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Neonatal Clinical Pathway Ongoing Care *(Additional Page)*

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Given name(s):

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Behaviour	▲	Settled between feeds			
Elimination	▲	Urine output 2–6 wet nappies in 24 / 24 Meconium - dark green stool			
Hydration	▲	Moist mucous membranes			
Newborn assessment	▲	Skin - well perfused, Jaundice nil or mild over face only CG Eyes / mouth - nil evidence of infection Cord clean and dry			
Safe sleeping	▲	Discuss measures to reduce SIDS / SUDI CG Mother can demonstrate safe sleeping techniques as wrapping, positioning and settling Discuss co-sleeping surfaces, such as not sharing beds and lounges, plus smoke free environments			
Discharge	▲	Discharge education / plan updated Uncomplicated birth - discharged			
Expected outcomes	▲	Ask mother about the following	**Initial**	**Time**	**V**
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