FLOW-SAFE II+®

Disposable **BiLevel** CPAP System

How to Apply Flow-Safe II+ and set a BiLevel CPAP Pressure of 10 over 5 cm H_2O

Steps must be followed in order to achieve the best results.

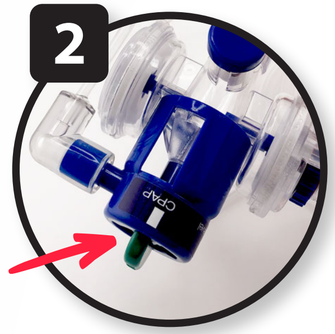
Watch The Video Instructions

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Explain therapy to patient.

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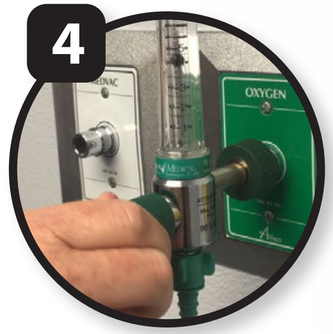
Place Flow Safe II+ in CPAP mode using green knob.

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Connect oxygen tubing to gas source.

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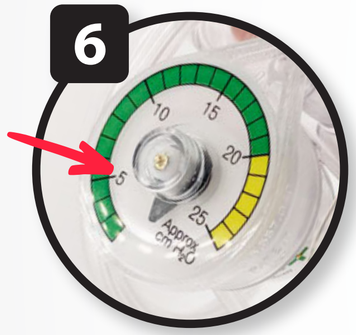
Turn on gas flow to 8 LPM.

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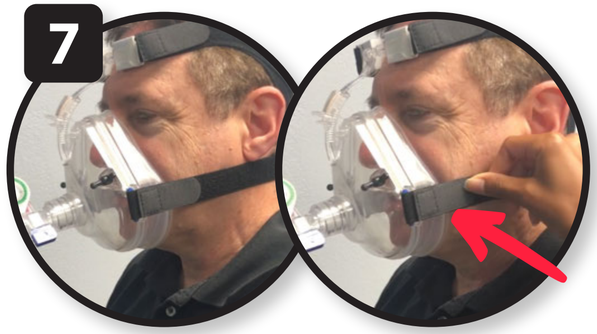
Apply mask to patient's face.

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Adjust gas flowrate to achieve 5 cm H_2O CPAP pressure on manometer.

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Check mask seal for leaks. If the manometer does not register, there is a leak. If there is a leak, adjust straps.

8



If no leaks adjust gas flowrate to achieve 10 cm H_2O CPAP pressure.

9



Place device in BiLevel mode using the green knob (CPAP pressure now becomes IPAP).

10



Adjust EPAP to 5 cm H_2O by rotating the blue EPAP knob.

11



Use manometer as a guide to adjust both the IPAP & EPAP.

Equipment & Supplies



IPAP
Inspiratory Positive Airway Pressure

EPAP
Expiratory Positive Airway Pressure

Reminders for Successful Therapy

- This device is intended for GAP patients that have respiratory distress and are not requiring respiratory failure protocols
- Nebulizer treatments can only be given in the CPAP mode.
- Do not overtighten mask straps.
- Patients should have effective spontaneous ventilation.
- Healthy people can reduce the pressure to zero during inhalation giving a false impression that the IPAP is lower than the EPAP.

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