

## Module 5 Respiratory Infection

**① Fathers, if your child is breathing faster than normal or his chest falls when he breathes in, go immediately to the health facility.**

- Don't wait. Children with fast breathing or chest in-drawing need treatment right away!
- Practice counting breaths using a phone or digital watch.

### Age of Child

Birth—1 month and 29 days

2 months—11 months and 29 days

12 months—60 months

### Fast Breathing

60 breaths per minute

50 breaths per minute

40 breaths per minutes

**② Fathers, if you or other adults in your family cough up blood, have sudden weight loss or continued coughing go to the health facility.**

- These are signs of TB.
- TB is spread in the air and through coughing.
- If one person in the house has these signs, everyone should be tested.

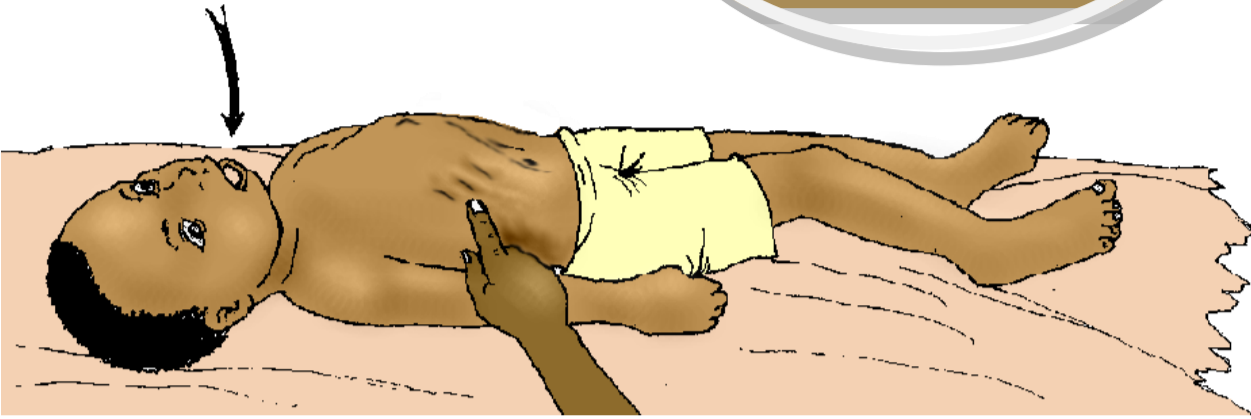
**③ Fathers, when treating your child's severe infection, give all the medicine recommend by the health worker.**

- Only the full treatment will cure the illness.
- If you give only some of the treatment, the illness will return stronger than before.
- Return the clinic if the child's health does not improve after receiving the full treatment.

**④ Encourage your children to wash their hands after using the latrine and before eating.**

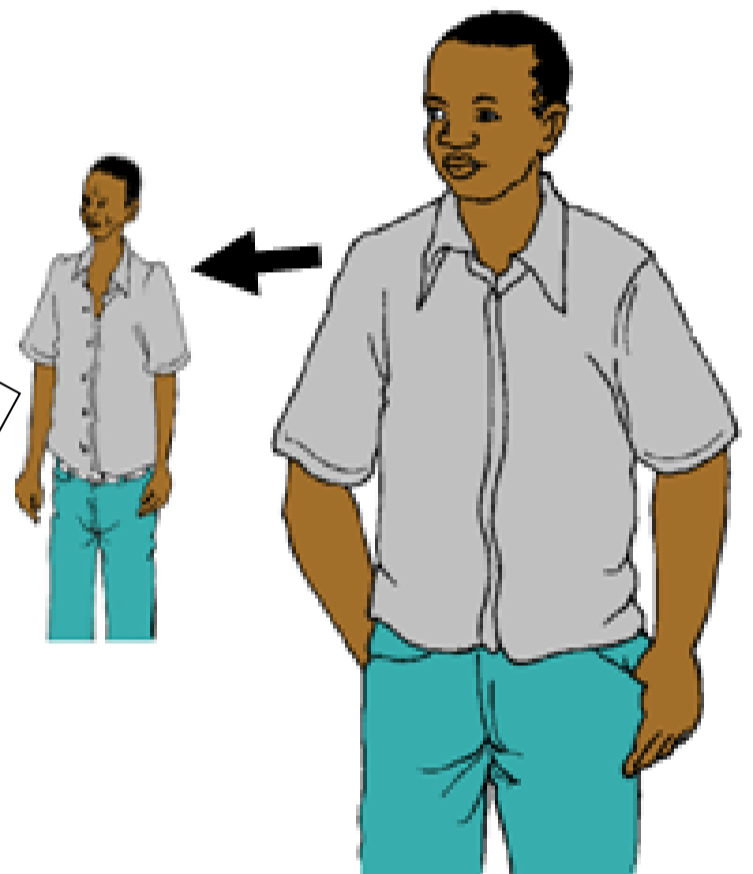
- Frequent hand washing prevents respiratory infection.
- If your child is sick encourage them to wash their hands more often.
- Children with respiratory infection can spread the sickness to others by germs on their hands and face.

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