



Staff Relief Inc.

Neonatal ICU Skills Checklist

Applicant Full Legal Name (please print): _____

The following checklist is a profile used to assess your clinical efficiency and assist in matching your skills with available assignments. Your employment is not dependent upon responses given in this checklist. Please rate your ability as accurately as possible by circling the appropriate number.

The information given below is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

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Date: _____

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Assessment/Patient Care

General

- Admission1 2 3 4
- Care of the Dying Infant1 2 3 4
- Discharge1 2 3 4
- Gestational Assessment1 2 3 4
- Near SIDS1 2 3 4
- Post Maturity Syndrome1 2 3 4
- Postmortem Care.....1 2 3 4
- Prematurity1 2 3 4
- Pre-Operative Care/Prep1 2 3 4

Documentation

- Computerized.....1 2 3 4

Cardiovascular

Abnormal Heart

- Sounds/Murmurs.....1 2 3 4
- Auscultation (Rate, Rhythm)1 2 3 4
- Capillary Refill.....1 2 3 4
- Color1 2 3 4
- Cardiopulmonary Arrest1 2 3 4
- CHF.....1 2 3 4
- Congenital Heart Defects1 2 3 4
- Heart Transplants1 2 3 4
- Patent Ductus Arteriosus.....1 2 3 4
- Pre/Post Cardiac Cath1 2 3 4
- Pre/Post Cardiac Surgery1 2 3 4
- Tetralogy of Fallot1 2 3 4
- EKG Monitoring1 2 3 4
- Arterial Monitor1 2 3 4
- Vital Sign Monitoring.....1 2 3 4
- Hemodynamicis
(PA/Swan-Ganz).....1 2 3 4



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Pulmonary

Adventitious Breath Sounds	1	2	3	4
Airway Maintenance	1	2	3	4
Nasal Flaring	1	2	3	4
Oxygenation Status	1	2	3	4
Rate and Work of Breathing	1	2	3	4
Broncho-Pulmonary Dysplasia	1	2	3	4
Croup.....	1	2	3	4
Epiglottitis.....	1	2	3	4
Meconium Aspiration Syndrome.....	1	2	3	4
Respiratory Distress Syndrome.....	1	2	3	4
Pulse Oximetry	1	2	3	4
Apnea	1	2	3	4
Interpretation of ABGs	1	2	3	4

Neurology

Fontanel.....	1	2	3	4
LOC.....	1	2	3	4
Pupil Size and Response	1	2	3	4
Reflex/Motor Deficits	1	2	3	4
Emphacele.....	1	2	3	4
Febrile Seizure	1	2	3	4
Hydrocephalus	1	2	3	4
Increased Intracranial Pressure	1	2	3	4
Intraventricular Hemorrhage.....	1	2	3	4
Meningitis	1	2	3	4
Seizures	1	2	3	4
Spina Bifida	1	2	3	4
V-P Shunt.....	1	2	3	4

Gastrointestinal

Assess Normal Stools	1	2	3	4
Bowel Sounds	1	2	3	4
Nutritional Status	1	2	3	4
GI Assessment.....	1	2	3	4
Diaphragmatic Hernia.....	1	2	3	4
Gastrostroschisis	1	2	3	4
Inguinal Hernia	1	2	3	4
Necrotizing.....	1	2	3	4
Enterocolitis	1	2	3	4
Pyloric Stenosis.....	1	2	3	4
Short Gut Syndrome	1	2	3	4

Genitourinary

Fluid Status	1	2	3	4
Skin Turgor	1	2	3	4
Congenital Syphilis.....	1	2	3	4
Genitalia Exam.....	1	2	3	4
Renal Failure.....	1	2	3	4
Diaper Weights	1	2	3	4
Fluid Balance	1	2	3	4
Measurement of I & O	1	2	3	4
BUN & Creatinine	1	2	3	4
Serum Electrolytes	1	2	3	4



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Immunology/Hematology/Oncology

Working Knowledge of				
Neonate Lab Values	1	2	3	4
AIDS	1	2	3	4
DIC.....	1	2	3	4
Group B Strep	1	2	3	4
Hemophiliac.....	1	2	3	4
Hemorrhage.....	1	2	3	4
Hyperbilirubemeral	1	2	3	4
Hypocalcemia	1	2	3	4
Leukemia.....	1	2	3	4
Maternal STD's.....	1	2	3	4
Phenylketonuria.....	1	2	3	4
Polycythemia.....	1	2	3	4
Rh Incompatibilities.....	1	2	3	4
Sepsis Neonatorum	1	2	3	4
Sickle Cell.....	1	2	3	4
Vessel Occlusion.....	1	2	3	4
Wilm's Tumor.....	1	2	3	4

Endocrine

Diabetic Mother	1	2	3	4
Diabetes Mellitus	1	2	3	4
Diabetic Ketoacidosis	1	2	3	4
Blood Glucose.....	1	2	3	4
Thyroid Studies	1	2	3	4

