Croup Pathway

Clinical Assessment/ Management tool for Children



Management – Combined Acute and Primary Care



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Call 999 Stay with the child Alert local paeds team

Avoid throat examination/cannulation Consider Adrenaline neb (0.4ml/kg 1:1000 up to 5ml) and Budesanide neb 2mg Dexamethasone up to 0.6mg/kg (max

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