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Eligibility Checklist		
Age between 7 days and 6 months after date of birth	Y	N - ineligible
Being admitted to hospital because of acute illness	Y	N- ineligible
Parent or guardian able and available to consent	Y	N- ineligible
Able to feed orally in usual state of health	Y	N- ineligible
Known congenital syndrome	Y- ineligible	N
Cleft palate	Y- ineligible	N
Known congenital cardiac disease	Y- ineligible	N
Known terminal illness e.g. cancer	Y- ineligible	N
Admission for surgery, or likely to require surgery within 6m	Y- ineligible	N
Admission for trauma?	Y- ineligible	N
Sibling enrolled in study	Y- ineligible	N
Previously enrolled	Y- ineligible	N



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Part 1

1. Admission to Hospital and Study Enrolment

DATE arrived at the hospital	___/___/_____ <i>DD/MM/YYYY</i>	TIME arrived at the hospital	__:__:__ <i>24h Clock</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Arrival time unknown	
DATE of enrolment <small>i.e. date consented and seen by research team</small>	___/___/_____ <i>DD/MM/YYYY</i>	TIME of enrolment	__:__:__ <i>24h Clock</i>	Sex	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female
DOB	___/___/_____ <i>DD/MM/YYYY</i>	Is the DOB:	<input type="checkbox"/> True <input type="checkbox"/> Estimated*	Child's Initials	____
Brought into hospital by: <small>Select all that apply</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Mother	<input type="checkbox"/> Father	<input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent	<input type="checkbox"/> Aunt/Uncle	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Sibling <18				

Sibling >18 Carer (care home) Other _____

**if DOB is estimated, and the day is uncertain, write '15' for DD*

2. Presenting Complaints

- Fever / Hotness of body Vomiting Lethargy
- Difficulty breathing Diarrhoea <14 days Convulsions
- Cough<14 days Diarrhoea >14 days Altered consciousness
- Cough>14days Blood in stool Not feeding
- Poor feeding/ Weight loss Developmental delay Body swelling / limb swelling/ Oedema
- Rash/ skin lesion Neonatal jaundice Umbilical infection
- Other (only one complaint, if not covered by above options)



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3. Initial Observations (to be taken at time of examination by research team)			
Axillary temperature	_____ . _____ °C	Respiratory rate <i>Count for 1 minute</i>	_____ /minute
Heart rate <i>Count for 1 minute</i>	_____ /minute		
SaO2 <i>To be taken from finger or toe using pulse oximeter</i>	_____ % <input type="checkbox"/> Measured in _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Measured in _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Unrecordable <i>Write 000 if unrecordable</i> Oxygen Room Air		

4. Anthropometry					
Weight <i>to be taken using</i>	_____ . _____ kg		Length <i>to be taken using SECA 416</i>	Measurer 1	_____ . _____ cm
<i>SECA scales for CHAIN study</i>			<i>infantometer provided for CHAIN study</i>	Measurer 2	_____ . _____ cm
MUAC <i>To be taken using MUAC tape for CHAIN study</i>	Measurer 1	_____ . _____ cm	Head circumference <i>To be taken using CHAIN measuring tape</i>	Measurer 1	_____ . _____ cm
	Measurer 2	_____ . _____ cm		Measurer 2	_____ . _____ cm
Oedema	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> ++ <input type="checkbox"/> +++ None		Initials	Measurer 1	Measurer 2
				_____	_____

NB: If the child is unwell the Length can be taken at a later time.

5. Current Health	
Previously admitted to hospital. <i>Include other hospitals / health centres. Select 1</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> < 1 week ago <input type="checkbox"/> 1 weeks-1month ago <input type="checkbox"/> >1month ago



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Any medication last 7 days. <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No medication <input type="checkbox"/> Antibiotic <input type="checkbox"/> Antimalarial <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional <input type="checkbox"/> Deworming <input type="checkbox"/> Vitamin <input type="checkbox"/> Paracetamol or Ibuprofen <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, but unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Urine volume in last 24hrs? <i>Select 1</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Not passing urine <input type="checkbox"/> Less than normal <input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown or greater

6. Examination

Examination should be performed by CHAIN study clinician trained in clinical examination of children, and able to formulate a diagnosis based on clinical history and findings. Refer to Clinical Examination SOP

Airway <i>(select one)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Clear <input type="checkbox"/> Needs active support <input type="checkbox"/> Obstructed/Stridor		
Breathing <i>(select all that apply)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal – no concerns , (move to circulation) Reduced air-entry <input type="checkbox"/> Wheeze <input type="checkbox"/> Acidotic <input type="checkbox"/> Central cyanosis <input type="checkbox"/> Nasal flaring <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Crackles <input type="checkbox"/> Dull to percussion Breathing <input type="checkbox"/> Grunting <input type="checkbox"/> Head nodding <input type="checkbox"/> Lower chest wall indrawing		
Circulation:			
Cap Refill (select one) Cold Peripheries (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> >3s <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3s <input type="checkbox"/> <2s <input type="checkbox"/> Shoulder <input type="checkbox"/> Elbow <input type="checkbox"/> Hand <input type="checkbox"/> Warm peripheries		
Disability:			
Conscious level (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Alert	<input type="checkbox"/> Voice	<input type="checkbox"/> Pain <input type="checkbox"/> Unresponsive
Fontanelle (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Bulging	<input type="checkbox"/> Sunken <input type="checkbox"/> Not present
Tone (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Hypertonic	<input type="checkbox"/> Hypotonic
Posture (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Decorticate	<input type="checkbox"/> Decerebrate
Activity (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Irritable/Agitated	<input type="checkbox"/> Lethargic
Dehydration:			
Sunken eyes? Skin pinch (select one)	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N		
	<input type="checkbox"/> >2 seconds	<input type="checkbox"/> <2 seconds	<input type="checkbox"/> Immediate
Drinking/Breastfeeding <i>(Select one)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Poorly	<input type="checkbox"/> Not drinking <input type="checkbox"/> Eager / Thirsty
Abdomen <i>(select any that apply)</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Normal – no concerns <input type="checkbox"/> Distension <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatomegaly <input type="checkbox"/> Tenderness <input type="checkbox"/> Splenomegaly <input type="checkbox"/> Other abdominal mass		



