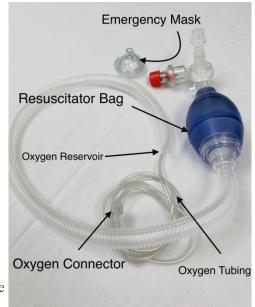


How to Check a Resuscitation Bag

Check the function of your child's resuscitator bag at least once a week. You want to make sure the bag is always in working order when you need it.

Check:

- Oxygen connector is intact and free of any leaks or kinks.
- PEEP valve is securely attached and set at _____ cmH2O.
- Omni-flex adaptor is connected appropriately.
- Pop off valve and manometer port are sealed with the appropriate cap.
- Test the bag. Wash your hands and put on gloves. Cover the end of the omni-flex adaptor with your hand and squeeze the bag. You should not be able to fully compress the bag and it should stay inflated the entire time.
- Check the oxygen source at home to make sure you have enough oxygen in your system and that it is functioning appropriately. Always check the amount of oxygen in your portable tank before leaving your home.





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