

Women and Newborn Health Service
King Edward Memorial Hospital

NCCU PREMATURE INFANT PAIN PROFILE (PIPP*) ASSESSMENT AND INTERVENTION CHART

Med Rec. No:
Surname:
Forename:
Gender: D.O.B.

		Signature/Print Name/Designation		Date																	
				Time																	
Observe infant for 30 secs	Behavioural state	Active, awake, eyes open, facial movement Quiet, awake, eyes open, no facial movement Active, awake, eyes closed, facial movement Quiet sleep, eyes closed, no facial movement	0	1	2	3															
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Observe baseline HR and SaO ₂ for 30 secs	Max HR	0 bpm increase 5-15 bpm increase 15-24 bpm increase >24 bpm increase	0	1	2	3															
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Observe infant's facial actions for 30 secs	SaO ₂	92-100% 89-91% 85-88% <85%	0	1	2	3															
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			2	3																	
Intervention Key:	Brow Bulge	None Minimum Moderate Maximum	0	1	2	3															
			1	2	3																
			2	3																	
Intervention Key:	Eye Squeeze	None Minimum Moderate Maximum	0	1	2	3															
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			2	3																	
Intervention Key:	Nasolabial Furrow	None Minimum Moderate Maximum	0	1	2	3															
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			2	3																	
Intervention: P / NP ?		Total																			
Effectiveness Y / N ?																					