

HPTN 084: Managing Pregnancy and Infants on Study





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HPTN OLE objectives



Confirmatory test same day

Pregnant and post-participants with prior or current exposure to CAB during pregnancy:

- To estimate the incidence of pregnancy among participants during the OL period
- To evaluate safety and infant outcomes among pregnant participants
- To evaluate the PK of CAB LA among pregnant participants, combining blinded, unblinded and OL periods
- To evaluate concentration in breastmilk and infants among women who receive CAB LA injections during pregnancy and/or the early post-partum period.





Study visit schedules for mothers and infants are coordinated

Reduce participant burden (promote retention)

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Pregnancy outcome assessment including abbreviated infant examination ¹²				х					х
Infant feeding history				X	Х	Х			
Cord blood collection ¹⁷	X								
Infant blood collection ¹⁷	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Infant AE assessment ¹⁸	X	X	X	X	X	X			
Infant HIV testing, if the mother has one or more reactive/positive HIV test results ¹³	х	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	х
Cord blood storage ^{9,14}	X								
Dried blood spot storage 9.	x	х	х	х	x	х	x	х	Х
Infant plasma storage ^{9,14}	X	Х	X	X	Х	Х	X	X	X





Routine MNCH services are provided by collaborating specialists

- Assure access to high quality standard of care services
- Facilitate access to specialist care and treatment, when needed
- Assure access to non-study source records

5.14 The site IoR or designee will refer pregnant participants to all applicable pregnancy-related services and will be provided a letter to obstetric services detailing participation in the trial; however, sites will not be responsible for paying for pregnancy-related care. The site IoR or designee will counsel any participants who become pregnant regarding possible risks to the fetus according to site-specific SOPs.

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Pregnancy outcome recorded

- Assure awareness of pregnancy outcome
- Avoid missing data from labour and delivery non-study source

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Avoid missed tests

Cord blood collected & stored

17 Cord blood and infant blood should be collected if feasible. If blood collection is not possible, simply note that in participant files.

14 Stored cord blood and plasma samples will be used for PK analysis and may be used for other assessments, including virology testing. Results from this testing will not be returned to the study sites or participants.

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What challenges have you met?

- Affiliated maternity unit:
 - Far from home (transport, visitors)
 - Very busy (assist to get service)
- Delivery often after hours
- Partners against infant blood draws



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Infant Physical Exams





- Complete newborn exam (birth)
- Follow-up physical exam (wks 2, 4, 8, 16, 24, 32, 40, 48)



Infant Physical Exams



- Prepare
- Look
- Listen
- Chat with mum
- Play
- Touch
- Be opportunistic
- Be quick

- Plan assessments in advance
- Supplies laid out and within reach
- Room warm and well lit
- Mother informed and comfortable
- Assistant attentive
- No interruptions
- Wash your hands



Infant Danger Signs



Assess for the following danger signs at each postnatal visit:

- (1) stopped feeding well,
- (2) history of convulsions,
- (3) fast breathing,
- (4) severe chest in-drawing,
- (5) no spontaneous movement,
- (6) temperature >37.5°C,
- (7) temperature <35.5°C
- (8) any jaundice in first 24 hours of life, or yellow palms and soles at any age



Newborn Step-wise Surface Exam



- Physical appearance
- Length
- Weight
- Skin
- Head (including fontanels and circumference)
- Face (including mouth)
- Neck

- Chest
- Abdomen and anus
- Hips and genitalia
- Arms, legs, fingers, and toes
- Spine
- Auscultation of chest
- Neurologic assessment



https://vimeo.com/230041447

Video Guide to a Stepwise Surface Examination of Newborns

TDR, the Special Programme for Research and Training in Tropical Diseases

who.int/tdr/publications/videos/stepwise-surface-examination-

newborns/en/

December 2012

~30 minutes

Global Birth Defects App for the assessment and classification of birth defects

https://globalbirthdefects.tghn.org/download-birth-defects-surveillance-app/

General Appearance and Vitals



- Warm, responsive, alert / active / listless / limp
- Well perfused peripheries / dusky / shut down
- Colour pink / plethoric / jaundiced / bruised
- Feeding well / weak suckle / unable to feed (prostrate)
- Cry vigorous / weak / hoarse / funny pitch
- Vital signs (count resp rate over 1 minute)
- Head size and shape, caput, haematoma, sutures, fontanelles
- Abnormal features / dysmorphism
- Posture, tone and movement (flexed limbs, ventral suspension,pull to sit, symmetry)



