BREATHING AND WALKING COUPLING IN PULMONARY DISEASE

Featuring Dr. Jenna Yentes
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ABOUT DR. YENTES

Dr. Jenna Yentes is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Biomechanics at UNO. Her research focuses on functional outcomes, such as gait and balance, in those that suffer from pulmonary disease. She also performs research in the clinical utility of locomotor respiratory coupling. Jenna received her BA from the University of Northern Colorado, MS from California State University, Fullerton, and her PhD from the University of Nebraska. She currently serves as the Past-President of UNO’s WiSTEM group and the Education Council Committee Chair for the Gait and Clinical Movement Analysis Society.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

• Describe locomotor respiratory coupling (LRC)
• Identify how locomotor respiratory coupling is altered in chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)
• Discuss potential targets for early identification of exacerbation in COPD using LRC

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