

Clinical Trial Protocol

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Effect of Music therapy on ventilation criteria of patients undergoing mechanical ventilation

Protocol summary

Summary

Introduction: The goal of this research was studying the effect of music therapy on ventilatory criteria of patients under mechanical ventilation hospitalized in special wards and using music therapy as a complementary medicine. Complications of patients under mechanical ventilation are so much and considerable. One of the factors by recovery of which the separation from ventilator take place is ventilation criteria. Nursing, using music therapy, in case of reducing stress and anxiety, can cause ventilatory criteria and wening from mechanical ventilation tool. Materials and Methods: The present research took place with two group clinical trial method in intensive care unit of Hazrat Rasoul Akram Hospital. In this research 70 patients were chosen by random sampling methodology and divided in two 35-person intervention and control groups. For intervention group relaxing music therapy was played with headphone for 30 minutes once in the morning and once in the afternoon each day. For control group headphone was used without music in two turns each for 30 minutes. In both groups ventilation criteria of respiratory rate , peak airway pressure, minute ventilation, tidal volume and the amount of spo2 were recorded.

General information

Acronym

music and ventilation

IRCT registration information

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Recruitment complete

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Actual recruitment start date

empty

Actual recruitment end date

empty

Trial completion date

empty

Scientific title

Effect of Music therapy on ventilation criteria of patients undergoing mechanical ventilation

Public title

music therapy and mechanical ventilation

Purpose

Supportive

Inclusion/Exclusion criteria

Inclusion criteria: Age above 18 and under 70 years, under respiratory support with ventilator and with modes of CPAP, PSV, SIMV, maximum number of mandatory breathing apparatus Was 10, Tracheal intubation or Tracheostomy, staying under mechanical ventilation for

more than 24 hours, the Glasgow score above 7, the acute physiology score or APACHE II less than 20, no hearing problems, Hemodynamically stable condition including heart rate under 130 beats per minutes and systolic blood pressure above 90 mm Hg. Exclusion criteria: Having COPD and ARDS, discharge; sever hemodynamic impairment, the patient's unwillingness to participate in the study, the death of patient

Age

From **18 years** old to **70 years** old

Gender

Both

Phase

N/A

Groups that have been masked

No information

Sample size

Target sample size: **70**

Randomization (investigator's opinion)

Randomized

Randomization description

Blinding (investigator's opinion)

Not blinded

Blinding description

Placebo

Not used

Assignment

Parallel

Other design features

Secondary Ids

empty

Ethics committees

1

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2014-10-18, 1393/07/26

Ethics committee reference number

93/130/1708/ص

Health conditions studied

1

Description of health condition studied

patients undergoing mechanical ventilation

ICD-10 code

j95.0 , j9

ICD-10 code description

Chronic respiratory failure, Acute respiratory failure

Primary outcomes

1

Description

peak airway presser

Timepoint

30 minutes in morning and 30 minutes in evening

Method of measurement

Seen from the ventilator monitor and recorded in H2O cm

2

Description

tidal volume

Timepoint

30 minutes in morning and 30 minutes in evening

Method of measurement

Seen from the ventilator monitor and recorded in ml

3

Description

respiratory rate

Timepoint

30 minutes in morning and 30 minutes in evening

Method of measurement

Seen from the ventilator monitor and recorded in terms of the number per minute

4

Description

minute ventilation

Timepoint

30 minutes in morning and 30 minutes in evening

Method of measurement

Seen from the ventilator monitor and recorded in ml

5

Description

spo2

Timepoint

30 minutes in morning and 30 minutes in evening

Method of measurement

From pulse oximeter monitor in percentile

Secondary outcomes

1

Description

respiratori rate- spo2-peak airway presser-tv-mv

Timepoint

Time zero and ten and twenty and thirty minutes after the start of Music Therapy

Method of measurement

by using ventilator monitorig

Intervention groups

1

Description

In control group, the headphone was also used to prevent the annoying noises and patients were evaluated twice for one day that the duration of each one was 30 minutes between 9:30-10 AM and 16-16:30 PM. Restrictions imposed were same as intervention group. As the intervention group, all reparatory parameters and other variables were also measured in control group.

Category

Other

2

Description

In intervention group, instrumental music was played by headphone twice for one day that the duration of each one was 30 minutes between 9:30-10 AM and 16-16:30 PM. The music used in the study was track 1 of Arnd Stein's masterwork, namely Peace in Dream. This track is about 30 minutes. We chose the evening and morning to intervention, because of minimal medical interventions in these times. The researcher was present during the intervention. The respiratory parameters were recorded from the monitor at specified times. And during the study in intervention group, other nonemergency nursing interventions were stopped. The time for recording the respiratory parameters was defined as follows: before using the headphone and playing the music as 0, 10 minutes after playing music as 10, 20 minutes after playing music as 20, 30 minutes after playing music as 30; and all parameters were recorded from monitor of ventilator.

Category

Other

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1

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Grant code / Reference number

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Yes

Title of funding source

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Proportion provided by this source

100

Public or private sector

empty

Domestic or foreign origin

empty

Category of foreign source of funding

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Country of origin

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Study Protocol

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Statistical Analysis Plan

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Informed Consent Form

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Clinical Study Report

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Analytic Code

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Data Dictionary

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