
Further investigation

Urgent

- Dysmorphic features
- Excessive weight loss
- Bilious vomiting
- Jaundice < 24 hours of age
- Central cyanosis
- Petechiae unrelated to mode of birth
- Pallor, haemangioma

Head and neck

- Enlarged/bulging/sunken fontanelle
- Macro/microcephaly
- Subgaleal haemorrhage
- Caput, cephalohaematoma
- Fused sutures
- Facial palsy/asymmetry on crying
- Hayz, dull cornea
- Absent red eye reflex
- Pupils unequal/dilated/constricted
- Purulent conjunctivitis
- Non-patent nares
- Dacryocyst
- Cleft lip/palate
- Unresponsive to noise
- Absent ear canal or microtia
- Ear drainage
- Small receding chin/micrognathia
- Neck masses, swelling, webbing
- Swelling over or scarred clavicle

Upper limbs

- Limb hypotonia, contractures, palsy
- Palmar crease pattern

Chest

- Respiratory distress
- Apnoeic episodes
- Abnormal HR, rhythm, regularity
- Heart murmurs
- Weak or absent pulses
- Positive pulse oximetry

Abdomen

- Organomegaly
- Gastrochisis/exomphalos
- Bilateral undescended testes
- Inguinal hernia
- < 3 umbilical vessels
- Signs of umbilical infection

Genitourinary

- No urine/meconium in 24 hours
- Ambiguous genitalia
- Testicular torsion
- Hypospadias, penile chordee
- Microphallus

Hips, legs and feet

- Risk factors for hip dysplasia
- Positive/abnormal Ortolani’s and/or Barlow’s manoeuvres
- Contractures/hypotonia
- Fixed talipes
- Developmental hip dysplasia

Back

- Curvature of spine
- Non-intact spine
- Tufts of hair/dimple along intact spine

Neurological

- Weak/irritable/absent cry
- Absent reflexes
- No response to consoling
- Inappropriate carer response to crying
- Seizures
- Altered state of consciousness

Notes:

- Urgent follow-up, GP: General Practitioner, HR: Heart Rate, NNST: Neonatal Screening Test, SUDI: Sudden unexpected death in infancy.