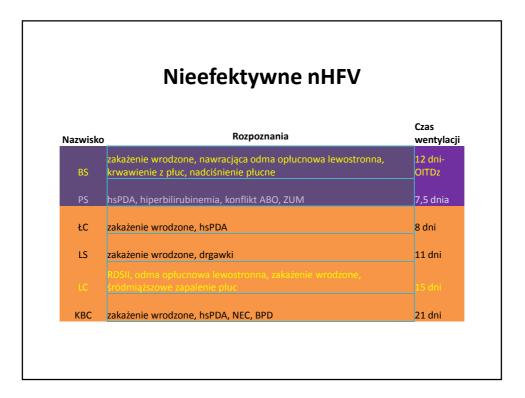
	Parametry nHFV					
Nazwisko	Amp/Częstotliwość	Nazwisko	Amp/Częstotliwość	Nazwisko	Amp/Częstotliwość	
KS	7 / 10Hz	DC	I: 10 / 10-12Hz	BS	10 /10Hz	
PS	10 /10Hz		II: 7 / 10Hz	PS	10 / 10Hz	
SS	10 / 15Hz	FC	10 / 10Hz	ŁC	7-10 / 10Hz	
DC	10 / 10Hz	JC	10 / 10Hz	LS	10 / 10Hz	
NS	7 / 10Hz	SC	10 / 10Hz	LC		
GFS	10 / 10Hz	BS	8 / 12Hz	КВС	10 / 10Hz	
GC	10 / 10Hz	ĆC	10 / 10Hz			
КС	10 / 10Hz	BC	10 / 10Hz			
MC	10 / 10Hz	WC	10 / 10Hz			
KS	10 / 10Hz	RJC	8 / 10Hz			
BC	10-7 / 10-8 Hz					
HS	7 / 10Hz					
WS	7 / 10Hz					
TS	10 / 10Hz					
PC	7 / 10Hz					

nHFV po nCPAP					
Nazwisko	Gazometria przed NHFO	Gazometria po ok.1h NHFO	FiO2 przed - po		
KS	pH 7,20; pCO2 62; BE(-3,8); HCO3 24,2	pH 7,24; pCO2 55; BE(-3,8); HCO3 23,6	0,25 - 0,25		
PS	pH 7,18; pCO2 69; BE(-2,6); HCO3 25,8	pH 7,25; pCO2 59; BE(-1,3); HCO3 25,9	0,25 - 0,25		
SS	pH 7,19; pCO2 76; BE(0,8); HCO3 29,0	pH 7,28; pCO2 58; BE(0,6); HCO3 27,3	0,25 - 0,25		
DC	pH 7,28, pCO2 50; BE (-3,2); HCO3 23,5	pH 7,22; pCO2 54; BE (-5,6); HCO3 22,1	0,5 - 0,4		
NS	pH 7,21; pCO2 64; BE (-2,3); HCO3 25,6,	pH 7,29; pCO2 51; BE (-2,1); HCO3 24,5	0,3 - 0,21		
GFS	pH 7,26; pCO2 70; BE (4,3); HCO3 31,4	pH 7,37; pCO2 46; BE (1,3); HCO3 26,7	0,21 - 0,21		
GC	I/ pH 7,29; pCO2 59; BE (1,8); HCO3 28,4+ B	I/ pH 7,29, pCO2 54; HCO3 26,0; BE (-0,6)	I/ 0,6 - 0,7		
	II/ pH 7,24; pCO2 70; HCO3 30,0; BE 2,6	II/ pH 7,26; pCO2 71; HCO3 31,9; BE 4,8	II/ 0,35 - 0, 3		
КС	pH 7,17; pCO2 76; BE (-0,8); HCO3 27,7	pH 7,21; pCO2 65; BE (-1,9); HCO3 26,0	0,25 - 0,21		
MC	pH 7,19; pCO2 74; BE(0,1); HCO3 28,3	pH 7,31; pCO2 40; BE (-6,2), HCO3 20,1	0,21 - 0,21		
KS	pH 7,24, pCO2 63; BE (-0,4); HCO3 27,0	pH 7,33; pCO2 49; BE (-0,1); HCO3 25,8	0,4 - 0,21		
BC	pH 7,25; pCO2 71; BE 3,9, HCO3 31,1	pH 7,28; pCO2 66; BE 5,7; HCO3 32,4	0,45 - 0,35		
HS	pH 7,19; pCO2 91; BE 6,6, HCO3 34,8	pH 7,25; pCO2 77; BE 6,6; HCO3 33,8	0,4 - 0,3		
WS	pH 7,32; pCO2 74; BE 12, HCO3 38,1	pH 7,36; pCO2 62; BE 9,6; HCO3 35	0,28 - 0,25		
TS	pH 7,22; pCO2 59; BE -3,6 HCO3 24	pH 7,28; pCO2 51; BE -2,7; HCO3 24	0,5 - 0,4		
PC	pH 7,23; pCO2 54; BE -5; HCO3 22,8+ B	pH 7,3; pCO2 50; BE(-1,8); HCO3 24,8	0, 25- 0,21		



