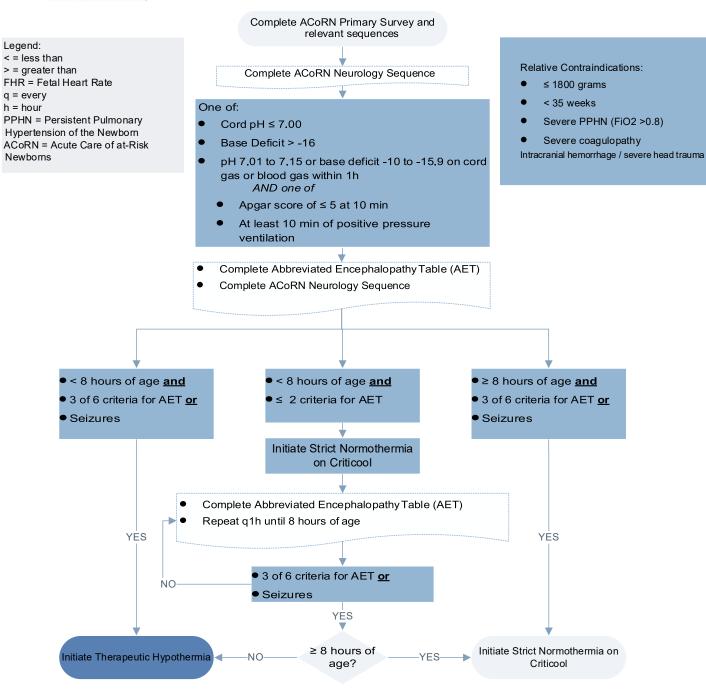


NICU HIE MANAGEMENT ALGORITHM



Abbreviated Encephalopathy Table (AET)				
Category	Normal	Mild	Moderate	Severe
Level of alertness	alert, normal sleep wake cycles	☐ hyperalert	☐ lethargy	stupor or coma
Spontaneous activity	☐ normal	☐ normal	decreased activity	☐ no activity
Posture	☐ flexed	mild distal flexion	☐ arms flexed, legs extended (decorticate)	☐ arms and legs extended (decerebrate)
Tone	normal	normal	☐ hypotonic	☐ flaccid
Primitive reflexes	normal suck and Moro	weak suck, strong Moro	□ weak suck, incomplete Moro	absent suck, absent Moro
Autonomic (one of) Pupils Heart rate (HR) Respirations	□reactive □normal □normal	☐ dilated reactive ☐ tachycardia ☐ normal	□constricted □ bradycardia □ periodic	☐ dilated or nonreactive☐ variable HR☐ apnea
Seizures	none	none	common	uncommon

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