

PICU Up: Teaming up and Transforming to a Culture of Mobility for the Critically Ill Child

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Objectives



- Describe characteristics of sleep across the age spectrum in healthy & critically ill children
- Discuss the effects of sedatives and analgesics on sleep in the developing brain
- Define early mobilization and discuss the adult and pediatric literature
- Describe the interplay of sleep, sedation and delirium in team-based implementation of early mobilization initiatives



The Patient Experience



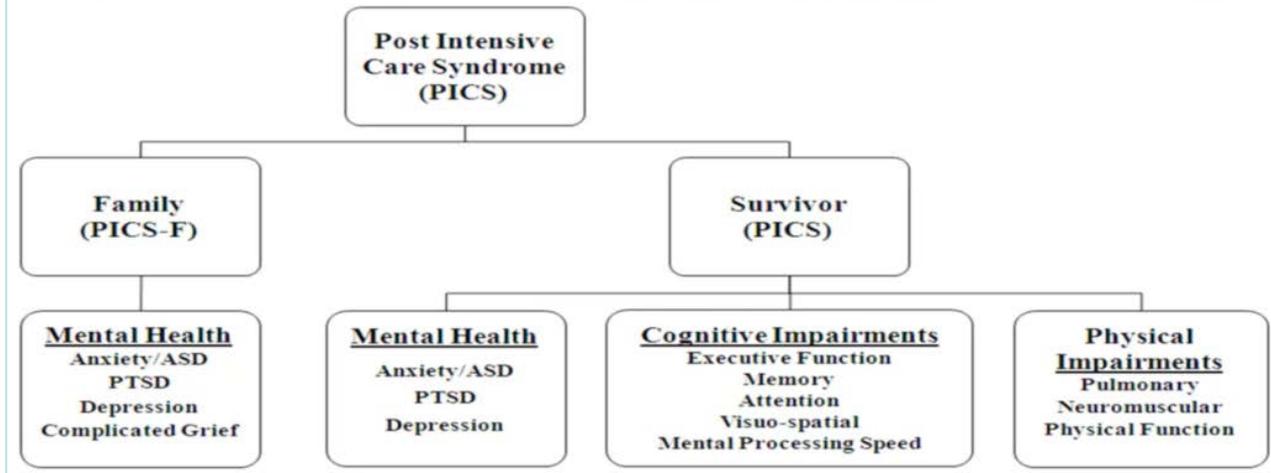
Post-intensive care syndrome=PICS

“THRIVE takes the proverbial baton, leverages the principles espoused in the ABCDEF bundle championed within the ICU Liberation Initiative to mitigate long-term impairment, and focuses on life after critical illness.



Improving long-term outcomes after discharge from intensive care unit: Report from a stakeholders' conference*
(Crit Care Med 2012; 40:502–509)

Dale M. Needham, MD, PhD; Judy Davidson, DNP, RN; Henry Cohen, PharmD; Ramona O. Hopkins, PhD;

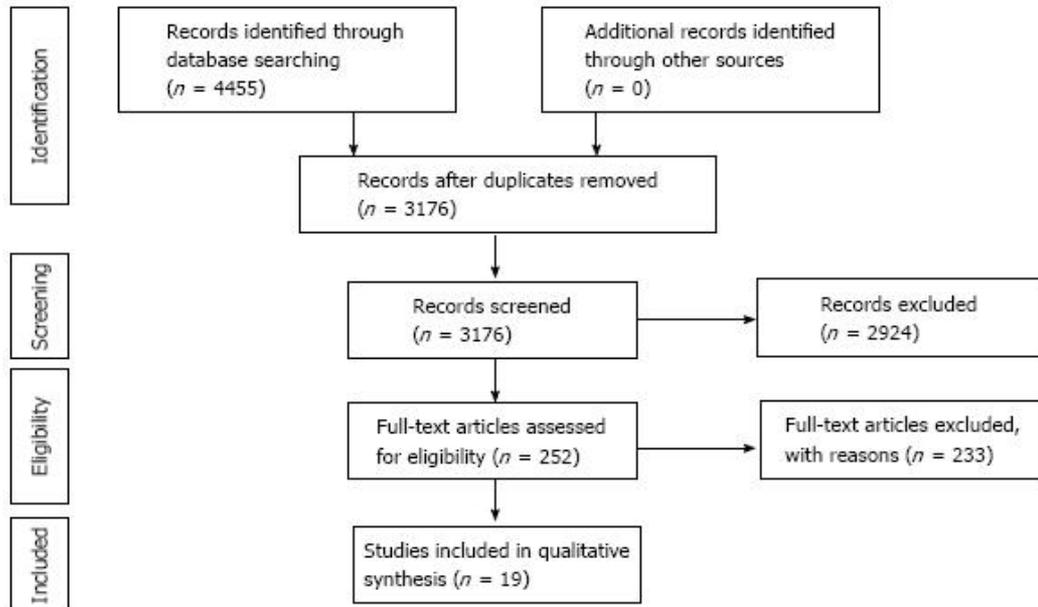


<http://www.sccm.org/Communications/Critical-Connections/Archives/Pages/Why-ICU-Clinicians-Need-to-Care-about-Post-Intensive-Care-Syndrome.aspx>

HOT OFF THE PRESS

Characteristics of postintensive care syndrome in survivors of pediatric critical illness: A systematic review

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“The synthesis revealed that, similar to adult ICU patients, a wide range of physical, neurocognitive and psychological morbidities occur in PICU patients after discharge.”

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New iCritical Care Podcast Discusses PICS and ICU Liberation

Former SCCM President Maurene A. Harvey discusses PICS and ABCDEF Bundle implementation in a recently released iCritical Care podcast.



New Educational Resources on Sedation Liberation and Patient Mobility Now Available

Gain strategies to effectively implement sedation liberation and promote patient mobility in the intensive care unit (ICU) with the Society of Critical Care Medicine's (SCCM) complete line of ICU Liberation resources.



Check Out Powerful Tedx Talk Centered on Early Mobility and Delirium

Check out this powerful Tedx talk by Margaret Arnold on early mobilization, delirium and ICU liberation.



MyICUCare.org and the THRIVE Initiative offer patient and family resources, including info on post-intensive care syndrome.



Learn more about Bundle Improvement Collaboratives across the United States.

ICU Liberation Model: ABCDEF Bundle



Assess, prevent & manage pain

- CPOT or BPS to assess pain, insure adequate pain control
- Use of regional anesthesia and nonopioid adjuncts
- Analgesia-based sedation techniques with fentanyl



Both SAT & SBT

- Daily linked SAT and SBT
- Multidisciplinary coordination of care
- Faster liberation from MV



Choice of sedation

- Targeted light sedation when sedation necessary
- Avoidance of benzodiazepines
- Dexmedetomidine if high delirium risk, cardiac surgery, MV weaning



Delirium monitoring & management

- Routine CAM-ICU or ICDSC assessments
- Nonpharmacologic intervention, including sleep hygiene
- Dexmedetomidine or antipsychotic if hyperactive symptoms



Early mobility & exercise

- Physical and occupational therapy assessment
- Coordinate activity with SAT or periods of no sedation
- Progress through range of motion, sitting, standing, walking, ADLs



Family engagement & empowerment

- Reorientation, provision of emotional and verbal support
- Cognitive stimulation, participation in mobilization
- Participation in multidisciplinary rounds



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Effectiveness and Safety of the Awakening and Breathing Coordination, Delirium Monitoring/Management, and Early Exercise/Mobility Bundle*

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“Critically ill patients managed with the Awakening and Breathing Coordination, Delirium monitoring/management, and Early exercise/mobility bundle spent three more days breathing without assistance, experienced less delirium, and were more likely to be mobilized during their ICU stay than patients treated with usual care” – Crit Care Med 2014

What about the kids?



**Choice
of
Sedation**

**Family
involvement**

**Spontaneous
breathing
trials**

Delirium

**Early
mobilization**

Challenges in caring for critically ill children

- Heterogeneity in ages and development
- Children unable to understand or communicate basis and need for interventions
 - Danger of inadvertently removing life-saving modalities (endotracheal tube, vascular access)
 - Fear and anxiety contribute to physiologic changes and stress

Creating a healing environment for children in the hospital: It just makes sense!

- Optimizing pain and sedation mgmt.
- Optimizing sleep
- Optimizing a child's ability to communicate
- Minimizing risk factors for delirium
- Early mobilization

