

COPD/EMPHYSEMA

Are you ready to get back to doing what you love?

Discover a breakthrough
treatment option for
severe emphysema.



zephyr[®]
valve

What is Severe Emphysema?

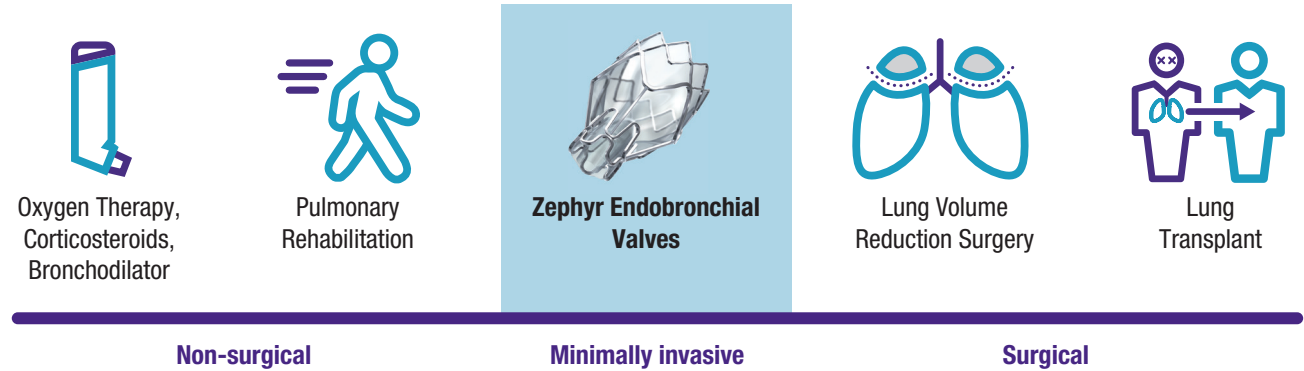
Emphysema is a form of chronic obstructive pulmonary disease or COPD. People who have emphysema typically experience shortness of breath doing everyday activities.

With severe emphysema, the air sacs do not work properly and old air becomes trapped in the damaged areas. This causes the diseased parts of the lung to get larger and put pressure on the healthy parts of your lungs and diaphragm. This is known as hyperinflation.

As a result, you may find it difficult to breathe properly and take full, deep breaths.

People who suffer from emphysema live with severe shortness of breath that often prevents them from doing simple daily activities without pausing to catch their breath or resting.

Breakthrough Minimally Invasive Procedure



The Zephyr Valve is not another medication or surgery that requires cutting or incisions. It is a minimally invasive procedure that uses a bronchoscope to place tiny valves in your airways.

The Zephyr Valve allows trapped air to escape until hyperinflation is reduced. This leaves room for the healthier parts of your lungs to expand and take in more air.

Zephyr Valves are clinically proven to help patients breathe easier, be more active, and enjoy a better quality of life.¹



¹ Criner G et al AM J Resp Crit Care Med 2018, Published on 22-May-2018 as 10.1164/rccm.201803 05900C

The Zephyr Valve Treatment

If your doctor determines that you are a good candidate for the Zephyr Valve, you will see a specialist and take tests to evaluate if you qualify for treatment.



Step 1

The doctor will give you anesthesia to make you sleepy.



Step 2

A small tube with a camera, called a bronchoscope, will be inserted into your lungs.



Step 3

During the short procedure, your doctor will place an average of 4 Zephyr Valves in your airways.



Step 4

You will stay in the hospital for a minimum of 3 nights for observation.



Step 5

After the procedure, you will continue to use the medicines that have been prescribed to you.

Complications of the Zephyr Endobronchial Valve treatment can include but are not limited to pneumothorax, worsening of COPD symptoms, hemoptysis, pneumonia, dyspnea and, in rare cases, death.

See if the Zephyr Endobronchial Valve treatment is right for you.

Talk to your doctor and visit www.getcopdhelp.co.uk to learn more about Zephyr Valves and treatment centres near you.

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Brief Statement: The Zephyr® Endobronchial Valve is an implantable bronchial valve intended to control airflow in order to improve lung functions in patients with hyperinflation associated with severe emphysema and/or to reduce air leaks. The Zephyr Valve is contraindicated for: Patients for whom bronchoscopic procedures are contraindicated; Evidence of active pulmonary infection; Patients with known allergies to Nitinol (nickel-titanium) or its constituent metals (nickel or titanium); Patients with known allergies to silicone; Patients who have not quit smoking. Use is restricted to a trained physician. Prior to use, please reference the Zephyr Endobronchial System Instructions for more information on indications, contraindications, warnings, all precautions, and adverse events.