



Alliance University  
Cheryl Phenicie School of Nursing  
**NURSING CARE PLAN**

Student's Name: Jennifer Diggs

Nursing Diagnosis:

**P** Hypoglycemia  
**E** r/t maternal gestational diabetes  
**S** as evidenced by blood sugar of 42, LGA, and improper feeding.

Patient's Initials: Baby S.

Date: 1/27/2023

Admitting Diagnosis:

Expected Outcomes	Nursing Interventions	Rationales	Evaluations
<p>The neonate will have a glucose reading between 45-65 mg/dL every hour for the next 8 hours.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Educate parents on proper glucose testing.</li> <li>2. Provide material on proper latch and feeding.</li> <li>3. Emphasize the importance of enteral feedings to baby every 2-3hrs.</li> <li>4. Teach parents signs and symptoms of hypoglycemia in neonates.</li> <li>5. Demonstrate to the parents proper administration of dextrose in a hypoglycemic episode.</li> <li>6. Ask the parents to verbalize signs and symptoms of hypoglycemia.</li> </ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. This will let them know if the baby's sugar is within normal range.</li> <li>2. The baby feeds best when properly positioned.</li> <li>3. This will ensure an adequate intake of nutrients.</li> <li>4. This is important for early intervention.</li> <li>5. Proper medication administration is needed for the indicated effects.</li> <li>6. This shows that the parents are knowledgeable on the signs and symptoms of hypoglycemia.</li> </ol>	<p>Goal unmet.</p> <p>The neonate's blood glucose reading was not able to be taken within the hour to evaluate a level within 45-65 mg/dL, but instead was taken to the NICU.</p>

Reference

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