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sleep patient"; "History"; "Examination and investigations"; "12 The  
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pathophysiology, etiology"; "Diagnosis"; "Investigations"; "Asthma  
exacerbations"; "Acute severe or life-threatening asthma";  
"Treatment of acute asthma"; "Chronic asthma: management";  
"Nonpharmacological therapies"; ""Difficult/refractory" asthma";  
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occupational asthma"; "Vocal cord dysfunction"; "Allergic rhinitis  
(hay fever)"; "16 Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)"  
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exacerbations"; "Summary of approaches to medical treatment";  
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chemotherapy"; "NSCLC: radiotherapy"; "Small cell lung cancer:  
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