ELBW (<28w) Golden Hour Algorithm

Place Patient Sticker Here

QI Data Collection

Prepare

0 min

Resuscitate, stabilize

<15 min

Admit, orders

Access, labs, antibiotics, fluids

60 min

- When delivery is anticipated, charge nurse and fellow to **notify** each other and:
 - o Assign team roles (leader, provider, RN1, RN2, RT) and notify team
- Team members prepare rooms and equipment for delivery, per designated responsibilities
 - RT to bring surfactant to all deliveries

Delivery

- NRP (initial NeoPuff settings: PIP 16, PEEP 6, FiO₂ 0.21)
- With OB stimulating, delay cord clamping 30s if breathing
- Place on plastic wrap, pre-warmed mattress and blankets
- Perform the following simultaneously:
 - o Initial airway management:
 - ≤24 weeks: In/In
 - **25 weeks**: In/In, In/Out, or +6 CPAP (clinically assess)
 - >25 weeks: CPAP +6
 - o Cover baby with plastic wrap. Place hat when stable
 - o **Monitor vitals** via pulse ox, CR leads, temp probe
 - Place distal PIV (2 attempts max)
- Ensure baby stable, show baby to parents when departing.

Transfer to NCCC

- HUC admit baby
- <u>Leader place orders</u>, prioritize STAT labs, antibiotics and portable Xray "XR Neonate Umbilical Line Placement"
- Transfer baby to pre-heated isolette and simultaneously:
 - Secure bubble CPAP or ventilator
 - Place PIV if not present (1 attempt max)
 - Start PIV fluids (D10%W at 60 mL/kg/day)
 - o Initial assessment (vitals, measurements including weight, examination)
- Obtain UAC/UVC access
 - When begin suturing, text page Xray Tech at 919-216-9233: "READY NOW for NCCC STAT Xray: Umbilical Line Placement." If Xray tech does not arrive within 30 mins of page, then:
 Call portable Xray room: x42475 → Call radiology room: x49398 → Call radiology supervisor: 919-951-4297
- Obtain labs from central line (as soon as have blood return): CBC w/ diff, blood culture, type and screen, POC blood gas and POC glucose
- Administer antibiotics (ampicillin first, then gentamicin) immediately after blood culture is obtained (use PIV with med line if available)
- Confirm line placement via STAT X-ray with baby still on warming mattress
- Administer total fluids at 80 mL/kg/day (D10%AA via UVC, isotonicAA via UAC). Do not d/c PIV fluid until antibiotic infusion finished. If no central access obtained, change PIV fluid to D10%AA

Birth Time: GA: Birth wt: Delivery room set for 74°? N□ Plastic wrap used in delivery room: Y□ Warming mattress used in delivery room: Y□ $N \square$ PIV placed in delivery room: Y□ N□ Surfactant given in delivery room: Respiratory support in delivery room: ETT In/In

ETT In/Out

CPAP +6 Total number of intubation attempts by: NNP ____ Fellow ____ Attending _ Intubated by: N/A NNP Fellow Attending BABY'S temp (in delivery room): BABY'S temp (NCCC arrival): at Time: First IV fluids infused at Time: Ampicillin infused at Time: ___ Gentamicin infused at Time: First glucose level: ____ mg/dL at Time:_ Central line confirmed (by Xray) at Time:___ Lines (check *all* placed *before* top closed): PIV UVC UAC PAL U BABY'S temp (pre-top closure):____; Time:___

Isolette top closed at Time: _____