

ADULT RESPIRATORY AR-04

PNEUMONIA

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History and Physical:	
Historical Findings	Physical Findings
 Recent upper respiratory illness 	■ Fever
	Productive cough
	Wheezing, rhonchi or rales

Assessment:

- Respiratory Assessment
- Differential Diagnoses: Asthma/COPD, Pneumothorax, Pulmonary Embolism, CHF/MI

Clinical Management Options:	
Interventions	Pharmacology
 Oxygen therapy as appropriate Vascular Access Noninvasive ventilation Fluid bolus PRN Assess for pulmonary edema 	Albuterol 2.5 mg PRN
	 Acetaminophen 975 mg PO
	OR
	Ofirmev 1000mg over 15 minutes
	 If unable to swallow
	■ Ipratropium Bromide 500mcg SVN x 1

Consult:

Consider DSI