



**Northwest
Respiratory
Services**

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CPAP/BiPAP SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

- Never immerse your CPAP unit in water
- Never plug in your CPAP unit if wet.
- Never plug you CPAP unit into an electrical outlet that is supplying power to another appliance.
- Never use your CPAP unit with an extension cord.
- Never try to repair your CPAP unit.
- If renting, call NRS to have your unit replaced.
- If your unit was purchased by insurance contact an approved repair center or check with NRS about a maintenance agreement.
- Follow all oxygen safety precautions if using supplemental oxygen with your CPAP/BiPAP unit.
- Clean and disinfect mask, tubing and humidifier regularly.
- Replace filters when dirty.
- Wipe off machine with a clean damp cloth as needed.

If you have further questions, check your patient handbook for manufacturer's guidelines or call NRS to speak with your Respiratory Therapist at (651) 603-8720 or 1-800-232-0706.