

## HIGH RISK OB TRIAGE

## ADMINISTRATIVE 1.16

- I. Patients with an unstable airway should be transported to the nearest emergency receiving facility.
- II. Any pregnancy greater than 20 weeks gestation with any of the following characteristics should be considered a High Risk OB Patient
  - A. Seizure, without known history of seizure disorder.
  - B. Hypertension (>140/90)
  - C. Altered mental status (GCS< 13)
  - D. Acute vaginal bleeding
  - E. Abnormal fetal presentation
  - F. Prolapsed cord
  - G. Preterm labor (<37 weeks)
  - H. Premature rupture of Membranes
  - I. Gestation of greater than 41 weeks
- III. Any pregnant patient greater than 20 weeks with the above High Risk Characteristics A-I should be transported to a Level 3 Neonatal Nursery (in Tucson: UMC or TMC)
- IV. Any pregnant patient greater than 32 weeks with the above High Risk Characteristics A-H should be transported to a Level 2 or 3 Neonatal Nursery (In Tucson: Northwest Medical Center, St. Joseph's Hospital, TMC or UMC) (In Cochise County: Level 2 Nursery- Sierra Vista Regional Health Care Center)
- V. In outlying areas greater than 30 minutes by ground transport:

Patients with gestation greater than 20 weeks that meet the above criteria may be transported to the closest facility with consideration for direct transfer to a perinatal facility upon communication with your online medical direction authority.

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