

**PAP5 Breathing difficulties - recognise the critically ill and those who will need intubation and ventilation**

	<b>CT3</b>	<b>ST4-6</b>	<b>Assessment Methods</b>	<b>GMP Domains</b>
<b>Knowledge</b>	<p><b>Asthma in children</b></p> <p>Understand and apply the BTS guidelines for the management of asthma</p> <p>Understand the indications, contraindications and pharmacology of the therapies available</p> <p>Understand indications for intubation in severe asthma and the drugs used</p> <p><b>Bronchiolitis</b></p> <p>Understand the principles of management</p> <p><b>Pneumonia in children</b></p> <p>Understand the principles of management of community acquired pneumonia</p> <p><b>Pertussis</b></p> <p>Understand the age dependant presentations and indications for admission</p> <p>Initiate appropriate treatment of patient and contacts</p> <p><b>Cardiac causes</b></p> <p>Heart failure and dysrhythmias</p>		E, ACAT, AA, C, Mi, L	1, 2
<b>Skills</b>	<p>Recognise life-threatening asthma, and who may need intubation and ventilation</p> <p>Be able to provide BVM</p> <p>Prescribing skills</p>		E, ACAT, AA, C, Mi, L review of drug charts	1, 3