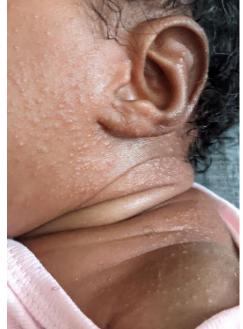
Newborn Skin



- Jaundice
- Common newborn rashes
 - Heat rash / Milia / Erythema toxicum / Cradle cap
- Birth mark/ blue spot

















Eyes



- Cornea for cloudiness (sign of congenital cataracts).
- Conjunctiva for erythema, exudate, orbital oedema, subconjunctival haemorrhage, jaundice of sclera.
- Pupil size, shape, equality and reactivity to light (PERRL: pupil, equal, round, reactive to light).



Mouth



- Defects such as cleft lip and palate
- Oral thrush
- Tongue size
- Gum cysts
- Suckling blister







Abdomen and Anus



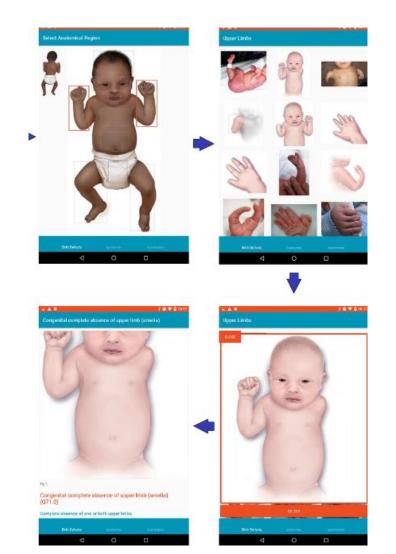
- Abdominal distension, masses, obvious malformations
 - Eg Omphalocele/Gastroschisis.
- Umbilical cord:
 - Count the vessels (one big vein and two arteries).
 - Check for effective clamping, no bleeding
 - Check for pus discharge and for skin redness around umbilicus.
- Anus patent (passed meconium?)



Limbs and Extremities



- Fingers and toes
 - Extra digits
 - Talipes equinovarus
 - Deformities









Neurological



- Pupil reflexes normal, able to breastfeed ok, facial symmetry when crying
- Primitive reflexes
 - Rooting Reflex
 - Sucking Reflex
 - Palmar Grasp Reflex
 - Moro Reflex
 - Stepping Reflex



Gestational Age



- Modified Ballard Score
 - Physical maturity

Physical Maturity

Skin	Sticky, friable, transparent	Gelatinous, red, translucent	Smooth, pink; visible veins	Superficial peeling and/or rash; few veins	Cracking, pale areas; rare veins	Parchment, deep cracking; no vessels	Leather cracked wrinkled	í l
Lanugo	None	Sparse	Abundant	Thinning	Bald areas	Mostly bald		turity ting
Plantar surface	Heel-toe 40-50 mm: -1 <40 mm: -2	>50 mm, no crease	Faint red marks	Anterior trans- verse crease only	Creases anterior ² / ₃	Creases over entire sole	-10 -5	Weeks 20 22
Breast	Imperceptible	Barely percep- tible	Flat areola, no bud	Stippled areola, 1–2 mm bud	Raised areola, 3–4 mm bud	Full areola, 5–10 mm bud	0 5 10	24 26 28
Eye/Ear	Lids fused loosely: –1 tightly: –2	Lids open; pinna flat; stays folded	Slightly curved pinna; soft; slow recoil	Well curved pinna; soft but ready recoil	Formed and firm, instant recoil	Thick cartilage, ear stiff	15 20	30 32
Genitals (male)	Scrotum flat, smooth	Scrotum empty, faint rugae	Testes in upper canal, rare rugae	Testes de- scending, few rugae	Testes down, good rugae	Testes pendu- lous, deep rugae	25 30 35	34 36 38
Genitals (female)	Clitoris promi- nent, labia flat	Clitoris prominent, small labia minora	Clitoris prominent, en- larging minora		Majora large, minora small	Majora cover clitoris and minora	40 45 50	40 42 44