	nHFV po MW				
Nazwisko	Gazometria przed NHFV	Gazometria po ok. 1h NHFV	FiO2 przed-po		
DC	I/ рН 7,16, рСО2 74; ВЕ (-2,3); НСОЗ 26,4	I/ pH 7,17; pCO2 70; BE (-0,7); HCO3 28,2	I/ 0,45 - 0,3		
	II/ pH 7,29; pCO2 89; BE (16.2); HCO3 42,8	II/ pH 7,35; pCO2 74; BE 15,3; HCO3 40,9	II/ 0,25 - 0,25		
FC	pH 7,24, pCO2 70; BE (2,6); HCO3 30,0	рН 7,32; рСО2 57; ВЕ (3,3); НСОЗ 29,4	0,4 - 0,4		
JC	рН 7,38; рСО2 35; ВЕ (-4,4); НСОЗ 20,7+ <mark>В</mark>	рН 7,30; рСО2 39; ВЕ (-7,2); НСОЗ 19,2	0,25 - 0,21		
SC	рН 7,31; рСО2 59; ВЕ 3,4; НСОЗ 29,7+ В	рН 7,26, рСО2 56, ВЕ (-2,0), НСОЗ 25,1	0,27- 0,25		
BS	рН 7,30, рСО2 82; ВЕ 13,9, НСОЗ 40,3+ В	рН 7,31; рСО2 78; ВЕ 13,0; НСОЗ 39,3	0,35 - 0,25		
ĆC	рН 7,23; рСО2 68; ВЕ (-0,8); НСОЗ 23,4	рН 7,30; рСО2 54; ВЕ (0,2); НСОЗ 26,6	0,25 - 0,21		
BC	рН 7,22; рСО2 59; ВЕ (-3,6), НСОЗ 24,1	рН 7,30; рСО2 51; ВЕ (-1,3); НСОЗ 25,1	0,35 - 0,35		
WC	pH 7,36; pCO2 57; BE 6,8; HCO3 32,2	рН 7,28; рСО2 71; BE(6,7); НСОЗ 33,4	0,4 - 0,4 - 0,27		
RJC	pH 7,36; pCO2 50; BE 2,8; HCO3 28,2	pH 7,30; pCO2 63; BE (4,6);HCO3 30,0	0,57 - 0,4		





Nieefektywne nHFV					
Nazwisko	Gazometria przed NHFO	Gazometria po ok.1h NHFO	FiO2 przed-po		
BS	рН 7,16; рСО2 77; ВЕ (-1,3), НСОЗ 27,4	рН 7,14; pCO2 79; BE (-2,1); HCO3 26,9	0,25 - 0,25		
		po 2h: pH 7,26; pCO2 53; BE (-3,3); HCO3 23,8			
PS	pH 7,12; pCO2 70; BE (-6,5); HCO3 22,8	рН 7,17; рСО2 67; ВЕ (-4,1); НСОЗ 24,4	0,3 - 0,6		
		ро 6h: pH 7,32; pCO2 46; BE (-2,4); HCO3 23,7			
ŁC	pH 7.24, pCO2 61; BE (-1,3), HCO3 26.1	pH 7.25, pCO2 59, BE (-1,3), HCO3 25.9	0,45 - 0,8		
LS	pH 7,19; pCO2 56; BE (-6,8); HCO3 21,4	pH 7,18; pCO2 60; BE (-6,0); HCO3 22,4	0,75 - 0,6		
		po 3h: pH 7,21; pCO2 55, BE (-5,9); HCO3 22,0,			
KBC	pH 7,22; pCO2 58; BE (-4), HCO3 23,7	pH 7,19; pCO2 66; BE (-3); HCO3 25,2;	0,6 - 0,8		