Musculoskeletal

Pulse/Circulation Checks	1	2	3	4
Neonatal Assess	1	2	3	4
Fractures.....	1	2	3	4

Wounds/Integument

S/S Infection	1	2	3	4
Skin Assessment	1	2	3	4
Surgical Wounds.....	1	2	3	4
Traumatic Wounds.....	1	2	3	4
Neonatal Jaundice	1	2	3	4

Medications/Therapeutic Interventions

Medications Administration

Bladder Irrigation and Instillation	1	2	3	4
Calculation of Neonatal Doses.....	1	2	3	4
Emergency Meds	1	2	3	4
Eye/Ear Meds.....	1	2	3	4
IM & SQ Meds.....	1	2	3	4
Needless Systems	1	2	3	4
NG Medications	1	2	3	4
PO Medications.....	1	2	3	4
Rectal Medications.....	1	2	3	4



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IV Therapy

Adverse Reactions	1	2	3	4
Assess/Maintain IV Site.....	1	2	3	4
Fluid Resuscitation.....	1	2	3	4
Mix IV Infusion w/ Additives.....	1	2	3	4
Scalp Vein	1	2	3	4
IV Pumps	1	2	3	4
IV Syringe Pumps	1	2	3	4
Administer IV Drips	1	2	3	4
Administer IV Piggybacks.....	1	2	3	4
IV Push Meds.....	1	2	3	4
Central Venous Catheters	1	2	3	4

Oxygen Administration

Aerosol Treatments	1	2	3	4
Ambu-Bag.....	1	2	3	4
Ambu-Infant.....	1	2	3	4
Croup Tent	1	2	3	4
ECMO.....	1	2	3	4
Isolette.....	1	2	3	4
Nasal Cannula & Face Mask.....	1	2	3	4
Oxyhood.....	1	2	3	4
Portable Oxygen	1	2	3	4
Pressure Ventilator.....	1	2	3	4
Ventilation with Ambu Bag	1	2	3	4
Volume Ventilator	1	2	3	4

Nutritional Therapy

Assist with Bottle				
& Breast Feeding	1	2	3	4
Breast Milk				
Collection/Storage.....	1	2	3	4
Calculating Caloric Intake	1	2	3	4
Calculating				
Fluid Requirements	1	2	3	4
Documentation of all				
Infant Reactions	1	2	3	4
OGT/Insertion and Feeding	1	2	3	4
Oral/Nipple Feeding.....	1	2	3	4
TPN and Hyperalimentation	1	2	3	4
Use of Electric Breast Pump.....	1	2	3	4
Use of Manual Breast Pump	1	2	3	4

Blood

Administer Blood/Blood Products.....	1	2	3	4
Exchange Transfusions	1	2	3	4



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Procedures/Equipment

General

Chest PT/Neonatal Procedure	1	2	3	4
Chest Tube				
Drainage Systems.....	1	2	3	4
Doppler	1	2	3	4
Dressing Changes.....	1	2	3	4
Drains				
(JP-Hemovac-Penrose)	1	2	3	4
Foley, Female.....	1	2	3	4
Foley, Male	1	2	3	4
Humidification	1	2	3	4
Hyper/Hypothermia Blanket	1	2	3	4
Infant Stimulation	1	2	3	4
Insertion of NGT/Suction	1	2	3	4
Isolation.....	1	2	3	4
Neutral –				
Thermal Environment	1	2	3	4
Phototherapy	1	2	3	4
Suctioning				
(Oro-Naso-Pharynx)	1	2	3	4
Supra Pubic Catheter.....	1	2	3	4
Thermoregulators	1	2	3	4
Tracilion.....	1	2	3	4
Transcaneous Monitoring	1	2	3	4
Use of Doppler				
for Blood Pressure.....	1	2	3	4
Utilization of Air-Shields.....	1	2	3	4
Utilization of Bilimeter	1	2	3	4
Utilization of Radiant Warmers	1	2	3	4
Vaporizer.....	1	2	3	4

Specimen Collections

Blood Sampling –				
Umbilical Cord.....	1	2	3	4
Culture Suspect				
Infections Neonate	1	2	3	4
Cultures	1	2	3	4
Dio Stick	1	2	3	4
Diaper Aspiration.....	1	2	3	4
Heel Stick for				
Obtaining Blood.....	1	2	3	4
Sputum	1	2	3	4
Stool	1	2	3	4
Throat Swab	1	2	3	4
Urine	1	2	3	4
Venipuncture.....	1	2	3	4
Butterfly Stick.....	1	2	3	4
Scalp Vein.....	1	2	3	4
Central Line Draw.....	1	2	3	4



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Assist					Age Groups				
Bedside Invasive Procedures	1	2	3	4	0-30 Days	1	2	3	4
Bronchoscopy	1	2	3	4	30 Days – 1 Year.....	1	2	3	4
Central Line Insertion	1	2	3	4					
Chest Tube Insertion	1	2	3	4					
Chest Tube Removal	1	2	3	4					
Emergency Tracheostomy	1	2	3	4					
ET Intubation and Extubation.....	1	2	3	4					
Intraosseous Infusion	1	2	3	4					
IV Cutdown.....	1	2	3	4					
Lumbar Puncture.....	1	2	3	4					
Assist with Suprapubic Tap	1	2	3	4					