

Visit One

Objectives:

- Begin developing a positive nurse-family relationship
- Assess factors affecting infant's health needing improvement
- Begin education in areas needing improvement

Maternal education:

	Demonstrates understanding	Needs improvement	Education performed	Comments
Cord care/circumcision				
Nutrition: formula prep, age-appropriate diet, breastfeeding				
S/S Illness and Treatments				
Age appropriate stimulation/toys				
Bathing/dressing/handling				
Safety				
Sleeping/comforting techniques				
Tummy time				
Importance of medical care				
Up-to-date immunizations				

Resources:

	Yes	No	Provided information/supply	Comments
WIC				
Food stamps				
Housing				
Crib/stroller/car seat				
Diapers				
Formula				

Social:

	Assessed	Comments
Employment status		
Family support		
Involvement of infant's father		
Literacy		

Future goals:

	Yes	N/A	Comments
Employment			
Education			
Housing			
Day care			
Pregnancy delay/birth control			

Environmental observations:

Other comments:

Visit Two

Objectives:

- Continue development of positive nurse-family relationship
- Assessment of progress in areas deemed needing improvement
- Continued education in areas needing improvement

Maternal education:

	Shows improvement	Needs improvement	Education performed	Comments
Cord care/circumcision				
Nutrition: formula prep, age-appropriate diet, breastfeeding				
S/S Illness and Treatments				
Age appropriate stimulation/toys				
Bathing/dressing/handling				
Safety				
Sleeping/comforting techniques				
Tummy time				
Importance of medical care				
Up-to-date immunizations				

Resources:

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Food stamps				
Housing				
Crib/stroller/car seat				
Diapers				
Formula				

Social:

	Assessed	Comments
Employment status		
Family support		
Involvement of infant's father		
Literacy		

Future goals:

	Yes	N/A	Comments
Employment			
Education			
Housing			
Day care			
Pregnancy delay/birth control			

Environmental observations:

Other comments:

Visit Three

Objectives:

- Assessment of progress in areas deemed needing improvement
- Continued education in areas needing improvement
- Develop plan to address education in areas still needing improvement
- Assess progress toward future goals
- Make referrals, if necessary

Maternal education:

	Shows improvement	Needs improvement	Education performed	Comments
Cord care/circumcision				
Nutrition: formula prep, age-appropriate diet, breastfeeding				
S/S Illness and Treatments				
Age appropriate stimulation/toys				
Bathing/dressing/handling				
Safety				
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Importance of medical care				
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Social:

	Assessed	Comments
Employment status		
Family support		
Involvement of infant's father		
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Future goals:

	Yes	N/A	Comments
Employment			
Education			
Housing			
Day care			
Pregnancy delay/birth control			

Environmental observations:

Other comments:

Referrals:

	Yes	Information Provided	First Scheduled Appointment
EI			
Parenting Classes			
Father's Group			
Holiday Programs			
Other:			

RESOURCES:

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U.S. Department of Health & Human Services. Administration for Children & Families. Home Visiting Evidence of Effectiveness. <http://homvee.acf.hhs.gov/>