



Texas NeuroRehab Center (TNC) Acute Respiratory Management Program

The Acute Respiratory Management Program at TNC is supervised by our on-site board certified pulmonary disease physician. Individualized treatment plans, pulmonary management and frequent reassessment assure aggressive treatment and positive outcomes. The goal is to manage pulmonary disease along with other illnesses and control environmental factors. These services are offered on an inpatient basis.

Diagnosis' Treated

- Ventilator and tracheostomy weaning
- Pulmonary Disease
- Refractory Congestive Heart Failure
- COPD and complications
- Cardio-pulmonary disease
- Pneumonia
- Respiratory failure
- Asthma
- Lung Cancer
- Cystic Fibrosis
- Chronic Bronchitis

Comprehensive Services

- Daily physician-directed program with "hands on" evaluation and patient care (24-hour nursing and direct care staffing)
- 1:4 Patient to Nurse ratio (determined by patient acuity)
- Pulmonary Care Team includes: Physician, certified as a Pulmonary Disease Specialist and certified respiratory therapists and registered nurses
- Onsite Radiology
- Evaluation of environmental factors that may affect pulmonary disease
- 24/7 Respiratory Therapy
- Treatment of chronic and long term effects
- Advanced ventilator and tracheostomy treatments
- Increased mobility with assistance of physical therapy staff and treatment team
- Collaboration with referring professional by pulmonary physician
- Patient and family education regarding self care and prevention
- Private rooms
- Interdisciplinary team to address co-morbidities
- Case management and social work services
- Participation in intensive rehabilitation therapy program



Dr. Laura Gilbey

Dr. Laura Gilbey, Medical Director, is a full time on-site physician at TNC and directs the Acute Respiratory Management Program. She coordinates the interdisciplinary care team and has extensive experience in critical care pulmonary treatments. Dr. Gilbey is board-certified in Pulmonary Disease and Critical Care Medicine.

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