## NICU Admission Flow Chart for the Extremely Preterm Infant

RN

Pre-heat room to 77° F and close room door at least 15 minutes prior to admit

Prepare bedspace using Checklist, taking in to account whether infant arriving on Omnibed versus transporter RT

Confirm set up of mask/bag with appropriate flow,  $FiO_2$  and PEEP at bedside

Set up ventilator for volume guarantee; prep for bubble CPAP to arrive with infant

Ensure suction and suction catheters available and functioning

MD/LIP

Place Extremely Preterm Admission Orders on Pended Baby\* (excluding weight based medications)

Set up for UVC/ UAC placement in room, including lines preflushed and sterile field covered with sterile drape Page radiology technologist to alert to pending ELBW patient

DR Team Alert

Pre-Admission

Calculate IVF rates

Gather for admission

Pull and warm surfactant if intubated

Prep MAC catheter with Surfactant if intubated

Gather for admission

- 1. Add water to Omnibed humidity tank.
  Connect EKG arm leads and pulse oximeter to room monitor
- 3. Place PIV, start D5W @100ml/kg/day
- 5. Once umbilical line confirmation, initiate starter PN and prime **NEW** bag of D5W and initiate infusion via UVC (using 2 person technique to maintain TF 100 ml/kg/day) Initiate 1/2 NaAcetate +0.5unit/ml heparin if UAC in place
- 6. Close Omnibed, humidify per protocol (Goal by 60 minutes of life follow Voalte timer)
- 7. Once Omnibed at goal humidity, take infant out of polyethelene bag, obtain length and head circumference

- 1. Switch from NeoPuff to ventilator or bCPAP from tank to wall blender
- 2. CXR for ETT placement followed by immediate instillation of surfactant unless adjustment of ETT needed 3)

Document minutes of life surfactant instillation initiated.

If intubated, text page Rad Tech at 11184 with message "ELBW Stat CXR Neighborhood \_\_ Room \_\_"

Input orders for weight based medications, including caffeine if on CPAP

Calculate anticipated depth of insertion of umbilical lines **Gather for admission** 

4. Once PIV in, place umbilical lines, keeping infant inside polyethelene bag with velcro closed except for umbilicus. Draw blood for labs.
X-ray confirmation of line placement

Update parents and obtain consents for DHM, blood transfusion, and MA HiWay

Admission