

Territorial Pneumotisiology of ASL BT

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HOME RESPIRATORY
Medical assistance

Addressed to the patients with respiratory failure, undergoing mechanical ventilation or oxygen therapy, and who are not able to ambulate in the ASL health services or hospitals.



**Assistenza
Domiciliare**

Domiciliary visits can be booked on different medical location of Pneumology or directly at Health District .



The blood gas analysis can also be performed at home for the patients who can not ambulate.

KIND OF ACTIVITIES

- **Medical visit** in Pneumotisiology
- **Simple or global Spirometry** globale; DLCO, Plethysmografy, Resistors
- **Test survivor:** show any improvement in breathing capacity after inhalation of a bronchodilator.
- **Puls Oximetry:** measure the Oxygen concentration in the blood without any blood test.
- **6 min. walk test:** necessary to highlight the respiratory effort, or the reduction of the oxygen concentration during walk exercise.



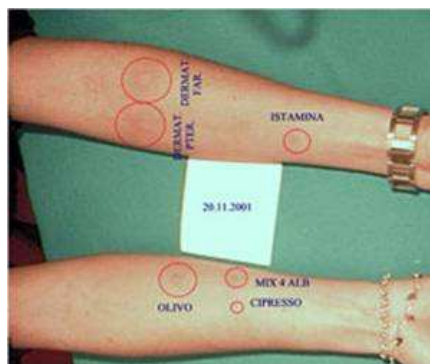
- **Allergy tests:** easy and quickly to be done by the most common allergens responsible for asthma and rhinitis.
- **Tuberculin test (Mantoux)** for diagnosis of tuberculosis and its prevention.
- **Arterial blood gases:** arterial collection used for measuring the concentration of O₂ and CO₂ in arterial blood.
- **Polysomnography:** for the diagnosis of respiratory disorders during sleep.
- **Medical visit and blood gases** collection at home: for subjects who are using oxygen therapy or mechanical ventilation.

Plethysmography and spirometry with DLCO



Spirometry is an easy test to be done, even for children. Need to diagnose asthma, chronic bronchitis, pulmonary emphysema, pulmonary fibrosis and assess their seriousness. It also specific to demonstrate the effect of drugs on the improvement of respiratory functions.

Allergy tests



It is a test using a small spatula who's penetrating just below the epidermis, a solution containing substances that may be responsible for respiratory allergies (asthma, rhinitis, conjunctivitis).