

02/28/2023 Respiratory Class Prep

Questions

1. Is type II only caused by obstruction or can it also be caused by a condition that may decrease respiratory drive, such as drugs that reduce respiratory rate?
2. On the PSV setting, the patient doesn't have to completely breathe on their own, they just need to start a breath and the ventilator will continue the breath and deepen the breath?
3. Is the RN allowed to reset alarms or does respiratory need to be called to confirm that everything is ok and set where it needs to be?
4. What is a basic versus a primary problem in ABG's? Is it just determining whether the issue is metabolic or respiratory?