

**MODULE 5**  
**SECTION E. Check list for post natal ward**

Check List for Assessing Facilities for Essential Newborn Care at Postnatal Ward

Put a tick (√) in the appropriate cage and specify the amount where necessary.

	Available	Unavailable
<b><i>Water Supply</i></b>		
1.) 24hr water supply	[ ]	[ ]
2.) Elbow or foot operated tap for hand washing	[ ]	[ ]
3.) Taps (and sinks) to be used by patients	[ ]	[ ]
<b><i>Electricity and Illumination</i></b>		
4.) Generator / separate generator supply	[ ]	[ ]
5.) Emergency lamps	[ ]	[ ]
<b><i>Communication</i></b>		
6.) Intercom facilities	[ ]	[ ]
<b><i>Building</i></b>		
7.) Tiled floor	[ ]	[ ]
8.) Windows	[ ]	[ ]
9.) Fans	[ ]	[ ]
<b><i>Human Resources</i></b>		
10.) Nurses-a)midwifery trained	[ ]	[ ]
b)without midwifery training	[ ]	[ ]
11.) Midwives	[ ]	[ ]
12.) 24hr on-call Paediatric house officer	[ ]	[ ]
<b><i>Furniture</i></b>		
13.) Beds	[ ]	[ ]
14.) Neonatal cot per bed	[ ]	[ ]
15.) Chair per bed	[ ]	[ ]
16.) Low tech incubator	[ ]	[ ]
17.) Toilet Facilities	[ ]	[ ]

UFI: |\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|\_|

Unit: |\_|\_|\_|

***Emergency tray***

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| 18) Infant Magill's laryngoscope | [ ] | [ ] |
| 19.) Neonatal ambu bag           | [ ] | [ ] |
| 20.) Neonatal sucker tubes       | [ ] | [ ] |
| 21.) Naso-gastric tubes          | [ ] | [ ] |
| 22.) Endo-tracheal tubes         | [ ] | [ ] |
| 23.) Intra-venous cannula        | [ ] | [ ] |
| 24.) Disposable syringes         | [ ] | [ ] |

***Drugs***

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|--------------------|-----|-----|
| 25) Adrenalin      | [ ] | [ ] |
| 26.) Normal saline | [ ] | [ ] |

***Other requirements***

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| 27.) Thermometers                                 | [ ] | [ ] |
| 28.) Separate place to examine newborn            | [ ] | [ ] |
| 29.) Use of colour card system for waste disposal | [ ] | [ ] |
| 30.) Separate place for storage of dirty linen    | [ ] | [ ] |

**Comments:**