

D.O.B. 08/10/22Gestational Age 37 Adjusted Gest. Age 40^wBirthweight 6 lbs. 0.1 oz./ 2725 gramsCurrent weight 7 lbs. 2.1 oz./ 3252 gramsAPGAR at birth: 8/9Bryanna
Garcia

Respiratory Distress

Risk Factors

Infection | C-Section
 Body temp | Twins
 Stress | Smoking
 Sick @ Birth | in home
 Infection

Signs and Symptoms

↑ RR @ Birth
 Grunting
 Color change in lip/fingers/toes
 Nostril Flaring

Disease process defined

The lungs are not fully developed
 Baby is not producing enough
 surfactant in the lungs

Nursing Interventions/Medication

Oxygen - NC | CPAP | vent
 Curosurf - Surfactant

Diagnostic Studies/Labs

Blood Test
 Chest Xray

Patient/Family Teaching

- Monitor baby for 2/3 breathing ↓ O2 sign
- No smoking environment
- hold baby upward to help open up lungs
- if on O2, make sure baby is not caught up on caret