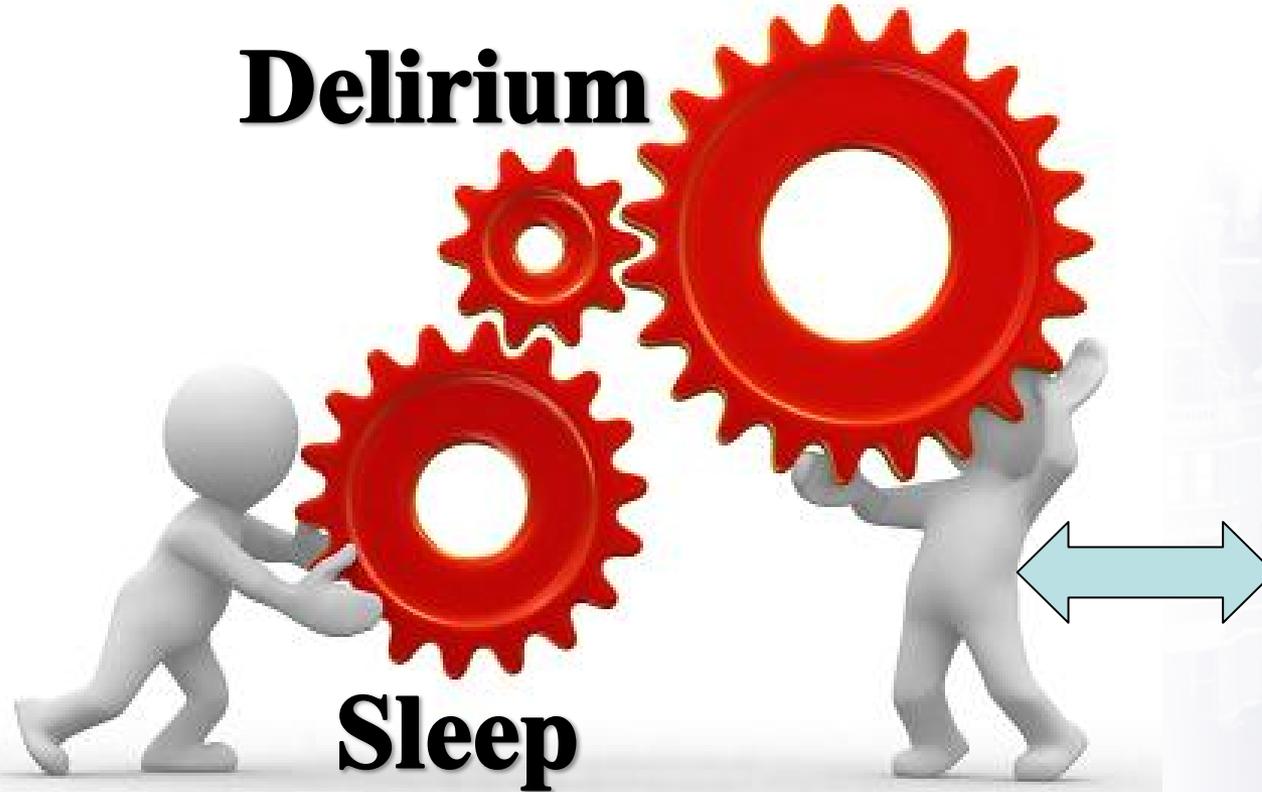


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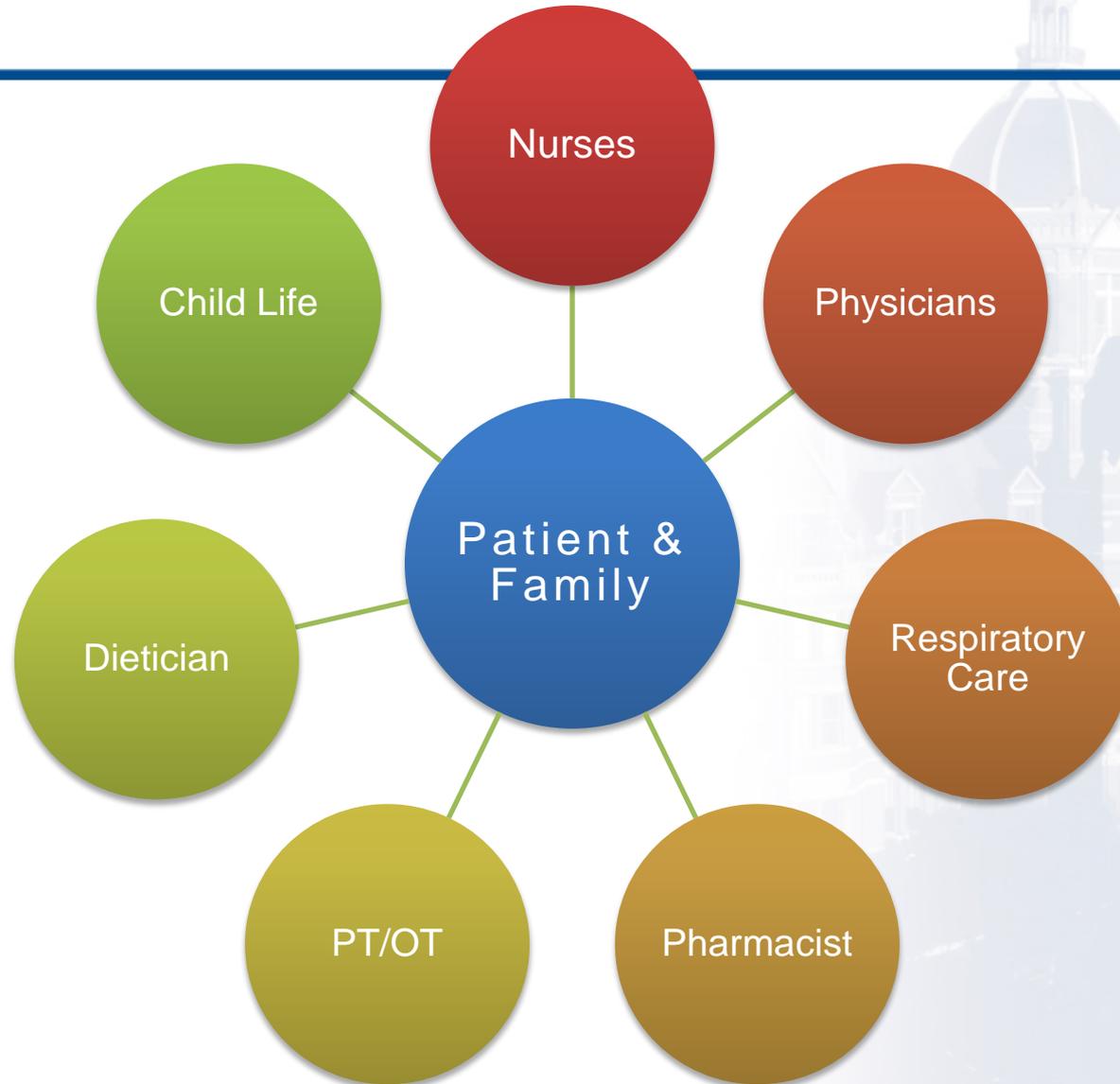
Reality: A complex interplay we can tackle

Sedation
Delirium



Early Mobilization

The Cost: Multiprofessional Collaboration to Promote Culture Change--It just makes sense!



Fall 2013: Our PICU Culture



- Mechanically ventilated children oversedated
- High prevalence of benzodiazepine use and escalation
- PT/OT consultation often ordered by medical team >4 days into PICU admission
- Restraints
- Not screening for, diagnosing or treating delirium
- Benzos, diphenhydramine and narcotic being used to improve sleep

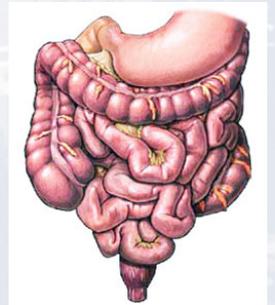
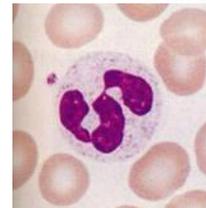
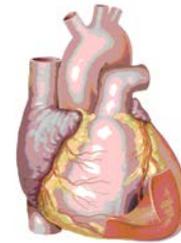
Goals



- Challenge the PICU paradigm that children must receive large doses of sedatives to tolerate PICU interventions
- Change the standard of care and confront an unmet and unrecognized need for sleep promotion
- Encourage hospital teams/staff to “buy in” to the risk factors for delirium and interventions to prevent it
- **TRANSITION FROM A CULTURE OF IMMOBILITY TO MOBILITY**

Why should we care about sleep in the hospital?

- Natural sleep is integral to physiologic homeostasis
 - Thermoregulation
 - Respiratory
 - Cardiovascular
 - Gastrointestinal
 - Immune defenses
 - Endocrine



Sleep and the Developing Brain

“Broadly speaking, it might be argued that the most fundamental requirements for healthy growth and development in young children include:

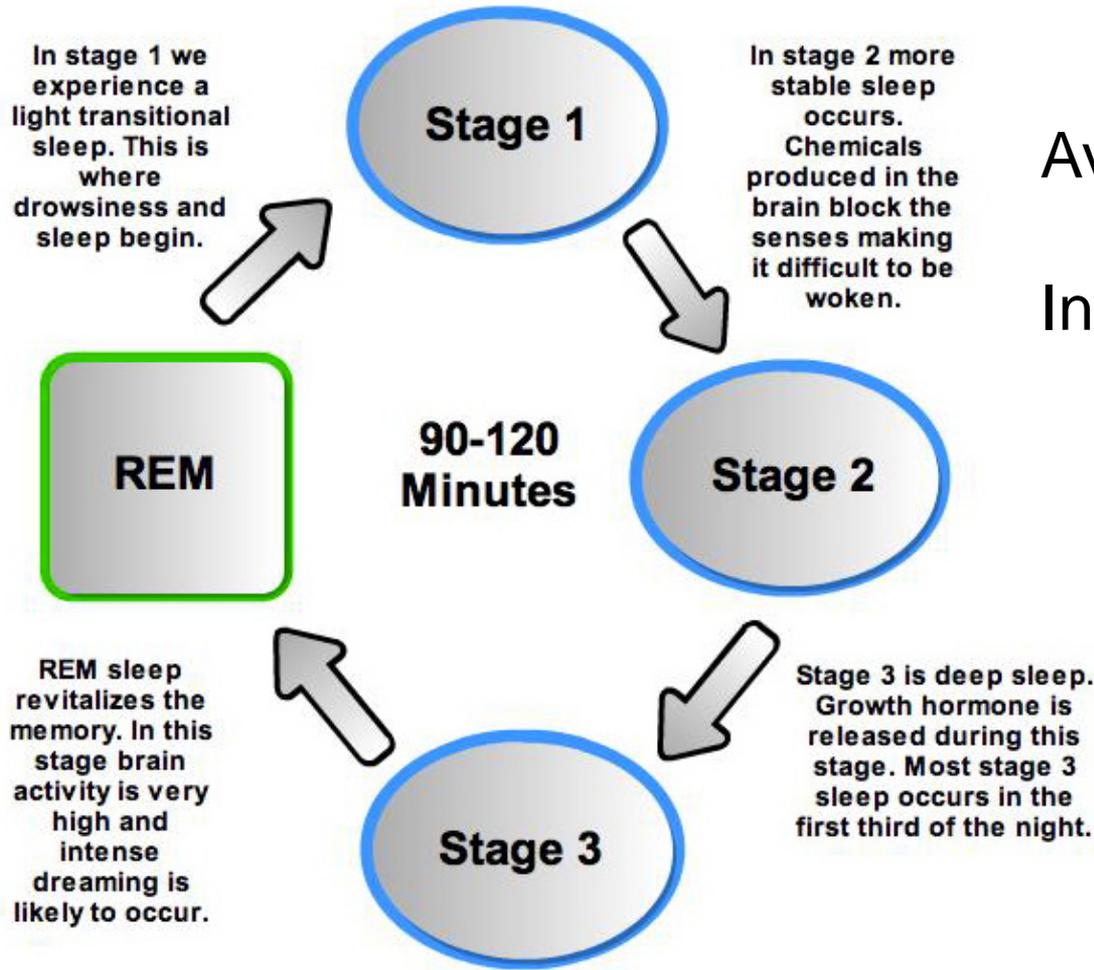
- a) Loving support and protection by parents/caretakers
- b) Adequate nutrition, and
- c) Adequate sleep”

-Ronald Dahl, *SLEEP* 2007

Are they sleeping?



Sleep Stages



Average adult: 25% REM

Infants: Up to 80% REM

Principle Concepts

Sleep is necessary for:

- Neurosensory development
 - Preservation of brain plasticity
 - Learning and long term memory
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- Evolution of sleep reflects the complex brain maturational process during infancy, childhood and adolescence



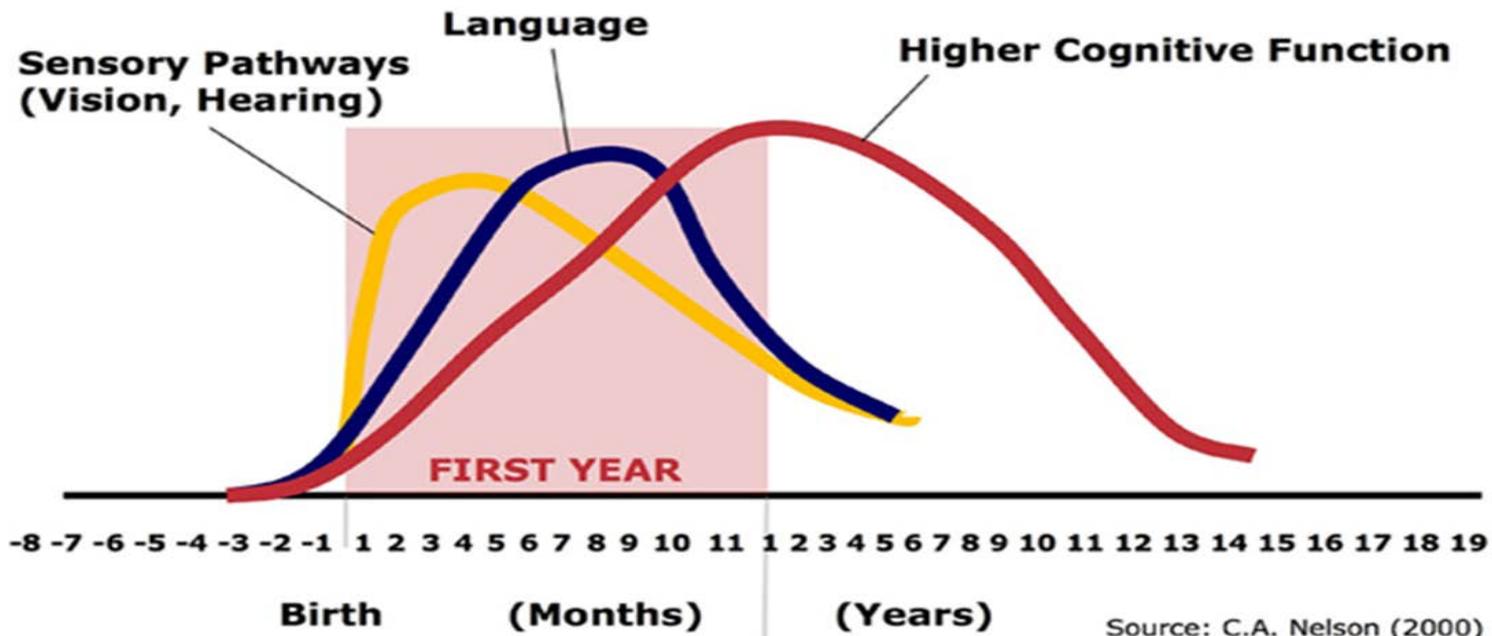
Sleep and the Developing Brain: Neurosensory, plasticity, long-term memory



