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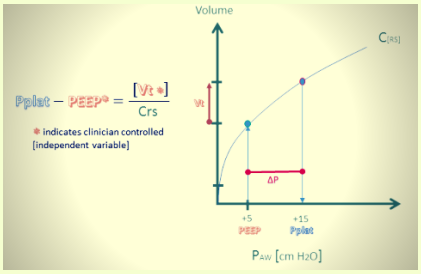

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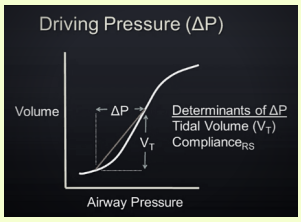
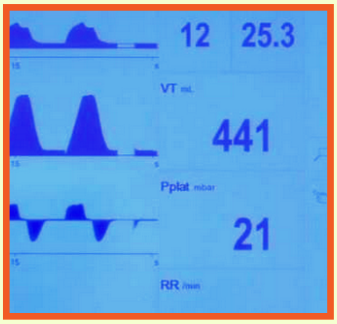
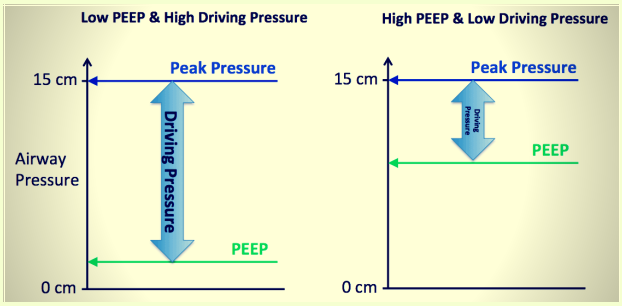


COMPLIANCE

Dynamic compliance can be tracked on the Drager ventilator. This is a surrogate measure, directly related to driving pressure.

$$C_{DYN} = \frac{V_T}{(\text{peak pressure} - PEEP)}$$





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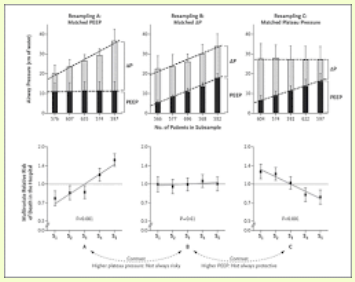
V_T/C_{RS}



$(P_{plat} - PEEP)$

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"BAD"

A driving pressure > 15 is associated with worse outcomes.

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