Clinical Practice Guideline
Guideline coverage includes NICU KEMH, NICU PCH and NETS WA

Admission: NICU PCH (Ward 3B)
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1. NETS retrievals of newborn infants (that have never been home) from the hospital of birth.
2. Any infant < 8 days old from birth.
3. Non-septic (Non-viral) infants >7 days who are < 44 weeks CGA and require:
   - Major surgery, OR
   - Respiratory support (CPAP or Ventilation).
4. Infants with a likely or proven viral illness < 42 weeks CGA:
   - AND require respiratory support (CPAP or Ventilation).

All admissions/readmissions to 3B should be discussed with the on call neonatal consultant/fellow.

Related WNHS policies, procedures and guidelines
WNHS Clinical Handover Policy
Neonatal Clinical Guideline - Admission Policy

Related policies
PCH Admission Policy
PCH Admission – General Paediatrics and Subspecialties from the Emergency Department

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