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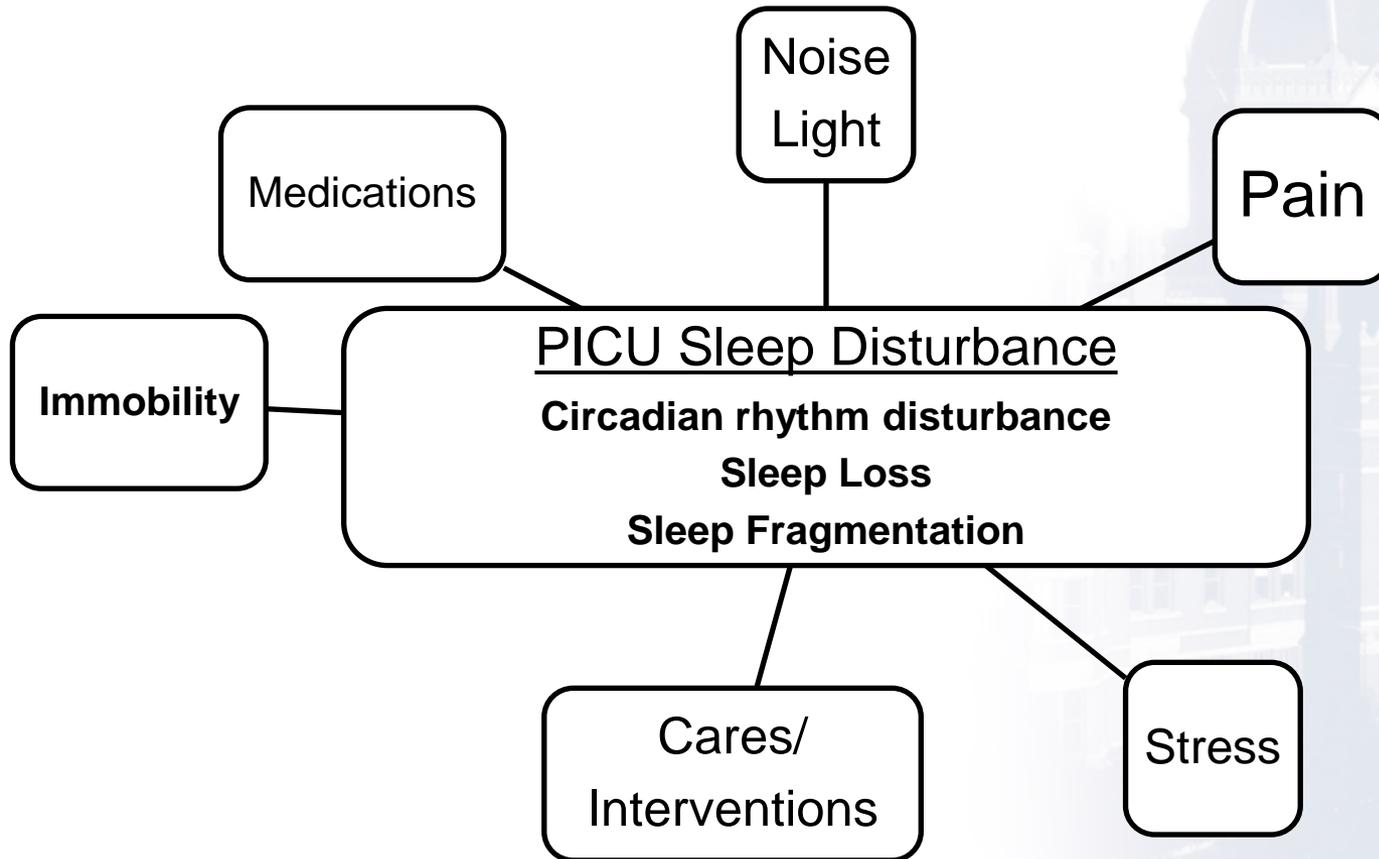
Human Brain Development

Neural Connections for Different Functions Develop Sequentially



Source: C.A. Nelson (2000)

Hospital Sleep Disturbances



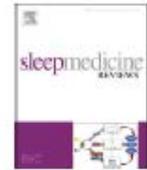
A vicious circle?



Hospital sleep is not a priority

Sleep of critically ill children in the pediatric intensive care unit:
A systematic review

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- Multitude of studies of sleep in the NICU
- Nine publications about sleep in the PICU
 - Four publications from same RCT
 - Two studies using subjective assessment (PSBOT)

Sedation, Sleep Promotion, and Delirium Screening Practices in the Care of Mechanically Ventilated Children: A Wake-Up Call for the Pediatric Critical Care Community

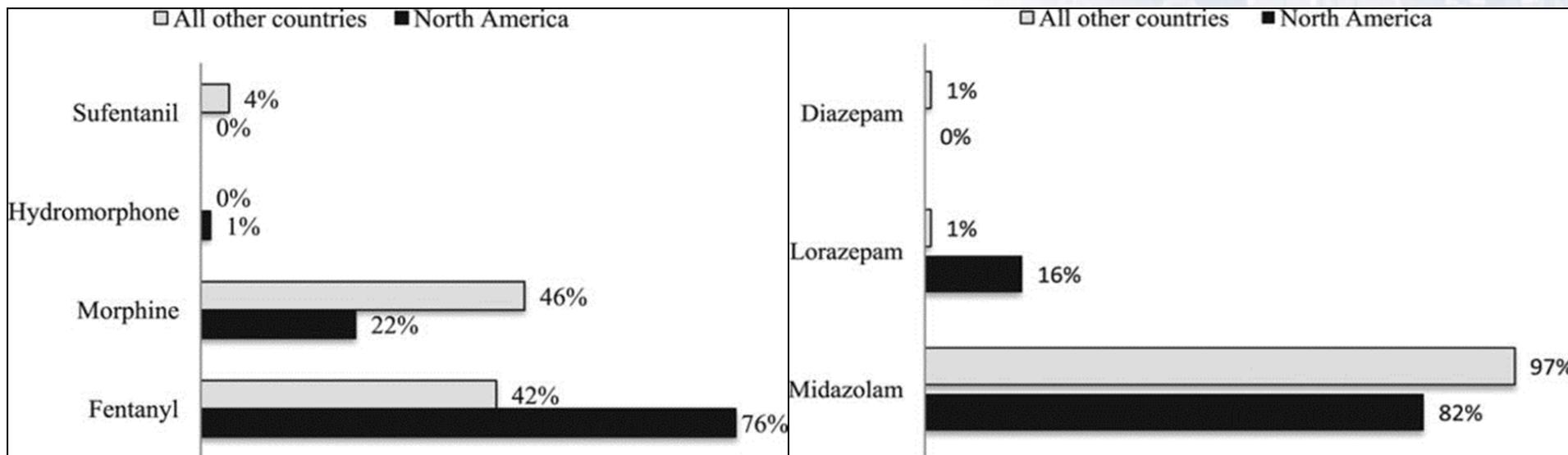
Sapna R. Kudchadkar, MD^{1,2}; Myron Yaster, MD^{1,2}; Naresh M. Punjabi, MD, PhD^{3,4}

- 341 pediatric intensivists
- <15% aware of efforts to optimize sleep of critically ill children in their unit including any of following:
 - Noise reduction
 - Lighting
 - Earplugs/eyemasks

Crit Care Med 2014.

Pediatric Intensive Care and Sleep: Is it a priority?

- >85% use a combination of benzodiazepine and opioid for sedation in mechanically ventilated children
- <10% use dexmedetomidine



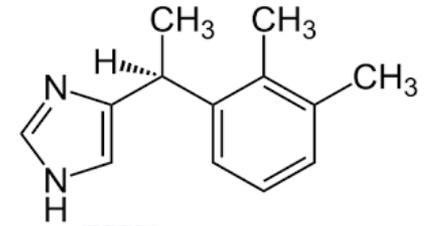
What's wrong with opioids and benzodiazepines?

Table 5. Common ICU Medications and Their Effect on Sleep

Medication	Effect on Sleep	Possible Mechanism
<i>Sedative/hypnotics</i>		
Benzodiazepines	↑TST, ↓SWS, ↓REM, ↓W	GABA (type A) receptor stimulation
Propofol	↑TST, ↓W, ↓SL	GABA (type A) receptor stimulation
Dexmedetomidine	↑SWS, ↓SL, ↓REM	Alpha ₂ -agonist
<i>Analgesics</i>		
Opioids	↑W, ↓TST, ↓SWS, ↓REM	Mu-receptor stimulation
NSAIDs	↓TST, ↓SE	Prostaglandin synthesis inhibition

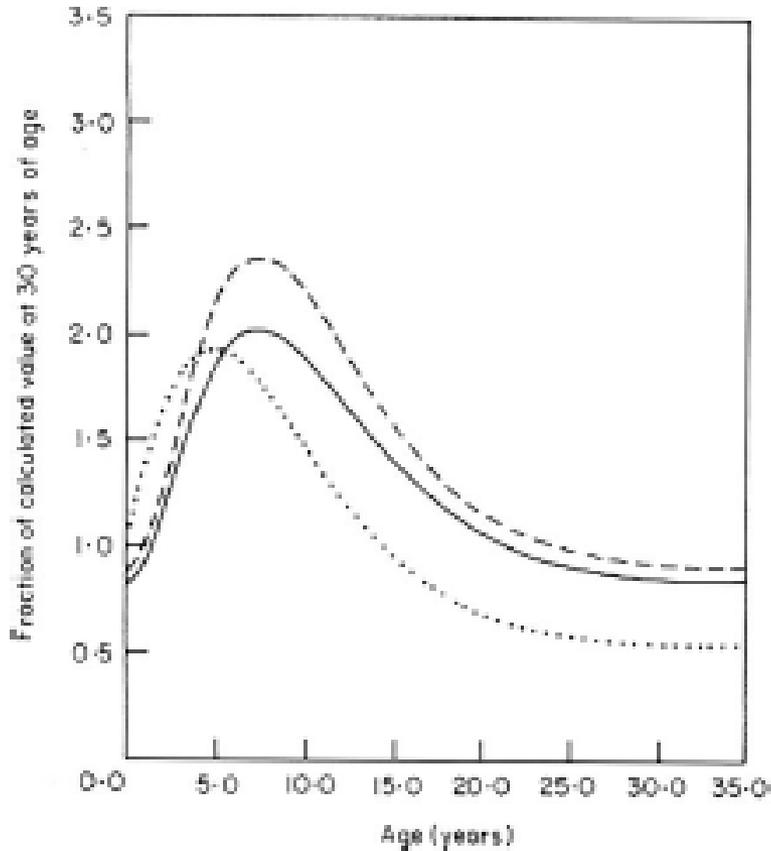
Benzodiazepines are the only independent risk factor for the development of delirium

Dexmedetomidine



- <10% of all respondents use dexmedetomidine as a primary agent
- Dexmedetomidine most closely induces an EEG pattern consistent with natural sleep

Synaptic density, CMRO₂ and delta wave amplitude: parallels



Gamma distribution model of growth in childhood and decline in adolescence

..... synaptic density

---- delta wave amplitude

___ cerebral metabolic rate

Changes in delta power are a reflection of synaptic pruning, brain maturation and reorganization

Temporal Characteristics of the Sleep EEG Power Spectrum in Critically Ill Children

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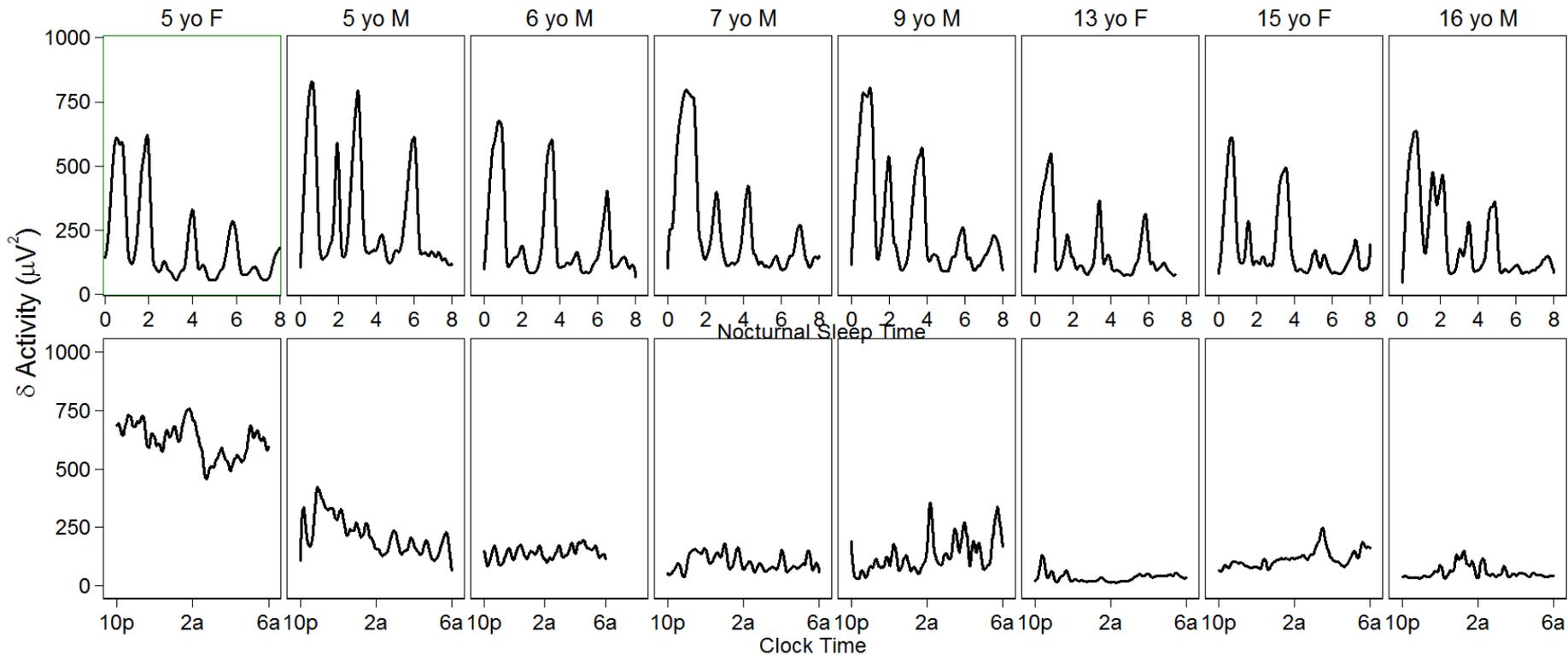
- 8 subjects from Pediatric ICU at Johns Hopkins
- All healthy, developmentally appropriate children prior to admission to hospital
- All receiving opioid and benzodiazepine for sedation during mechanical ventilation due to primary respiratory failure

