

Examination paper : Asphyxia and Sepsis

(Let ASHAs refer to the treatment doses chart in sepsis treatment form)

Written Assessment (1 Point for each correct answer)

1. Harini gives birth to a baby boy at 8 p.m. The baby has weak cry. What two things do you do first?

- a. _____
b. _____

The baby starts crying.

What do you do now?

- a. _____
b. _____

Was it a still birth? Yes / No

2. Prabha gave birth to her first baby at 10:10 in the morning after a very long labour of 30 hours. The amniotic fluid was thick green. Gestation is 7 months 5 days.

Might the baby be asphyxiated at birth? Yes / No

What are the warning signs for asphyxia in this baby?

- a. _____
b. _____
c. _____

The baby is not crying or breathing at birth

What do you do? write 3 steps immediately after birth

- a. _____
b. _____
c. _____

Name of the ASHA : _____

Date : _____

Name of the trainer : _____

Total score : _____

Block : _____

The baby does not cry or breath at 30 seconds .

What do you do now?

a. _____

No cry or breath at 1 minute

What do you do now?

a. _____

The baby starts crying at 2 minutes. What do you do now?

a. _____

b. _____

3. Baby Shyam was born at 8 months and 20 days of gestation and weighed 2 kg. He was fine at birth, but on the 6th day, he became cold to the touch and stopped suckling.

What problems are diagnosed in this baby?

a. _____

b. _____

Why ? Write the specific signs for each of these problems.

a. _____

b. _____

What medicines will you give him?

Name of the medicine

Dose

Duration

a. _____

b. _____

How many times will you visit during this period of treatment?

a. _____

What will you advise parents about how to care for him at home? (give 2 points)

a. _____

b. _____

4. Geeta was born at 7 months and 4 days of gestation and couldn't feed well for the first 5 days. On the 3rd day she was cold to touch but had no other signs.

Does she have sepsis? Yes/ No

Does her inability to take feed on day 3 constitute a sign of sepsis ? Yes / No

Why ?

a. _____

What illnesses does Geeta have?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

What will you do on 3rd day?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

The next day you are called again & you find that she is still cold and has chest in-drawing. She weighs 1 kg 850.

Does she have sepsis ? Yes / No

What are the two criteria?

a. _____

b. _____

5. Write the dose of gentamicin you will give to each of the following babies and for how long ?

- i. Baby weighs 2 kg 150 and was born at 9 months

Dose

How many days

- ii. Baby weighs 1 kg 800 and was born at 8 months

Dose

How many days

iii. Baby weighs 2 kg 300 and was born at 9 months 5 days

Dose

How many days

6. After giving injection gentamicin which complications you will check for at the site of injection ?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

7. Will you remove the needle from the syringe ? Yes / No

Where will you store the used syringes and needles at home ?

a. _____

How will you finally dispose all used syringes and needles ?

a. _____

Write three measures to prevent sepsis in babies ?

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

8. When will you refer a baby whom you are treating for sepsis ?

a. _____

9. In a baby which does not cry or breathe, when will you stop resuscitating with ambu bag?

a. _____