

# BRONCHOSCOPY: WHAT CAN WE DO?

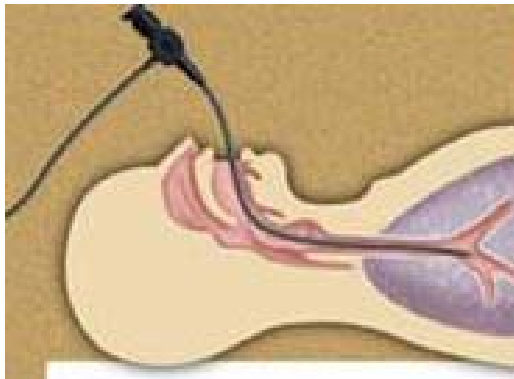
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# Objectives

- ❑ To demonstrate advantages of flexible bronchoscopy through various interesting cases
- ❑ To share experience from the Pediatric Bronchoscopy Course, Cincinnati, USA
- ❑ To encourage Chest Fellows to gain more bronchoscopic experiences

# Indication

In case of doubt ..???..  
whether bronchoscopy should be done,  
Bronchoscopy should **ALWAYS** be done



Chevalier Jackson, 1915

# Common indications

- ❑ Atelectasis
- ❑ Stridor
- ❑ Unexplained or persistent wheeze/ cough
- ❑ Recurrent pneumonia
- ❑ Persistent radiographic infiltrates
- ❑ Suspected airway compression or obstruction

# Common indications

- ❑ Hemoptysis/ epistaxis
- ❑ Suspected congenital anomalies
- ❑ Suspected vocal cord paralysis
- ❑ Persistent hoarseness
- ❑ Suspected FB aspiration