Delta Activity

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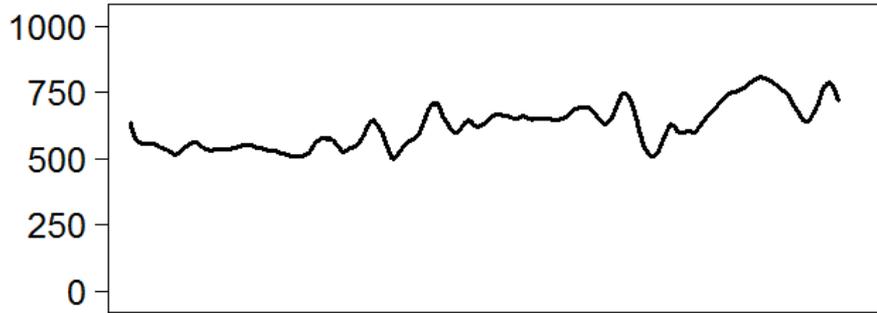
Nocturnal δ Activity Healthy children vs. PICU patients



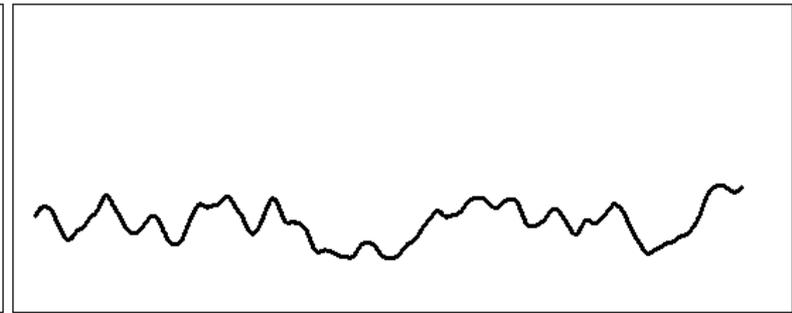
Graphs by age and gender-matched pair

δ Activity over 24 hrs

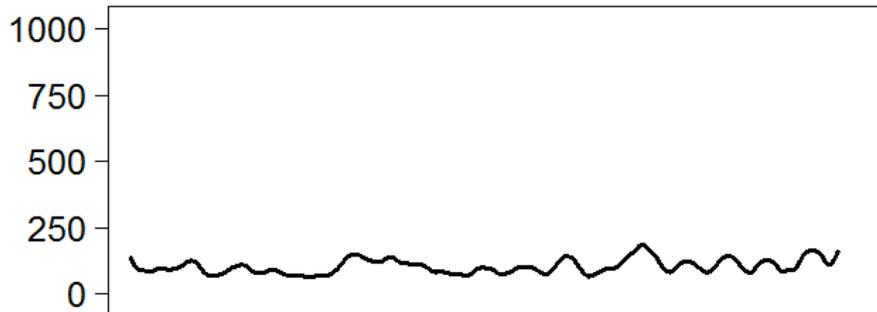
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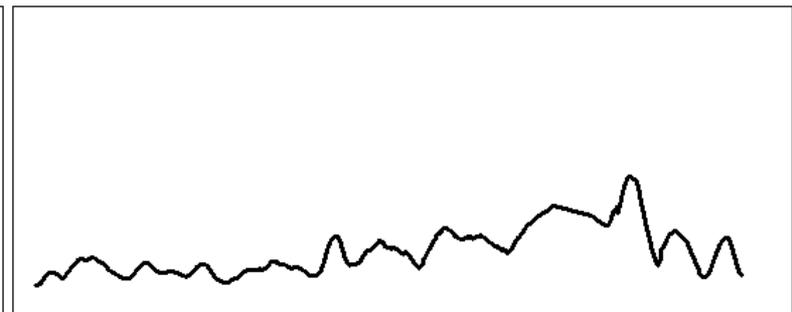
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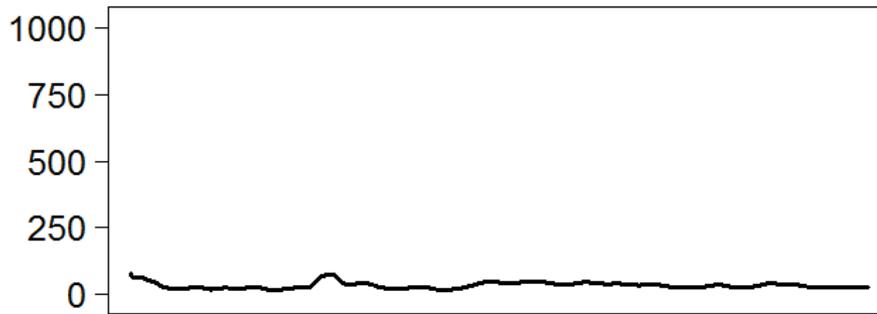
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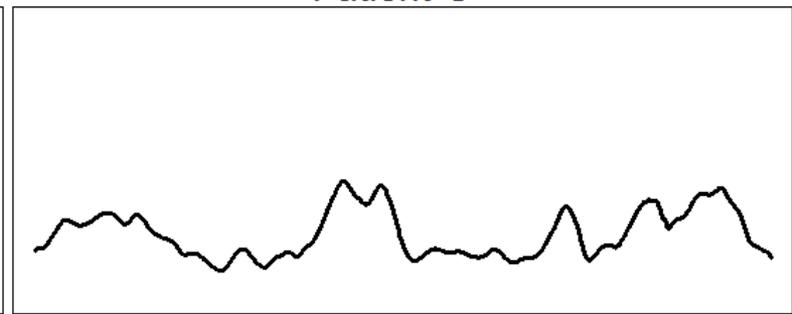
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Patient F



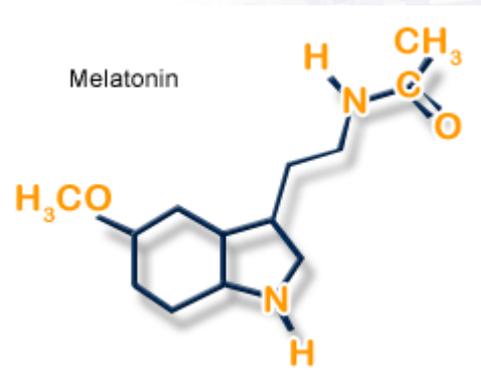
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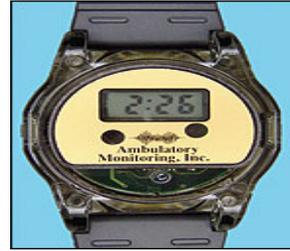
Clock time

Critical illness and the Circadian Rhythm: Melatonin

- Produced by the pineal gland
- Under control of circadian pacemaker of suprachiasmatic nuclei
- Peaks at 2 a.m., decreases to daylight levels by 8 a.m.
- Nocturnal melatonin suppression noted in ICU and post-operative patients



Ongoing work



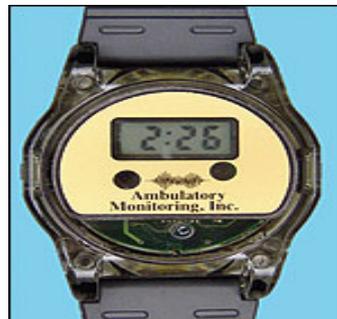
- What is the longitudinal evolution of sleep-wake patterns in children in the PICU and during recovery from critical illness?



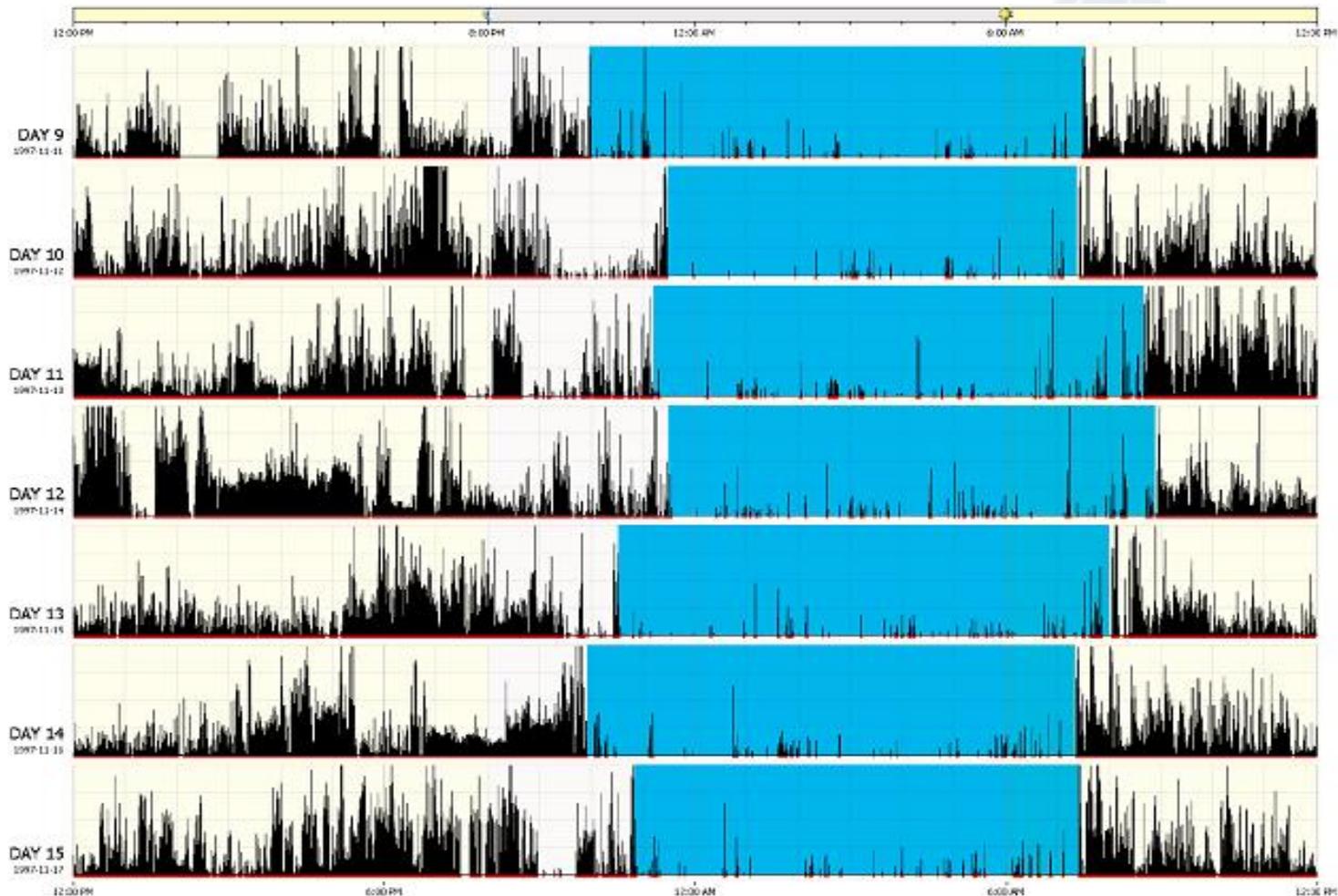
SLEEP-WAKE CYCLES OF CRITICALLY ILL CHILDREN IN THE PEDIATRIC INTENSIVE CARE UNIT AFTER MAJOR SURGERY: AN ACTIGRAPHIC ANALYSIS

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- Prospective, observational study
 - All children 0-18 s/p major surgery admitted to the PICU
- Actigraphy initiated POD #1 and discontinued at hospital discharge

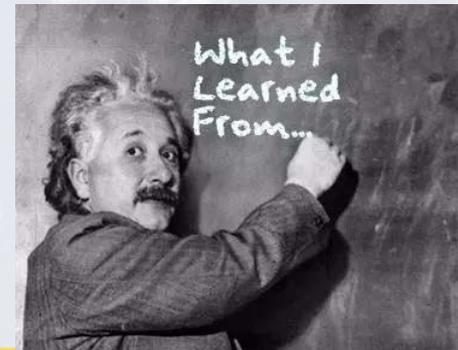


Actigraphy plot demonstrates normal sleep-wake cycles



What we've learned

- Evolution of sleep is a marker of brain development in childhood
- Sleep is severely fragmented in children admitted to the hospital
- Sleep disturbances during infancy and childhood may have negative effects on neurocognitive outcomes

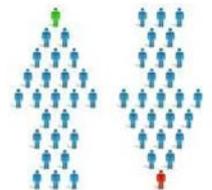


Sleep: On the causal pathway for delirium?

Incidence in the Adult ICU

- 60%-80% of mechanically ventilated patients
- 50%-70% of non-ventilated patients
- Hypoactive delirium = 44%
- Hyperactive delirium = 2%
- Mixed delirium = 54%

(Girard, 2008)



Outcomes



- 3 fold increase in 6-month mortality
 - 1 in 3 delirium survivors develop permanent cognitive impairment

Associated with.....

- New nursing home placement
 - Increased length of stay > 8.0 days
 - Increased mortality
 - Increased number of days on the ventilator

Insight from half a century ago...



‘The problem of delirium is far from an academic one. Not only does the presence of delirium often complicate and render more difficult the treatment of a serious illness, but also it carries the serious possibility of permanent irreversible brain damage’

-Engel & Romano, 1959

Why should we focus on sleep promotion and sedation optimization to prevent delirium?

