

Question # 61 COPD-oxygen level

Rationale

Continuous oxygen therapy at the lowest dose possible has been demonstrated to prolong life for those with a PaO_2 of less than 55 (which a client with severe pulmonary disease (COPD) would likely have).
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Question # 62 Addison's discharge plan

Rationale

In Addison's disease, an insufficient adrenal cortex secretion of glucocorticoid and mineralocorticoid can precipitate hypotension, leading to shock. It is critical that mineralocorticoid replacement is taken as accurately as possible, without missing any doses, to prevent a life-threatening adrenal crisis.

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