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Asthma medications fall into two common categories: fast-food drugs and long-term control drugs. Fast Relief Medications for Asthma-Relief Medications, which includes short-acting beta2 agonists and anticholinergics, is inhaled (with devices described above) to relieve outbreaks of asthma symptoms. Short-acting beta2 agonists - which include albuterol, levalbuterol, and terbutalin - are the first choice for quick relief attacks. These drugs relax the smooth muscles around the airways and reduce swelling in the lining of the airways. Anticholinergics - which include ipratropium - also relax smooth muscles around the airways and reduce mucus production, but they work slower than short-acting beta2 agonists. A quick relief medication that combines ipratropium and albuterol is also available. In some cases, usually in severe asthma, corticosteroids (which reduce inflammation) are needed. These drugs are taken either orally at home or intravenously in the hospital. (1) Long-term control of medications for asthma Long-term control medications help prevent asthma symptoms by reducing inflammation, making your airways more sensitive to asthma triggers. These drugs are usually prescribed for daily use. Numerous drugs for long-term control are available, including: (1,3) Inhalation corticosteroids are standard treatments, and are widely considered the most effective type of medicine to prevent attacks. They work by reducing the body's inflammatory reactions. Inhaling long-acting beta agonists These drugs prevent narrowing of the airways by relaxing the smooth muscles there; they should always be taken in combination with inhaled corticosteroids. Biological drugs These drugs are made from cells extracted from living organisms - such as bacteria or mice. They are then designed to target molecules in the body that cause inflammation or other components of the immune system that produce asthma symptoms. They administer drugs taken every two to four weeks to prevent your body from reacting to allergenic triggers. These include: omalizumab, mepolizumab, reslizumab, and benralizumab. They are most often prescribed for cases of severe asthma. (7) Leukotriene Mouth Modifiers Taken by mouth, these drugs block either the production or effect of leukotrienes, chemicals that can lead to asthma attacks. Cromolyn Sodium Cromolyn Sodium is an inhaled non-steroidal drug preventing cells from releasing inflammation-causing chemicals. (This medicine is rarely used nowadays.) Methylxanthines are taken in the mouth, these drugs help to relax and open the airways. Oral taken in tablets or liquid form, these drugs are used when other medications do not adequately prevent asthma attacks, and to treat some cases of severe asthma. (3,8) The word asthma comes from the Greek verb *aazein*, which means breathing noisily. Noisy. Used by a fifth century Hippocratic physician as a term for respiratory failure, asthma has been treated using various techniques and ingredients over the centuries.

According to a February 2017 paper in the Journal of Aerosol Medicine and Pulmonary Drug Delivery, people have inhaled substances to treat asthma symptoms for at least 3,500 years, from smoking opium in ancient China to inhaling fumes of burning herbs in ancient Greece. (1) The first known reference to this type of respiratory treatment dates back to the ancient Egyptian papyrus scroll. Papyrus describes people inhaling fumes of a black genbana plant, or a smelly night cocktail. The plant was placed on a hot brick, then covered with a bathhouse with a hole in it. Only after the scientific and technological progress of the English Industrial Revolution was invented the first inhaler. The new production facilities stimulated the creation of nebulizers, dry powder inhalers and ceramic inhalers. In the early 20th century, asthma cigarettes were also commercialized, ranging from ingredients ranging from stamonia to tea leaves. The main breakthrough occurred in the 1950s, when a dosed dose inhaler (MDI) was invented. The first device to effectively deliver drugs to the lungs, MDI will create a framework for asthma technology in the future, including breathing activated MDI, spacer devices and dosage counters. In the 1960s, asthma was recognized as a chronic inflammatory disease. Before that, many scientists considered it a psychological condition - the wheeze of the child was considered a suppressed cry for the mother. (2) However, with a new medical understanding, effective drugs such as albuterol (Proventil) became available at the end of the 20th century. Today, as treatment continues to advance, a wide range of asthma inhalers and medications are out there. Now you can even purchase inhaler sensors to track your treatment electronically. Read on to find out how inhalers have evolved over the years. The first inhaler was named Mudge Inhaler English physician and astronomer John Mudge created the first inhaler in 1778. Based on tin tankard, the inhaler allowed people to breathe in a pair of opium to treat the so-called cathar cough, coughing with a lot of mucus. To operate the inhaler, users will pour water into the tank, close the lid, and breathe in a pair through a flexible tube inserted into the hole in the lid. Thanks to the new manufacturing and technological capabilities that were caused by the British Industrial Revolution, this treatment device has become popular in homes and hospitals. It has not been used only to relieve asthma symptoms either, but also to administer surgical anesthesia. (3) From portable nebulizers to dry powder inhalers of the 1800s from the first portable nebulizer called Pulverisather. The pump handle forced the liquid solution through the atomizer to turn it into steam. (4) This treatment has been recommended for diseases such as pharyngitis, tuberculosis and asthma. (5) Ceramic pot inhalers have also been invented for people to directly inhale steam from boiling plants or chemicals that are thought to help their symptoms. (6) Dry powder inhalers (DPIs), which supply medicines in the form of powder, have become popular at this time. One of the curious DPI was the carbolic smoke ball, which promised to cure asthma in 10 minutes. Users squeezed the rubber ball, forcing the powder through a sieve to turn it into an inhalation spray. (1) The 13-year-old girl inspired by the Dosed Dose Inhaler Major Breakthrough came in 1956 when George Mason, president of Riker Laboratories, invented a dosed dose inhaler (MDI) using glass vials and valves designed for perfume bottles. (5) It was Mason's daughter who inspired this invention. Suffering from severe asthma and tired of her ineffective, bulky squeeze-glass nebulizer lamp, the 13-year-old asked her