Answers to Critical Thinking Case Studies

Chapter 8 Jaundice

- 1. Evidence: Yes, there are sufficient data to arrive at some possible conclusions.
- 2. Assumptions:
- a. See text, pp. 256-265.
- b. Serum bilirubin levels are within acceptable limits. Based on the available data, the infant is within the low-intermediate risk zone, and ABO incompatibility–related hemolysis is not evident but may warrant further investigation.
- c. Oral intake is adequate; urine and stool output is appropriate (based on urine output of one wet diaper per each day of life = five wets).