- Low cost, non-invasive, and low risk: **CULTURE CHANGE** and **INTERDISCIPLINARY COLLABORATION**
- Lack of proven prophylactic agents to reduce delirium
- It just makes sense— especially for the developing brain!



What do we know about the interaction between sleep and delirium?

- Definitive relationship has not been established...but...
- Sleep disturbance can independently cause all features of delirium
- Metabolic waste is primarily removed from CNS during sleep (“glymphatic system”)
- Loss of rapid-eye movement sleep is associated with delirium
- Sleep-deprived patients are more likely to develop delirium than those who are not sleep-deprived

What do we know about the interaction between sleep and delirium?

The Impact of Interventions to Improve Sleep on Delirium in the ICU: A Systematic Review and Research Framework*

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Conclusions: Although sleep interventions seem to be a promising approach for improving delirium-related outcomes, studies are limited by bias issues, varying methodologies, and multiple confounders, making the evidence base for this conclusion limited at best. Future studies would benefit from a systematic approach to studying the link between sleep intervention and delirium-related outcomes, which is outlined in the context of reviewing the existing literature. (*Crit Care Med* 2016; 44:2231–2240)

- 10 studies included
- 6 demonstrated significant reduction in delirium incidence
- Most studies used subjective tools

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Sleep promotion interventions (bundled)

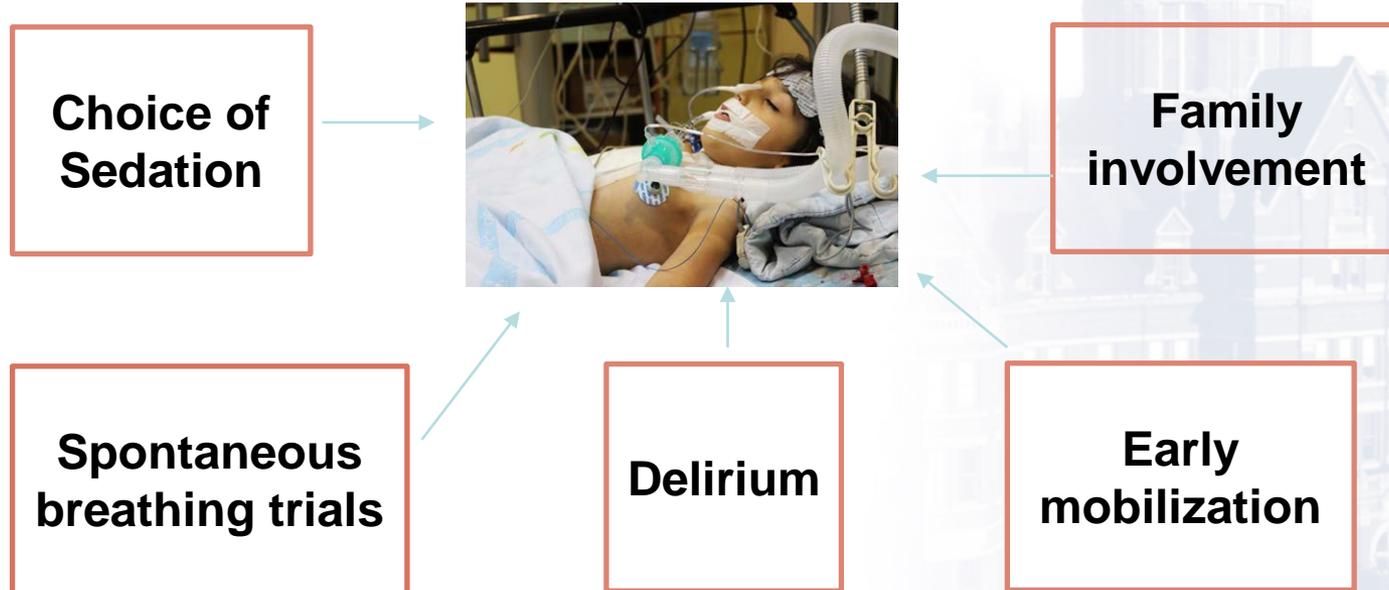
1. Minimize nighttime interventions
2. Noise reduction
3. Earplugs
4. Soothing music
5. Dim lights
6. Eye masks
7. Increased light exposure during daytime
8. Artificial light during daytime
9. Avoidance of deliriogenic meds
10. Minimize napping
11. Pharmacologic therapy (zolpidem, melatonin, antipsychotic)

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What about the kids?



State of delirium screening in PICUs internationally: 2013

- **Only 2% of respondents reported delirium screening is performed for all mechanically ventilated patients once per shift**
- When asked which tools were being used for delirium, several listed withdrawal scales
 - Sophia Observation Scale
 - Withdrawal Assessment Tool-1 (WAT-1)

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Sedation, Sleep Promotion, and Delirium Screening Practices in the Care of Mechanically Ventilated Children: A Wake-Up Call for the Pediatric Critical Care Community

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But why? We have our own tools!

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Cornell Assessment of Pediatric Delirium: A Valid, Rapid, Observational Tool for Screening Delirium in the PICU*

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RASS Score ____ (if -4 or -5 do not proceed)

Please answer the following questions based on your interactions with the patient over the course of your shift:

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Always	Score
	4	3	2	1	0	
1. Does the child make eye contact with the caregiver?						
2. Are the child's actions purposeful?						
3. Is the child aware of his/her surroundings?						
4. Does the child communicate needs and wants?						
	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	Always	
	0	1	2	3	4	
5. Is the child restless?						
6. Is the child inconsolable?						
7. Is the child underactive—very little movement while awake?						
8. Does it take the child a long time to respond to interactions?						
						TOTAL

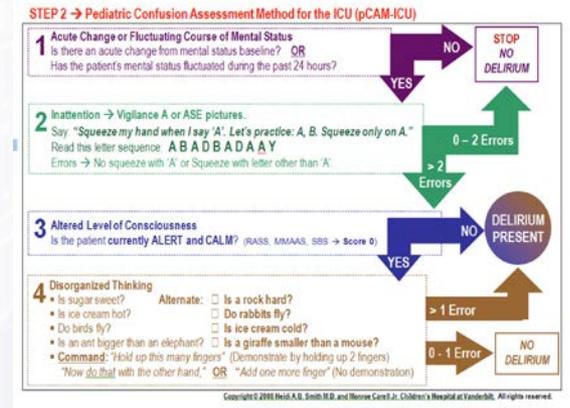
Figure 1. Cornell Assessment of Pediatric Delirium revised. RASS = Richmond Agitation and Sedation Scale.

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Diagnosing delirium in critically ill children: Validity and reliability of the Pediatric Confusion Assessment Method for the Intensive Care Unit*

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The Preschool Confusion Assessment Method for the ICU: Valid and Reliable Delirium Monitoring for Critically Ill Infants and Children*

Identifying Barriers to Delirium Screening and Prevention in the Pediatric ICU: Evaluation of PICU Staff Knowledge¹



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Identifying Barriers to Delirium Screening and Prevention

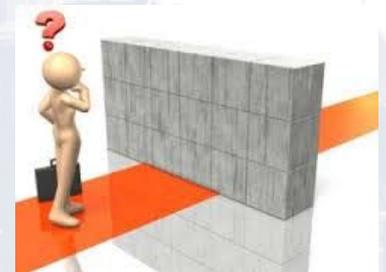
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Table 1 Survey answers

Survey item	Correct	Incorrect
1. Fluctuation between orientation and disorientation is not typical of delirium (FALSE)	96 (91.4%)	9 (8.5%)
2. Poor nutrition increases the risk of delirium (TRUE)	102 (97.1%)	3 (2.9%)
3. The GCS score is the best way to diagnose delirium in critically ill children (FALSE)	93 (88.6%)	12 (11.4%)
4. Hearing or vision impairment increases the risk of delirium (TRUE)	86 (81.9%)	19 (18.1%)
5. Delirium in children always manifests as a hyperactive, confused state (FALSE)	103 (98.1%)	2 (1.9%)
6. Benzodiazepines can be helpful in the treatment of delirium (FALSE)	65 (61.9%)	40 (38.1%)
7. Behavioral changes in the course of the day are typical of delirium (TRUE)	96 (91.4%)	8 (7.6%)
8. Patients with delirium will often experience perceptual disturbances (TRUE)	98 (93.3%)	6 (5.7%)
9. Altered sleep/wake cycle may be a symptom of delirium (TRUE)	104 (99%)	0
10. Symptoms of depression may mimic delirium (TRUE)	87 (82.9%)	17 (16.1%)
11. The greater the number of medications a patient is taking, the greater their risk of delirium (TRUE)	86 (81.9%)	18 (17.1%)
12. Delirium usually lasts several hours (FALSE)	59 (56.2%)	45 (42.8%)
13. A urinary catheter in situ reduces the risk of delirium (FALSE)	90 (85.7%)	14 (13.3%)
14. Gender has no effect on the development of delirium (FALSE)	37 (35.2%)	67 (63.8%)
15. Dehydration can be a risk factor for delirium (TRUE)	104 (99%)	0
16. Children generally do not remember being delirious (FALSE)	39 (37.1%)	65 (61.9%)
17. A family history of dementia predisposes a patient to delirium (FALSE)	72 (68.6%)	32 (30.4%)

Barriers to diagnosis

- Pathophysiology
 - Confusion with agitation, withdrawal, pain
- Absence of screening
- Tolerance of hypoactive state
- Sedation and pain management
 - Protocols? Consistent language?
- Focus on other organ systems
- Busy work flow
- If screening is positive— what's the next step?

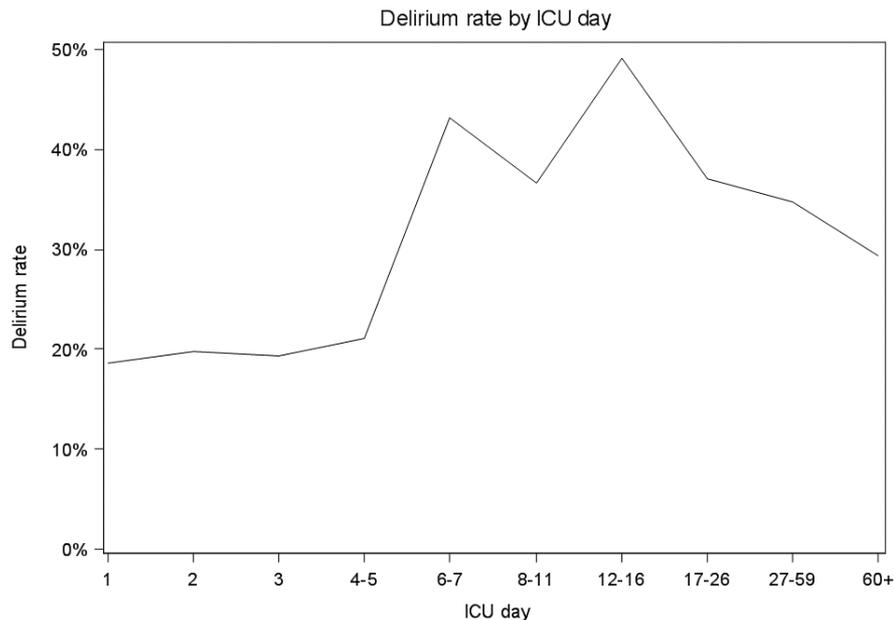


Why should we *consistently* screen for delirium?

- Not just to diagnose delirium and treat it!
- “A positive delirium screen after several negative screens is a warning sign for impending badness” - Wes Ely, MD

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Delirium in Critically Ill Children: An International Point Prevalence Study*



25% Delirium Prevalence

N=835, Traube et al, Crit Care Med 2017

Variable	Odds ratio (95% CI)
Age > 2 years	0.7 (0.5, 1.0)
Physical restraints	4.0 (2.0, 7.7)
Mechanical ventilation	1.7 (1.1, 2.7)
Narcotics	2.3 (1.5, 3.5)
Benzodiazepines	2.2 (1.5, 3.3)
Antiepileptics	2.9 (1.8, 4.8)
General anesthesia	0.4 (0.3, 0.8)
Vasopressors	2.4 (1.5, 3.8)

Delirium and Benzodiazepines Associated With Prolonged ICU Stay in Critically Ill Infants and Young Children*

TABLE 3. Risk Factors for Delirium Duration^a

Risk Factors	Comparison	Incidence Rate Ratio (95% CI)	p
Age at enrollment (mo) ^b	37 vs 11	0.51 (0.35–0.76)	0.005
Cyanotic heart disease	Yes vs no	1.23 (0.72–2.10)	0.477
Pediatric Risk of Mortality score at enrollment ^b	10 vs 0	2.25 (1.28–3.94)	0.007
Sepsis or related condition at ICU admission	Yes vs no	1.05 (0.69–1.59)	0.823
Benzodiazepines (mg/kg/d) ^{b,c}	0.73 vs 0	2.47 (1.36–4.49)	0.005
Opioids (µg/kg/d) ^c	3.3 vs 0	0.70 (0.33–1.48)	0.410
Cardiovascular Sequential Organ Failure Assessment score	1 vs 0	0.96 (0.79–1.17)	0.691
Mechanical ventilation	Yes vs no	0.66 (0.37–1.16)	0.135
Lowest O ₂ saturations	95 vs 87	1.03 (0.67–1.59)	0.516

Conclusions: Delirium is associated with a lower likelihood of ICU discharge in preschool-aged children. Benzodiazepine exposure is associated with the development and longer duration of delirium, and lower likelihood of ICU discharge. These findings

Noise pollution in the PICU: Can we make a difference?



