

Spinal Cord Injury Management

Attachment A

Indications for usage of:

Rotorest bed

- This therapy should only be indicated for the unstable spinal cord injury with contraindications that will delay operative repair > 24 hours.

Contraindications for usage of:

Pharmacological Neuroprotective Agents (steroids)

- > 8 hours from onset of injury
- < 18 years of age
- Penetrating injury
- Open fractures
- Immunosuppressions
- Diabetes
- Pulmonary injury
- Abdominal injury
- Significant aspiration
- PMH of COPD