https://epomedicine.com/clinical-medicine/new-ballard-score-how-to-use-it-correctly/

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 - Neuromuscular maturity

Neuromuscular Maturity

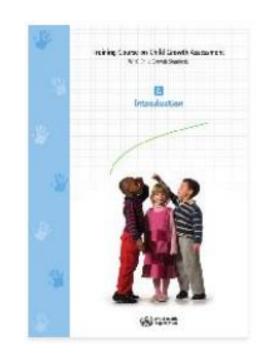
Score	-1	0	1	2	3	4	5
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Arm recoil		180°	2 € 140°−180°	110°-140°	90°-110°	♦ <90°	
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Heel to ear	8,	8,	8	8	8	8	



Complete Examination of the Newborn. Effective Perinatal Care Geneva: World Health Organization

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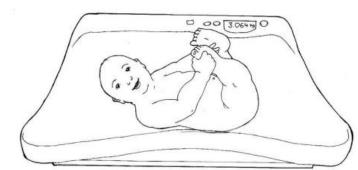


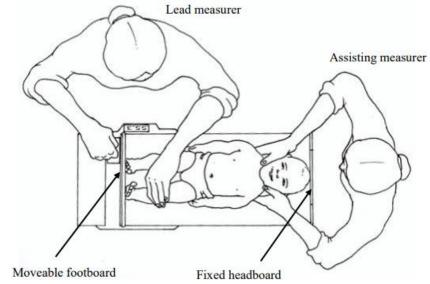
Infant Growth Assessment



INTERGROWTH-21st Anthropometry Manual

- Child Growth Assessment = *STANDARDIZE*
 - Undress
 - Length
 - Length board
 - ~Tape
 - Weight
 - Scale calibrated >2x/wk
 - 5-10g precision
 - Head circumference
 - Feed
 - Bleed







Infant Anthropometry Checklist



Weight:

- 1. Turn scale on
- 2. Tare if necessary
- 3. Place baby on scale
- 4. Press HOLD
- 5. Remove baby
- 6. Record to the nearest gram.

Length:

- 1. Position head
- 2. Top of head (vertex) touching headboard
- 3. Body straight
- 4. Legs straight
- 5. Footboard to touch heel(s)
- 6. Read to last completed unit (mm)

Head circumference:

- 1. Position head
- 2. Anchor tape just above eyebrows
- 3. Palpate most posterior part of head
- 4. Pass tape around head
- 5. Cross-over tape ends
- Hold tape against front and back of head
- 7. Pull tight
- 8. Read to last completed unit (mm)

nternational Fetal and Newborn Growth Standards for the 21st Century



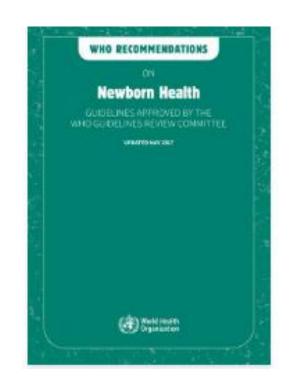
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Infant Blood Sample Collection



Closed system

Small gauge butterfly needle with extension

Small volume tube and low vacuum

- Immobilise and assistant
- Warm up
- Vein finder
- Tourniquet vs flexed wrist





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HPTN 084 Study team

- 20 sites in 7 countries in sub-Saharan Africa
- Community advisory boards and partners

... and our study participants!