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Quality Improvement Initiative to Reduce Pediatric Intensive Care Unit Noise Pollution With the Use of a Pediatric Delirium Bundle

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Table 4. Effect of the Evening Bundle to Eliminate Delirium on Pediatric Intensive Unit Noise Levels.^a

Occupied Rooms at Nighttime	Pilot Room (A), n = 210	Pilot Compliant Rooms (B), n = 162	Pilot Noncompliant Rooms (C), n = 48	Nonpilot Rooms (D), n = 1841	P Values		
					(A) vs (D)	(B) vs (C)	(C) vs (D)
Hourly minimum	39.5 (37.5-55.0)	39.0 (37.0-55.0)	54.8 (46.8-58.0)	48.0 (39.0-51.7)	.03	<.01	<.01
Hourly average	45.3 (39.7-55.9)	44.1 (38.5-55.5)	56.9 (50.4-58.0)	51.2 (46.9-54.8)	<.01	<.01	<.01
Hourly maximum	64.0 (59.5-67.5)	63.0 (59.0-66.5)	67.0 (61.5-76.5)	63.0 (59.0-67.0)	.24	<.01	<.01

^aMedian decibels (interquartile range).

Where do we go from here?



Goals



- Challenge the PICU paradigm that children must receive large doses of sedatives to tolerate PICU interventions
- Change the standard of care and confront an unmet and unrecognized need for sleep promotion
- Encourage hospital teams/staff to “buy in” to the risk factors for delirium and interventions to prevent it

Creating a healing environment for children in the hospital

- Optimizing pain and sedation mgmt.
- Optimizing sleep
- Optimizing a child's ability to communicate
- Minimizing risk factors for delirium
- **Early mobilization**



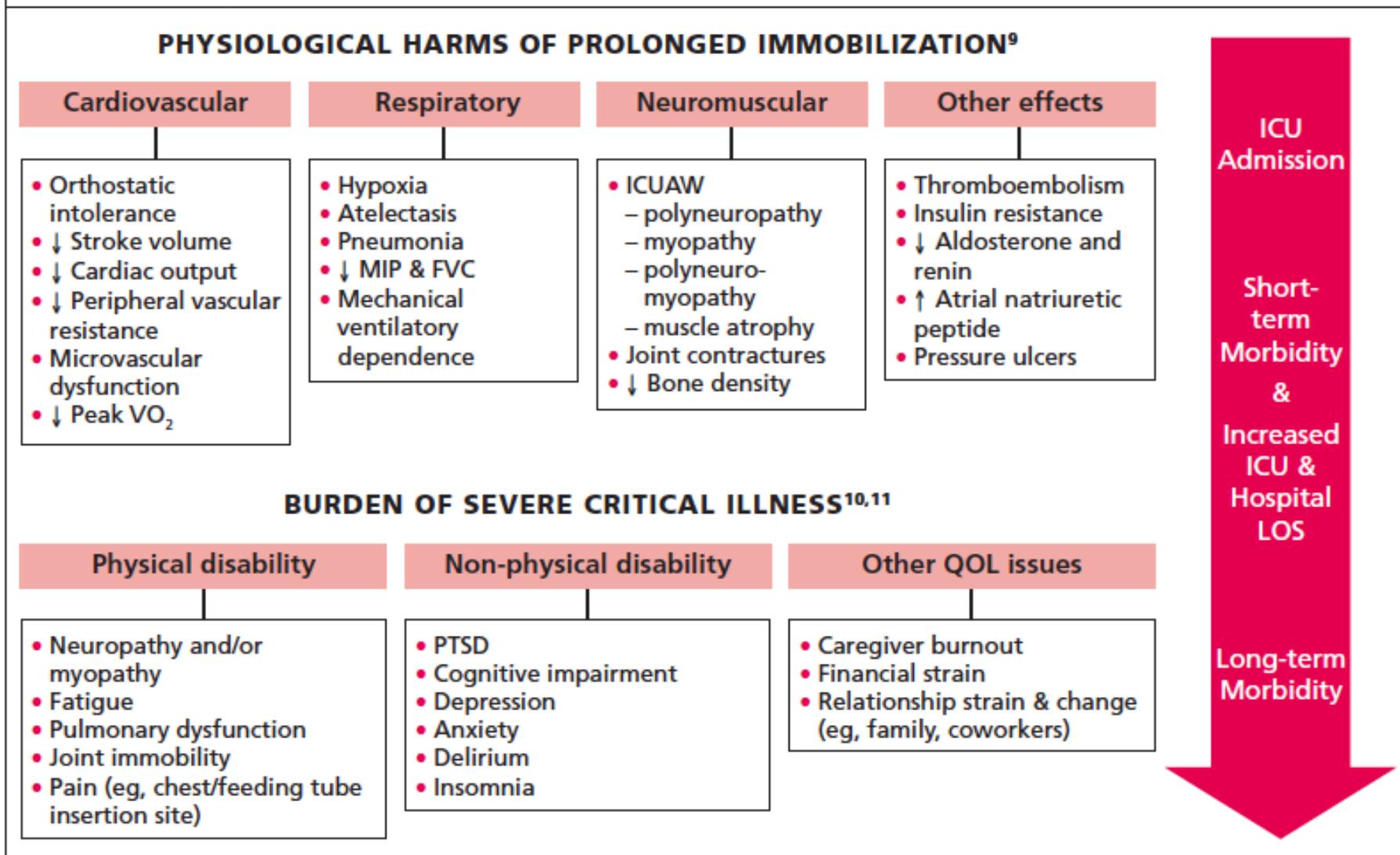
Benefits of mobility



- Blood sugar homeostatsis
- Cardiovascular function
- Pulmonary function
- Decreases chronic inflammation
- Hormonal regulation
- Musculoskeletal & neuromuscular integrity
- Sleep/wake pattern
- Cognition
- Decreases depression

Consequences of IMMOBILITY

Figure 1: Physiological sequelae of immobilization and the burden of severe critical illness.

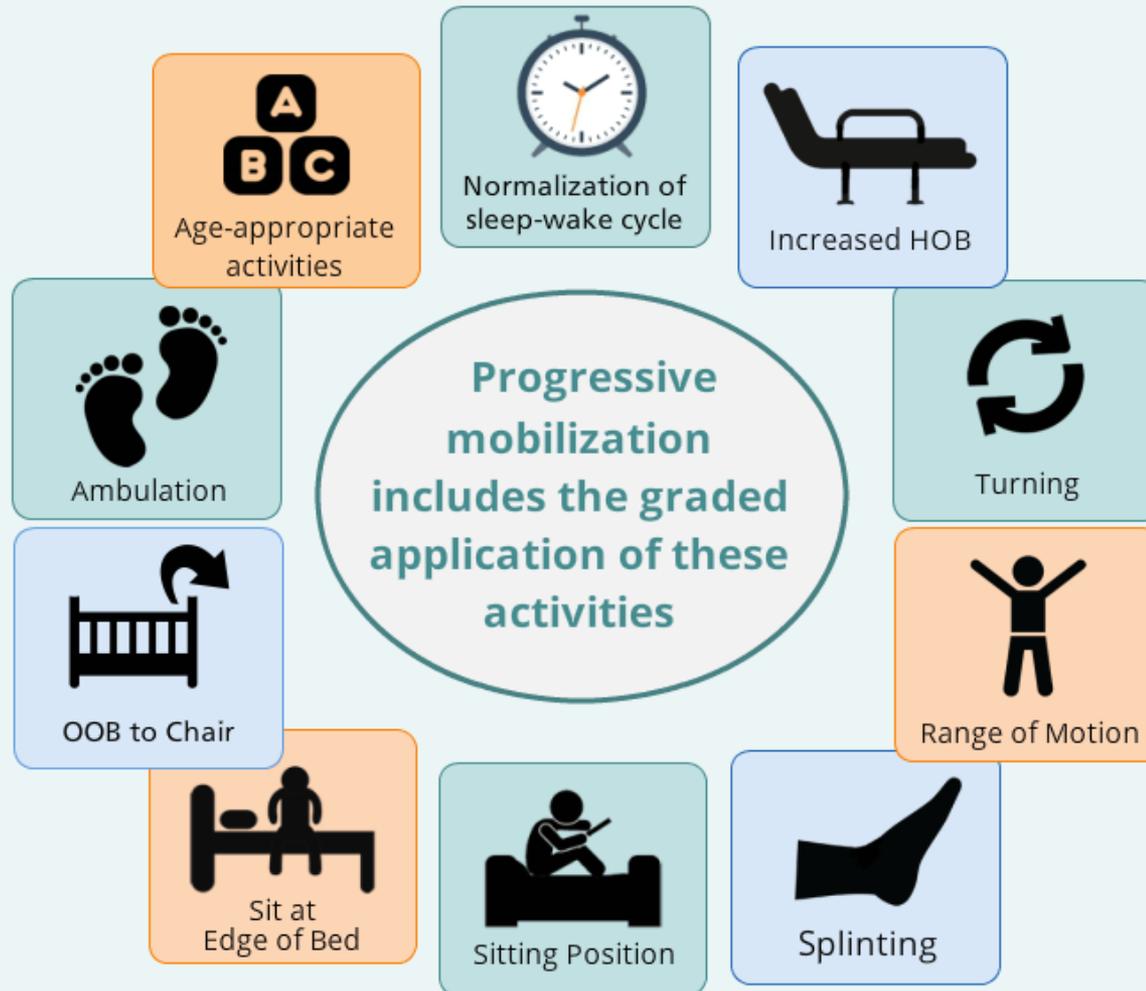


What is Early Mobilization?

Two-step Process

Activities

Activities of Progressive Mobilization



ICU Liberation Model: ABCDEF Bundle

A

Assess, prevent & manage pain

- CPOT or BPS to assess pain, insure adequate pain control
- Use of regional anesthesia and nonopioid adjuncts
- Analgesia-based sedation techniques with fentanyl

B

Both SAT & SBT

- Daily linked SAT and SBT
- Multidisciplinary coordination of care
- Faster liberation from MV

C

Choice of sedation

- Targeted light sedation when sedation necessary
- Avoidance of benzodiazepines
- Dexmedetomidine if high delirium risk, cardiac surgery, MV weaning

D

Delirium monitoring & management

- Routine CAM-ICU or ICDSC assessments
- Nonpharmacologic intervention, including sleep hygiene
- Dexmedetomidine or antipsychotic if hyperactive symptoms

E

Early mobility & exercise

- Physical and occupational therapy assessment
- Coordinate activity with SAT or periods of no sedation
- Progress through range of motion, sitting, standing, walking, ADLs

F

Family engagement & empowerment

- Reorientation, provision of emotional and verbal support
- Cognitive stimulation, participation in mobilization
- Participation in multidisciplinary rounds





Effectiveness and Safety of the Awakening and Breathing Coordination, Delirium Monitoring/Management, and Early Exercise/Mobility Bundle*

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“Critically ill patients managed with the Awakening and Breathing Coordination, Delirium monitoring/management, and Early exercise/mobility bundle spent three more days breathing without assistance, experienced less delirium, and were more likely to be mobilized during their ICU stay than patients treated with usual care” – Crit Care Med 2014

