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PATIENT'S NAME _____

MED. REC. # _____

DOB _____

Patient Identification

NEONATAL NARCOTIC ABSTINENCE SCORING SHEET

Use in conjunction with scoring guide.
Mark 0 for any item where symptom is not present.

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	Measure / Criteria	DATE mm/dd/yy / TIME (24 hour)												
Review of Infant Diary	Sleeps / Content < 3 Hours After Feeding	1												
	Sleeps / Content < 2 Hours After Feeding	2												
	Sleeps / Content < 1 Hour After Feeding	3												
	Yawning (4 or more times over interval)	1												
	Sneezing (4 or more times over interval)	1												
	Poor Feeding	2												
	Regurgitation (2 or more times over interval)	2												
	Projectile Vomiting	3												
	Loose Stools	2												
	Watery Stools	3												
VitalSigns	Respiratory Rate > 60 per minute	1												
	Respiratory Rate > 60 per minute w/Retractions	2												
	Fever 99° to 101° F Axillary	1												
	Fever >101° F Axillary	2												
Assessment	Sweating	1												
	Mottling	1												
	Nasal Stuffiness	1												
	Nasal Flaring	2												
	Hyperactive Moro Reflex	2												
	Hyperactive Moro Reflex w/Clonic Movements	3												
	Mild Tremors when Disturbed	1												
	Moderate / Severe Tremors when Disturbed	2												
	Mild Tremors when Undisturbed	3												
	Moderate / Severe Tremors when undisturbed	4												
	Increased Muscle Tone	2												
	Myoclonic Jerks at Rest	3												
	Seizure or Convulsion	5												
	Skin Excoriation	1												
	Excessive Sucking	1												
	Excessive Crying 2 to 5 minutes	2												
	Continuous Crying > 5 minutes	3												
		Total Score												
		Scorer Initials												

Signatures – Refer to MR 2443

COMMENTS

Adapted from: L.P. Finnegan, et al. "A Scoring System for Evaluation and Treatment of Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome: A New Clinical and Research Tool." In Basic and Therapeutic Aspects of Perinatal Pharmacology. Edited by P.L. Morselli, S. Garattini, and F. Sereni. NY RavenPress. 1975