

Directions: 1. Indicate choice when options are available by placing a check in the box
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Attending Physician: _____ Diagnosis: _____
 Admit to: Newborn Nursery ALLERGIES: NKA ALLERGIC to: _____

VITAL SIGNS:

Vital signs per unit protocol

DIET:

- Breast fed infant: demand schedule or every 3 hours
- Breast fed infant: NPO after breast unless mother requests formula supplement
- Manual breast pump system
- Formula fed infant: start formula after 1 hour of age if no respiratory distress; THEN
- Formula fed infant: feed every 3 hours PO, if infant weighs 6 pounds 3 ounces or less or has a serum glucose level less than 40 mg/dl
- Formula fed infant: feed every 4 hours, PO, if infant weighs greater than 6 pounds 3 ounces

MEDICATIONS:

- Phytonatione/Vitamin K (Aqua mephyton)** 1 mg IM x 1 dose to prevent bleeding
- Erythromycin ophthalmic (Ilotycin) ointment** each eye x 1 dose for prophylaxis eye infection (label with patient information for discharge)
- Acetaminophen (Tylenol)** 15 mg/kg PO every 4 hours PRN at mother's request for post circumcision pain
- Hepatitis B pediatric vaccine** 0.5 ml IM x 1 dose (prior to discharge, obtain consent)

PATIENT CARE:

- Weigh patient on admission
- Weigh patient daily
- Place under radiant warmer until temperature stable (97.6° F - 99.0° F axillary temperature)
- Bath after temperature is stable (97.6° F - 99.0° F axillary temperature)
- Point of Care (POC) blood glucose
- Initiate Hypoglycemia protocol on infants defined by Hypoglycemia policy
- Bilimeter reading at 12-18 hours of age (if serum bilirubin TcB falls in the 75th percentile on the bilirubin nomogram obtain BUBC and notify Physician)
- Bilimeter reading if clinical assessment of jaundice (if serum bilirubin TcB falls in the 75th percentile on the bilirubin nomogram obtain BUBC and notify Physician)
- Bilimeter reading at discharge (if serum bilirubin TcB falls in the 75th percentile on the bilirubin nomogram obtain BUBC and notify Physician)

