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KEY TASKS	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	
1. Requests HGT to newborn.	Attending Physician	
2. Verifies doctor's order.	Nurse/Midwife	
 Performs hand hygiene and prepares the materials needed. 	Nurse/Midwife	
4. Disinfects newborn's big toe/heel using alcohol swab and punctures the site using blood lancet and draw small amount of blood.		
5. Drops small amount of blood to the glucometer strip.	Nurse/Midwife	
6. Dresses the punctured site and cover it with a sterile dry cotton ball.	Nurse/Midwife	
7. Takes the reading, records to the NICU HGT flow sheet and refers the result to the attending physician.		
8. Performs after care of the procedure.	Nurse/Midwife	



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