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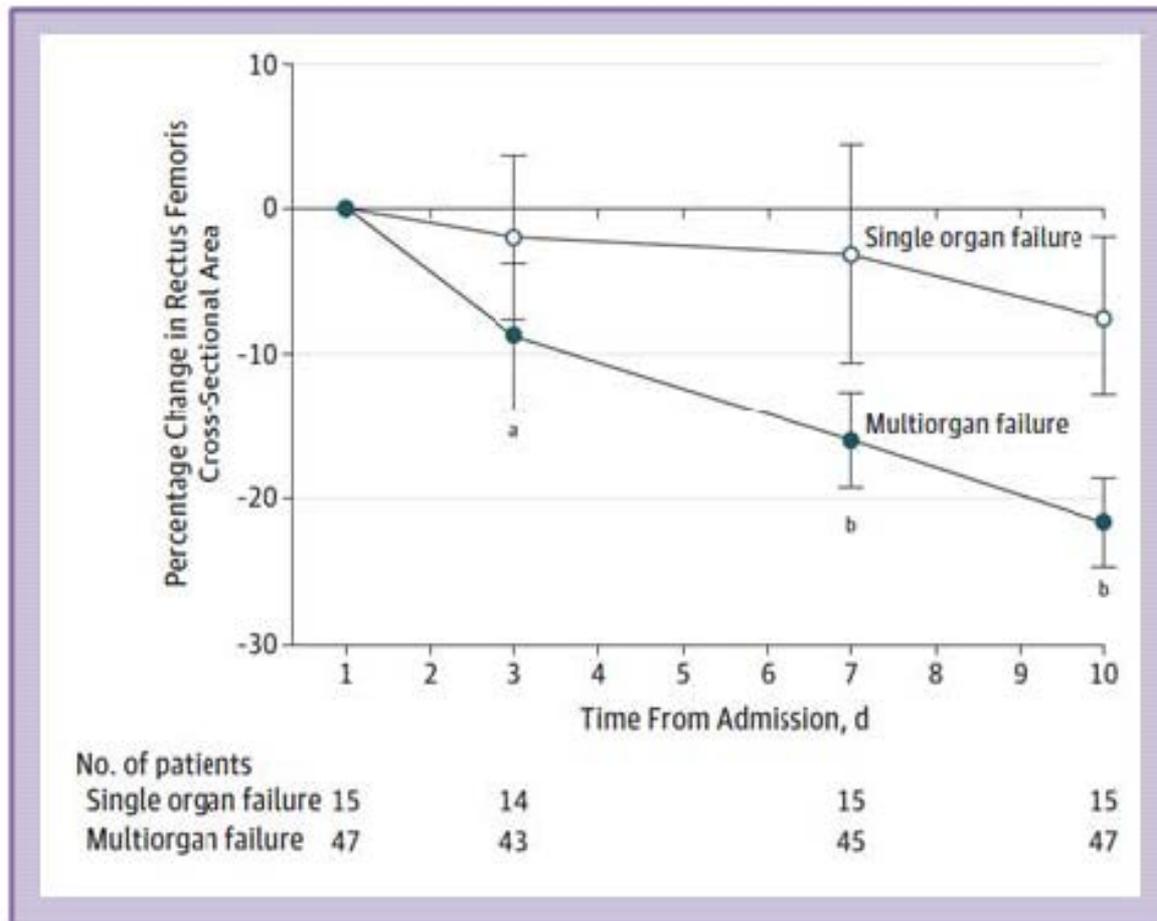
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Weak patients have worse outcomes

- Increased duration of mechanical ventilation
 - Time of ventilation increases by 1-3 weeks
 - Most significant predictor of prolonged MV
- Longer ICU and hospital stay
- More likely to need re-intubation
- Less likely to go home at hospital discharge
- More likely to die in the hospital
- Experience delays in rehabilitation
 - Take longer to regain strength, walk, work
- Prolonged impairment in HRQOL and physical function

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Muscle wasting occurs quickly in the ICU

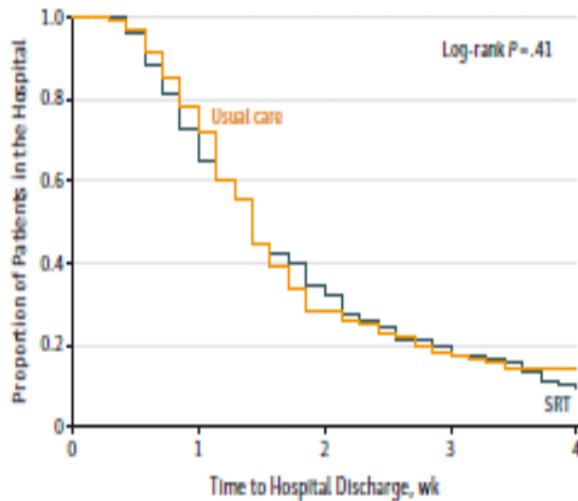


Standardized Rehabilitation and Hospital Length of Stay Among Patients With Acute Respiratory Failure A Randomized Clinical Trial



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Figure 2. Length of Stay for Patients With Acute Respiratory Failure Receiving SRT vs Usual Care



No. at risk					
SRT	150	102	44	22	10
Usual care	150	107	34	18	14

SRT indicates standardized rehabilitation therapy. Time zero indicates time of randomization.

- Standardized rehabilitation therapy did not decrease hospital length of stay among patients with acute respiratory failure
- Limitation: No sedation protocol—patients were unarousable on 15% of ventilator days.

Point Prevalence Study of Mobilization Practices for Acute Respiratory Failure Patients in the United States

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ARDS Network point prevalence study

- Population
 - Patients with acute or resolving respiratory failure
 - In ICU on January 15th or February 4th, 2014
 - 17 academic and community ARDS Network hospitals
- Data Collection:
 - In-person of all mobility events during the day
 - by PT/OT or RN, including passive and active mobility
 - Chart abstraction
 - Mobility events over 24 hours
 - Severity of illness
 - Level of sedation

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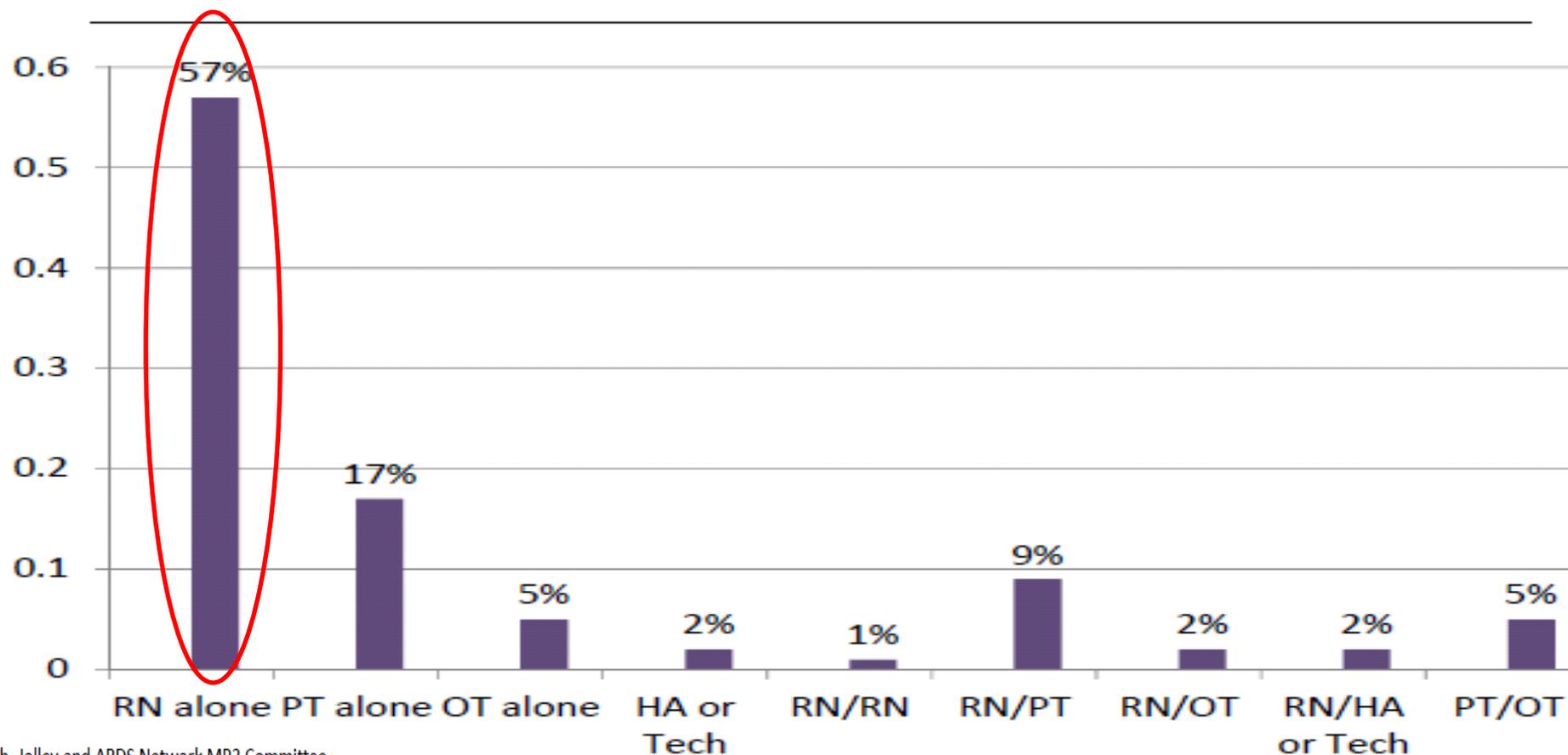


- 32% of patient-days with any therapist-provided mobility intervention
- 16% of patient days with out-of-bed mobility
- 4% of patient days with ambulation
- Predictor of mobility progression: PT/OT involvement
- Negative predictors: ETT, delirium

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Most activity events performed by a solo RN



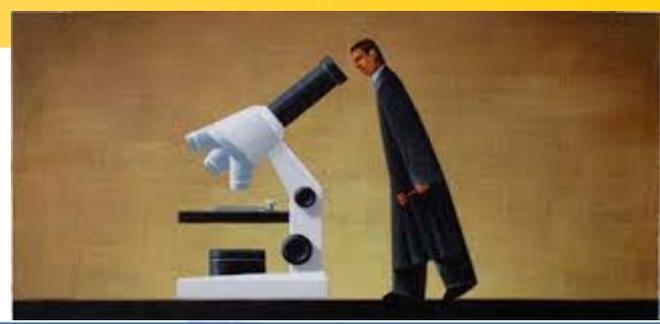
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Conclusions: In a cohort of hospitals caring for acute respiratory failure patients, physical therapy/occupational therapy–provided mobility was infrequent. Physical therapy/occupational therapy involvement in mobility was strongly predictive of achieving greater mobility levels in patients with respiratory failure. Mechanical ventilation via an endotracheal tube and delirium are important predictors of mobility progression. (*Crit Care Med* 2016; XX:00–00)

Retrospectroscope



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Conclusions: The results highlight the heterogeneity in sedation practices among intensivists who care for critically ill children as well as a paucity of sleep promotion and delirium screening in PICUs worldwide. (*Crit Care Med* 2014; 42:1592–1600)

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Pediatric Literature review

Early Mobilization in the Pediatric Intensive Care Unit: A Systematic Review

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- Methods
 - All prospective and retrospective studies investigating early mobilization in the PICU
 - PubMed, CINAHL, Embase, no limiters
 - 1928 abstracts reviewed by 2 independent reviewers
 - 168 articles identified for full-text review
 - 59 included for data extraction with double data entry
 - 6 included in review

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Included Studies

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- Melchers et al 1999: 30 severe TBI
- Jacobs et al 2001: 133 LTRs
- Andelic et al 2012: 61 severe TBI
- Abdulsatar et al 2013: 8 Wii boxing
- Hollander et al 2014: 14 VADS
- Schweitz & Van Aswegan 2013: Pectus

State of Practice



- Choong et al. (PCCM 2014 & CCM 2013)
 - Reported the therapy practices in Canadian PICUs
 - Retrospective
 - Rehab practices largely included chest physiotherapy
 - Barriers
 - » MD and PTs reporting - 66.7% reported having adequate knowledge
 - » MDs and PTs – 76.1% reported therapy/mobility important
 - Institutional barriers
 - » No practice guidelines
 - » Lack of champions/advocates
 - » Lack of MD order for therapy
 - Provider barriers
 - » Safety concerns
 - » Medical stability, risk of device dislodgement, presence of ETT
 - » Conflicting views regarding stability
 - » Slow to recognize when child was ready
 - » Limited staffing
 - » Poor communication re: readiness and goals

Functional Recovery following Critical Illness in Children: the “Wee-cover” Pilot Study

