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The updated version of the Asthma Clinical Guidelines is now available from MaineHealth AH! Asthma Health Program. The National Heart, Lung and Blood Institutes' Expert Panel 3: Guidelines for the Diagnosis and Management of Asthma 2007 has been condensed into an easy-to-use flipchart format which provides information on differential diagnosis, classifying asthma severity, stepwise approach to management, determining asthma control, dosages for control and quick-relief medications, referral to a specialist, and emergency treatment for acute exacerbations.

Obtaining a copy is as easy as sending an email message to Joel Richard at [richaj5@mainehealth.org](mailto:richaj5@mainehealth.org). Please let us know how many copies you would like. If you would like to view this tool, please go to: [http://www.mainehealth.org/workfiles/mh\\_media/Asthma%20Clinical%20Guidelines%20Flipchart%202008%20CROPPED.pdf](http://www.mainehealth.org/workfiles/mh_media/Asthma%20Clinical%20Guidelines%20Flipchart%202008%20CROPPED.pdf)