Asthma First Aid

Sit the person upright



Give 4 puffs of reliever puffer

Use a spacer if possible, 1 puff into the spacer at a time, taking 4 breaths after each puff.



Wait 4 minutes

If there is no improvement, give 4 more separate puffs of reliever as above.



Call ambulance (Dial 000) if no improvement

Keep giving 4 separate puffs every 4 minutes until the ambulance arrives.



Note: If using Bricanyl/Symbicort follow your asthma action plan



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