



NEONATAL MEDICATION PROTOCOLS

VITAMIN and MINERAL SUPPLEMENTS
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	Fortified EBM/PDHM	Preterm/Term Formula	Unfortified EBM/PDHM and/or Breastfeeding
Cholecalciferol (Vitamin D) 0.1mL (500units) ONCE daily	√	√	√
Pentavite 0.45mL daily	X	X	√
Ferrous sulphate mixture Prophylaxis 0.2mL/kg/dose 12 hourly	√ ONLY if fortifier does not contain iron	X	√ *

* All infants fed breast milk at discharge require an iron supplement until 4 months corrected age.