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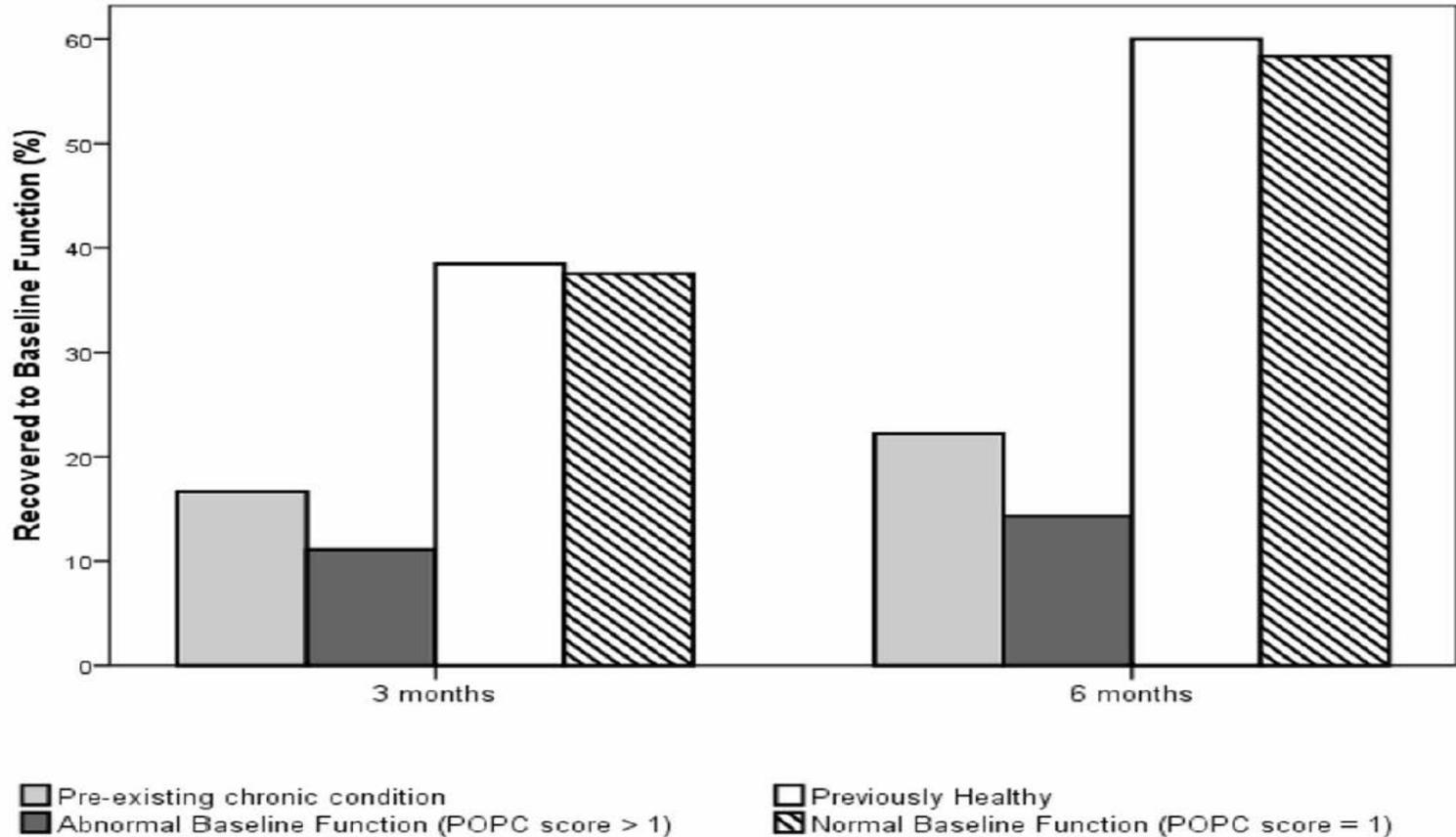


Figure 3. Proportion of patients recovering to baseline functional status at 3 and 6 months post PICU discharge

Baseline functional limitation was defined as patients with a Pediatric Overall Performance Category (POPC) score > 1.

Recommendations from Literature Review

- Safe, feasible, positive outcomes when...
 - Unit culture
 - Barriers and facilitators
 - Protocols
 - Knowledge
 - Resources
 - Interdisciplinary collaboration
 - 2 or more individuals, different disciplines, working together, shared goals, patient outcomes

Fall 2013: Our PICU Culture



- Mechanically ventilated children oversedated
- High prevalence of benzodiazepine use and escalation
- PT/OT consultation often ordered by medical team >4 days into PICU admission
- Restraints
- Not screening for, diagnosing or treating delirium
- Benzos, diphenhydramine and narcotic being used to improve sleep

PICU Up!™: Early Rehabilitation and Progressive Mobility

- Structured and interdisciplinary program
- Integrated into the routine care of the critically ill child
- Outcomes
 - Provide a standardized mechanism to increase activity level
 - Improve patient outcomes
 - Lower rates of mobility associated complications
 - Decrease length of mechanical ventilation
 - Decrease length of stay
 - PICU
 - Hospital



PICU Up! Task Force: Champions met weekly for one year

- Physicians
- Nurses
- Nurse practitioners
- Child Life Specialists
- Kennedy Krieger
- Respiratory Therapists
- Physical therapists
- Occupational therapists
- Speech and Language



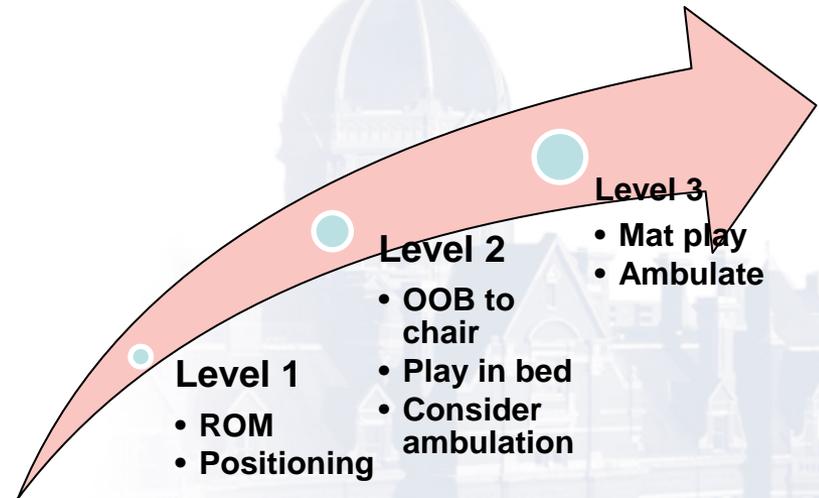
One year process..

- Identify barriers
- Discuss solutions
- Create draft guidelines
- Pilot the process
- Create the learning module
- Implement!



Program Development: PICU Up! Activity Levels

- Stratified: 3 levels
 - Objective clinical data
 - Severity of illness
 - Behavioral state
 - Premorbid history
- Each level associated with activities
- Criteria to pause activity and reassess
 - Changes in vital signs
 - Changes in LOC
 - Concern for device integrity
 - Behavioral issues



Development of Unit-wide myLearning Module



Patient scenario compatible with delirium module

Shift-based patient scenario

Shift 1: 7am to 7pm

SBS Chart

Assess Patient



Patient Status

Shift 1. Jade is sitting up in bed, interacting with her parents. She is on 3L nasal cannula with oxygen saturation >95%. Parents say that she is at her neurologic baseline. She is on Morphine pca bolus only, and comfortable with this regimen. She does occasionally use Valium prn q 8 hours or so for anxiety.

SBS is 0 Awake (Able to Calm).

PICU Up! Levels

Step 1-Screening Process: Early Activity and Mobility Levels

These are the criteria for inclusion at each level of the screening process.

LEVEL 1:

Parameters for Inclusion

- Intubated with $FiO_2 > 60\%$ *or*
- Intubated with $PEEP > 8$ *or*
- Intubated difficult airway *or*
- New tracheostomy *or*
- Acute neurological event *or*
- Sedated and $SBS -3$ to -2 *or*
- Vasopressor other than Milrinone

LEVEL 2:

Parameters for Inclusion

- Intubated or tracheostomy with $FiO_2 \leq 60\%$ *+/-* $PEEP \leq 8$ *and* $SBS -1$ to $+3$ *or*
- Noninvasive respiratory support with $FiO_2 > 60\%$ *or*
- Dialysis/Renal Replacement Therapy *or*
- Femoral access

LEVEL 3:

Parameters for Inclusion

- Non-invasive respiratory support with $FiO_2 \leq 60\%$ *or*
- Baseline pulmonary support *or*
- EVD cleared by NUS *and* $SBS -1$ to $+3$

PICU Up! Activity Progression

Step 2-Activity Progression

Screening is followed by a progression of activities appropriate for the patient's level.

Activity Progression: Level 1

- Lights on/shades up by 0900
- Bed/bath/weight by 2300
- Lights dimmed/out by 2300
increase lighting as needed for cares/interventions
- TV limited to 30 min at a time.
Goal of < 2 hours per day for children >2 yo
- HOB elevated $\geq 30^\circ$
- Turn q2h daytime and q4h at night
- Positioned in developmentally supportive position or as recommended by OT/PT
- OT consult by PICU day 3
- PT consult as needed

Activity Progression: Level 2

- Level 1 activities *plus*
- Positive touch for infants/toddlers
- Sitting up in bed TID
- Team to consider OOB to chair +/or ambulation
- OT/PT consult by PICU day 3
- Assess for difficulty with communication or phonation and consult SLP
- Assess for swallowing readiness in high risk children and consult SLP
- Assess need for daily schedule
- pCAM-ICU BID

Activity Progression: Level 3

- Level 1 and 2 activities *plus*
- OOB to chair TID or sitting up in bed TID if appropriate chair is not available
- Ambulate BID if trunk control present

Rest and Reassess



PICU065 Appendix B: Criteria to Pause PICU UP! Activity, Rest and Reassess

- Change in baseline HR by 20%
- Change in baseline BP by 20%
- Change in baseline RR by 20%
- Decrease in baseline SaO₂ by 15%
- Increase in baseline FiO₂ by 20%
- Increase in baseline ETCO₂ by 20%
- Ventilator asynchrony
- CPAP/BiPAP asynchrony
- Respiratory distress
- New arrhythmia
- Hemodynamic concerns
- Change in mental status
- Concern for airway device, vascular access or EVD integrity
- Behavior interfering with safe activity



Exclusions...but no longer

**Excluded
from PICU
UP! Levels
and
Activities**

- ECMO
- Open chest
- Open abdomen
- Unstable fracture
- Medical orders specifying alternate activity

Program Evaluation

- Sample
 - Non-probability, convenience
 - Before/After implementation
 - July/August 2014 and July/August 2015
 - Inclusion criteria
 - Ages 1 day to 17 years
 - PICU LOS \geq 3 days

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Patient Characteristics

Table 3. Baseline Patient Characteristics

Characteristic	Pre-implementation (N=100)	Post-implementation (N=100)	<i>P</i> Value ^a
Age in months, mean (SD)	92.94 (68)	92.92 (66)	0.99
Weight in kg, mean (SD)	26.8 (19)	27.3 (22)	0.86
Gender			0.02*
Male, n	67	51	
Female, n	33	49	
Admission categories			0.26
Medical, n	58	50	
Surgical, n	42	50	
Intubated on admission	39	46	0.32
Pre-existing conditions			
Motor impairment, n	29	26	0.63
Intellectual disability, n	32	27	0.44
PRISM score, mean (SD)	4.9 (4.4)	5.4 (4.5)	0.36
PICU LOS, mean (SD)	6.8 (5.4)	7.6 (6.9)	0.34
PICU Up! level – day 3			0.79
1, n	7	11	
2, n	18	17	
3, n	64	60	
Excluded, n	11	12	

Outcomes

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- **Patient Characteristics:** Pre/post implementation sample similar in age, weight, reason for admission, premorbid processes, physiologic status as measured by PRISM scores and PICU LOS.
- **No adverse events including tube dislodgments and vascular device compromise**
- **Barriers**
 - ❖ Procedures
 - ❖ Change in patient condition
 - ❖ Equipment



Results

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- 59% of children with OT consultation and session by PICU Day 3 after PICU Up! (44% pre; $p=0.04$)
- 66% with PT consultation vs. 54% ($p=0.08$)
- 82% of PICU patients had a PT session prior to discharge from PICU vs. 53% ($p=0.02$)
- Median number of mobilization activities per patient by day 3 doubled from 3 to 6
- No adverse events

PICU Up! Outcomes



TABLE 4. Early Mobilization Activities: First 3 Days of PICU Admission

Activity (No. of Children Participating in That Activity)	Preimplementation <i>n</i> = 100	Postimplementation <i>n</i> = 100	<i>p</i> ^a
In-bed activities (<i>n</i>)			
Passive range of motion	13	17	0.43
Passive bed positioning	41	47	0.39
Splinting	3	9	0.08
Active range of motion	2 (2)	2 (1)	0.99
Active bed positioning	26	57	< 0.001 ^b
At least one bed activity	70	98	< 0.001 ^b
Mobility activities (<i>n</i>)			
Sit edge of bed	6	11	0.20
Sit to stand	24	30	0.34
Transfer	48	46	0.77
Ambulate	15	27	0.04 ^b
Play	6	3	0.78
Other	5	3	0.31
At least one mobility activity	63	76	0.05 ^b



Barriers to Mobilization



TABLE 5. Barriers to Activities: First 3 Days of PICU Admission

No. of Times Barrier Reported	Preimplementation	Postimplementation	<i>p</i> ^a
Barrier			< 0.001
Child refused	0	3	
Parent refused	1	3	
Test/study/procedure/surgery	19	10	
Patient condition	10	11	
Equipment availability	2	22	
Bed rest order	3	0	

^aFisher exact test used for analysis.

Daily Safety Timeout: Accountability!

Are PT and/or OT consults ordered by Day 3 of admission?	Yes	No
Delirium Screen: (patients ≥ 5 years)	+ / -	n/a
Daily SBS Goal	SBS _____	
Daily WAT Goal	WAT _____	
PICU Up Level	Level _____	
Is a communication device needed?	Yes	No

Breaking down the silos



Early Mobilization

Take home points



- Consistency creates culture change!
- Cluster non-emergent interventions and optimize rehab and communication to promote wakefulness during the day!
- Minimize benzodiazepines and deliriogenic drugs—analgesia first, and...**start low, go slow!**
- Critically ill children CAN tolerate an endotracheal tube and communicate with us!
- Focus on non-pharmacologic therapy
- Push the envelope...safely!



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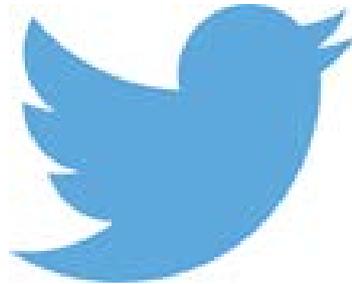
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