



NCCU CLINICAL GUIDELINES

PREFACE

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Admission Guidelines for PMH Ward6B Neonatal Unit  
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Neonatology Clinical Guidelines  
King Edward Memorial/Princess Margaret Hospitals  
Perth Western Australia

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**ADMISSION GUIDELINES FOR PMH/WARD 6B NEONATAL UNIT**

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1. NETS retrievals of newborn babies (that have never been home) from hospital of birth.
  
2. Term babies < 8 days old from birth.
  
3. Term babies > 7 days and <28 days or  
Preterm babies who are < 40 weeks CGA and require
  - A. Major surgery **OR**
  - B. Respiratory support (CPAP or Ventilation).
  
4. Babies with a Respiratory viral illness
  - A. Term babies < 8 days old from birth **OR**
  - B. Preterm babies who are < 41 weeks CGA

**AND** require Respiratory support (CPAP or Ventilation).

**All admissions to 6B should be discussed with  
the on call Neonatal Consultant/Fellow**