



Neonatal Trigger List

Please note, some of these are listed under the 'maternity specific' category but they can (and should) still be reported by neonatal staff.

- Accidental extubation
- Admission with temp <36.5C
- Baby born <27 weeks or twins <28 weeks
- Delay in management causing moderate harm
- Delayed discharge due to social circumstances
- Development of pressure sores
- Equipment failure—set up or used incorrectly
- Extravasation—resulting in phlebitis score 3-5
- Failure to follow clinical guideline without rationale documented
- Hypoglycaemia
- Laboratory confirmed bacteraemia with central venous indwelling catheter
- MRSA / MSSA / E.coli / Klebsiella bacteraemia
- Neonatal death
- Readmission from home by Community Midwifery Team
- Transfer for therapeutic hypothermia
- Unexpected readmission to NNU
- Unexpected term admission to NNU

This is not an exhaustive list—if there is something you feel needs reporting, then please...

REPORT IT!

THESE MUST BE REPORTED VIA DATIX IN ALL CASES