



CLINICAL FINDINGS	GREEN LOW RISK	AMBER MEDIUM RISK	RED HIGH RISK
<b>Respiratory</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None of amber or red symptoms</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>RR 50-70 breaths/min</li> <li>Mild / moderate respiratory distress</li> <li>Audible stridor only when distressed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Grunting</li> <li>RR &gt; 70 breaths/min</li> <li>Severe respiratory distress</li> <li>Pauses in breathing (apnoea)</li> <li>Audible stridor at rest</li> </ul>
<b>Circulation and Hydration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None of amber or red symptoms</li> <li>Able to tolerate some fluids</li> <li>Passing urine</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cold hands and feet in absence of fever</li> <li>Reduced urine output</li> <li>Reduced fluid intake: 50-75% of usual intake over previous 3-4 feeds</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Markedly reduced fluid intake: &lt; 50% of usual intake over last 2—3 feeds</li> </ul>
<b>Colour Activity</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Normal colour of skin, lips and tongue</li> <li>Responds normally to social cues</li> <li>Content/smiles</li> <li>Stays awake or wakens quickly</li> <li>Strong normal cry / not crying</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pallor</li> <li>Reduced response to social cues</li> <li>Wakes only after prolonged stimulation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Blue or grey colour</li> <li>Unable to rouse or if roused does not stay awake</li> <li>Clinical concerns about nature of cry (weak, high pitched or continuous)</li> </ul>
<b>Other symptoms, and signs</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>None of amber or red symptoms</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Risk factors for severe illness: pre-existing lung condition, congenital heart disease, age &lt;6 weeks (Corrected), prematurity &lt; 35 weeks, known immunodeficiency</li> <li>Age 3-6 months with temp ≥ 39°</li> <li>Fever ≥ 5 days</li> <li>Additional parental/carer support required</li> <li>Lower threshold for face to face review if significant chronic co-morbidities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Age 0-3 months with temp ≥38°</li> </ul>

GREEN ACTION	AMBER ACTION	RED ACTION
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provide cough/breathlessness in children under 1 year safety netting advice</li> <li>Confirm they are comfortable with the decisions/ advice given</li> <li>Always consider safeguarding issues</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Safety net and consider planning review or advise about what to do if worsens</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Refer immediately to emergency care – consider whether 999 transfer or parent/taxi most appropriate based on clinical acuity etc</li> </ul>