father why they couldn't put her medication in a can as a perfume. (1) Inspired by her question, Mason created the first convenient, portable device that effectively delivered medicines to the lungs. This launched the development of MDIs, now the most common device used for treating asthma. Built into Spacers and Breath-Actuated Technology Posing by the invention of MDI, doctors have noticed that for many people, coordinating the movement of pushing the canister down and breathing was difficult. This resulted in the medication remaining in the mouth. Medicine is more likely to reach the lungs with a spacer device. This tube holds released medications between the canister and the inhaler mouthpiece, so you can inhale at your own pace. Until the first commercialized spacecraft was developed in the 1970s, doctors and people with asthma experimented with toilet paper tubes, plastic cups and empty bottles of vinegar. Fortunately, you can now purchase MMI with built-in spacers. In the 1970s, there was also the development of inspired MIMs for people who found it difficult to synchronize with this movement. With this technology, all you have to do is breathe normally to activate the release of the medication. (1) Knowing when to refill with a dose of counters if you have asthma, it is important to monitor your medications to take care of your health. In an attempt to help patients know when their inhaler is exceeded or approaching the last available dose, GlaxoSmithKline Pharmaceuticals has developed the first MDI with a comprehensive meter dose in 2004. All new MDI is now recommended to have dose counters or dose indicators. Counters how many sprays the inhaler left, while the indicators turn a different color when the medicine has dried up. It's This. You know exactly when you need to recharge, so you don't catch short when your symptoms flare up. Q1. My 12-year-old daughter was diagnosed with asthma-induced exercise five years ago and prescribed Ventolin (albuterol). Over the past year, I've noticed that she uses her inhaler during periods of prolonged rest when she doesn't have noticeable wheezing or shortness of breath. When I ask her if she breathes well, she says yes. Can the use of an inhaler be addictive anyway? And if not, is there a long-term effect of using an inhaler when no asthma symptoms are present? The inherent properties of bronchodilation, such as albuterol (Ventolin, Proventil, Proair) and pirbuterol (Maxair), are not physically addictive. Some patients use bronchodilators simply out of habit, even if they do not need medication. This habit can be a psychological type of addiction. Side effects of these drugs may include increased heart rate, muscle tremor, headache and high blood sugar. However, I wouldn't worry about the long-term consequences. No 2. The state in which I live has already banned CFC albuterol inhalers and replaced them with ProAir, which is not only more expensive, but also smaller and not so effective. However, the biggest problem is that it is a powdery substance that clogs the canister spray unit in a humid environment. This is not only problematic, but also dangerous! Waking up in the middle of the night and not being able to breathe in medicine from a clogged inhaler is scary. I spoke to my doctor and pharmacist as well as the manufacturer and they all agreed that they had heard similar complaints about the design of this product. I'm all for a cleaner, safer environment - but surely there should be an alternative to ProAir in Massachusetts. Any suggestions? For those who do not yet know, albuterol inhalers containing ozone-depleting chemicals called chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) will be banned starting in 2009. They are replaced by inhalers that use fuel without CFCs called hydrofluoroalkane (HFA). If the HFA dose inhaler doesn't work, you may want to consider some other devices to get medications such as a small jet nebulizer. Nebulizer delivers medication in a hazy form through a mask that covers the nose and mouth. Omron makes one that is the size of an inhaler and ideal for unbulbized use of albuterol. Also, please remember that if you use a lifesaving inhaler frequently (more than twice a week), your underlying disease may not be sufficiently treated (this could get worse) and your medications to maintain may need to change (or start if you are not already taking them). B3. I heard that albuterol goes away at the end of this year and is replaced by another honey, costs three times as much. Have you heard about it? Do you think that there are any alternative treatments without is a short-acting beta agonist that extends the airways by relaxing the muscles of the bronchus surrounding the airways. It is used for chronic asthma, induced by asthma exercises, emphysema and chronic bronchitis. This medication is the basis for the treatment of asthma and offers quick relief. He's here to stay! You may have heard that albuterol inhalers containing ozone-depleting chemicals called chlorofluorocarbons (CFCs) will be banned starting in 2009. It's true. However, inhalers will be replaced by new, environmentally friendly devices called HFA inhalers that will also contain albuterol. You are right that the new inhalers are much more expensive. The American Lung Association has more information about new albuterol inhalers as well as care programs to help patients pay for them. No 4. How do I give someone my inhaler if they need help? During an acute attack, bronchodilators are the first line of action. Even a portable pump, when used correctly, is very fast and reduces symptoms. People with asthma are usually able to give themselves this medicine even during an attack, but there are certain devices that are less complex than others. A dosed dose inhaler (MDI) consists of a mouthpiece attached to a pressurized canister with medication. You keep the device one to two inches from your mouth, press the inhaler to release the right amount of medication, and breathe slowly. People who are not comfortable with this technique can use spacers, extending pipes that attach to MDI and allow you to place your mouth directly on the tube. This simplifies the process. In addition, there is a formulation known as Maxair (pirbuterol), which is sold as a car driver, and it is very easy to coordinate. The asthmatic simply presses on a small lever, exhales, and then inhales the medicine. Finally, if someone has difficulty coordinating any of the devices mentioned above, portable nebulizers are available that require very little coordination. They supply medicines in a hazy form through a mask that covers the nose and mouth. Find out more at the Daily Health Asthma Center. Centre.

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