

BRONCHOSCOPY:

WHAT CAN WE DO?

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Objectives

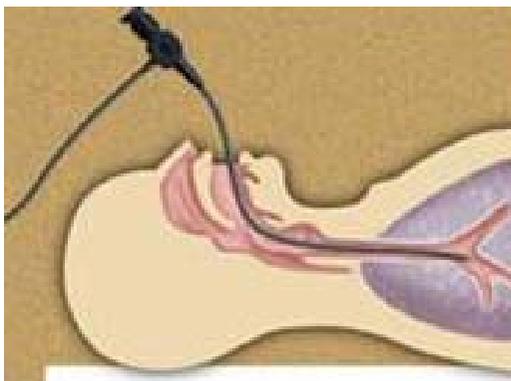
- To demonstrate advantages of flexible bronchoscopy through various interesting cases
- To share experience from the Pediatric Bronchoscopy Course, Cincinnati, USA
- To encourage Chest Fellows to gain more bronchoscopic experiences

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

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