Welcome to Intermountain Medical Center's Newborn Intensive Care Unit

Congratulations on the birth of your baby!
Your new infant may only need specialized care for a few hours, or you might be here until your baby reaches or passes their due date. Whatever the time, we are dedicated to providing your child the highest quality neonatal care in a nurturing family-centered care environment.



You are the most important member of your baby's care team.

We encourage you to complete the parent checklist to become involved in your baby's care, and to monitor your baby's milestones on the discharge checklist.

Thank you for allowing us to care for your family.

Parent Admission Checklist

Learn about your baby's bedside and monitors	
Learn about our Visitation Guidelines, and Security Process	
Sign Infant Security Form and Photo Consent	
Leave Contact Information with your baby's Nurse	
Discuss Cell Phone use and Hand Hygiene	
Pick up Parent Badges from front desk	
Learn about the roles of the team caring for your baby	
Learn about the daily Rounding Process, attend Rounds if able	
Change your baby's diaper and perform his or her cares	
Discuss Infant Pain and its treatment	
Arrange Skin-To-Skin Care once your baby meets guidelines	
Decide Feeding preference	
Meet with Lactation Consultant, if breastfeeding	
Meet with Medical Providers (Nurse Practitioner or Neonatologist)	
Meet with Social Worker or Case Management	
Meet with Parent Support	
Meet with Developmental Care Team member as needed	
Meet with NICU Pharmacist (between 1-9pm is best)	
Choose your Primary Care Nurses	
Add your haby to your Health Insurance plan	П

Infant Discharge Checklist

I can breathe on my own, or I'm on home oxygen settings	
I can eat everything by mouth that I need to grow	
I have been gaining enough weight for my age	
I am infection free and off antibiotics	
I can regulate my own blood sugar	
I have safe bilirubin (jaundice) levels	
I have been able to breathe without forgetting for 7 days	
I am in an open crib and I can stay warm by myself	
I have a car seat and I passed my car seat trial Nurse Proceedings	
I sleep only on my back on a flat mattress to prevent SIDS	
I passed my hearing screen, or have a referral for Outpatient Audiology	
My eyes are mature and I'm cleared by Ophthalmology for Outpatient follow up	Ja Q
I have been screened for Critical Congenital Heart Disease	Tech
My NICU team thinks I am ready to go home! Support	

Parent Discharge Checklist

Attend Discharge Class (Thursdays at 530pm)	
Watch CPR DVD – Pass off if needed	
Decide on your follow-up Pediatrician and notify NICU team	
Meet with the Dietician for a home nutrition plan, as needed	
Obtain community referrals (Early Intervention, WIC), as needed	
Learn about home medications, as needed	
Schedule follow-up appointment with Pediatrician	
Discuss the importance of vaccinations for your NICU baby	
Have final update with your Medical Provider	
I'm ready to care for my baby at home!	
Complete the NICU survey you receive after discharge	

Infant Name:

NICU Parent Website: www.intermountainmedicalcenter.org/NICU