Respiratory care has significant impact on adult as well as pediatric critical care. Problems related to respiratory illness contribute significantly to outcome of Pediatric critical care. Though basic concept of management of pediatric respiratory diseases are similar to that of adult but some anatomical and physiological changes not only makes this population different than adults for management but also challenging. There are limited books on Pediatric respiratory critical care. Manual of Pediatric respiratory Critical care, By Dr. Kundan Mittal, published by Sourabh Medical Publication is recent addition of books in pediatric critical care this year. This book has highlighted basic issues in the management of common respiratory problems presenting in emergency situation and needing intensive care admission, monitoring and management. This book has been written to address understanding of basic concepts and its application to day to day practice through seventeen chapters. Book consists of initial chapters on assessment of respiratory sickness, followed by basic and advanced airway management. The book covers topic not only on oxygen therapy, non-invasive and invasive mechanical ventilation but also on arterial blood gas, chest X-ray and fluid therapy in respiratory illness. Communication skills, transport and ethical aspects of respiratory care has also been included. Book is written in lucid manner and concepts are cleared point wise. Overall this book is important addition in the field of respiratory and critical care and must read for postgraduates, fellows and practising pediatric intensivists also.

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