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Signs of Rickets	<input type="checkbox"/> Wrist <input type="checkbox"/> Rachitic <input type="checkbox"/> Swollen <input type="checkbox"/> Bow <input type="checkbox"/> Frontal <input type="checkbox"/> None <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; width: 100%;"> widening rosary knees legs bossing </div>
Jaundice <i>(Select one)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Not jaundiced <input type="checkbox"/> + <input type="checkbox"/> ++ <input type="checkbox"/> +++
ENT/Oral/Eyes <i>(select any that apply)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Mouth Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Ears Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Eyes Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Oral ulceration <input type="checkbox"/> Pus from ear <input type="checkbox"/> Conjunctivitis <input type="checkbox"/> Oral candidiasis <input type="checkbox"/> Tender swelling behind ear (mastoiditis) <input type="checkbox"/> Eye discharge <input type="checkbox"/> Stomatitis <input type="checkbox"/> Lymphadenopathy <input type="checkbox"/> Visual impairment
Skin <i>(select any that apply)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Hyperpigmentation <input type="checkbox"/> Depigmentation <input type="checkbox"/> Broken <input type="checkbox"/> Dermatitis <input type="checkbox"/> 'Flaky paint' skin/excoriation <input type="checkbox"/> Cellulitis <input type="checkbox"/> Impetigo <input type="checkbox"/> Pustules <input type="checkbox"/> Vesicles <input type="checkbox"/> Desquamation <input type="checkbox"/> Macular or papular
Site of skin lesions. <i>(select any that apply)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable <input type="checkbox"/> Trunk (No <input type="checkbox"/> Face / scalp <input type="checkbox"/> Legs rash) <input type="checkbox"/> Palms / soles <input type="checkbox"/> Buttocks <input type="checkbox"/> Arms <input type="checkbox"/> Perineum

7. Suspected Chronic Conditions			
Select confirmed, suspected or none for all conditions:	Confirmed <i>(diagnosed previously/ recorded)</i>	Suspected <i>(clinician's impression)</i>	None
Cerebral palsy/neurological problem/ epilepsy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hydrocephalus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sickle Cell disease <i>family history, crisis</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Thalassaemia	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Visual problem / Blindness <i>Not fixing and following</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Losing weight or not gaining weight	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



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8. Feeding

Currently Breastfeeding?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	If yes is the child taking anything else (exclude medicine)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
What did the child receive other than breast milk in the first 3 days of life? <i>Select all that apply Do not include medications e.g. ARV.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Sweetened/sugar water <input type="checkbox"/> Formula/powder milk <input type="checkbox"/> Fruit Juice <input type="checkbox"/> Tea <input type="checkbox"/> Water <input type="checkbox"/> Porridge/pulp <input type="checkbox"/> Pure Honey <input type="checkbox"/> Glycerine	<input type="checkbox"/> Animal milk <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Gutthi / gripe water <input type="checkbox"/> Nothing	

11. Immediate Clinical Investigations and HIV status

Malaria RDT <i>circle result</i>	Positive	Negative	Not done
Blood glucose	_____ . ____ mmol/L	Time glucose measured	_____ : _____ 24h clock <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
HIV status known?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, known exposed, known PCR negative (children) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, known <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, antibody positive, under 18m with PCR result SEEN BY RESEARCH TEAM. If PCR positive unknown PCR status not seen select below and perform HIV RDT <input type="checkbox"/> No, known to be HIV exposed, but child untested <input type="checkbox"/> No, child not tested, not known to be exposed		
If child known HIV positive or exposed	On any ART?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	If on treatment, ARV 1 _____ ARV 2 _____ ARV 3 _____ If on prophylaxis <input type="checkbox"/> Nevirapine prophylaxis only <input type="checkbox"/> AZT + NVP prophylaxis <input type="checkbox"/> Caregiver unsure
	Co-trimoxazole <i>select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> On prophylactic dose co-trimoxazole <input type="checkbox"/> On high dose <input type="checkbox"/> Not on coco-trimoxazole <input type="checkbox"/> Caregiver unsure trimoxazole	



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If not known positive	HIV RDT now <i>select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Reactive / positive <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Reactive / Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Declined PCR sent: <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
Referred to HIV clinic		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (select 'No' if referral not indicated)
HIV test offered to caregiver ?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, but <input type="checkbox"/> No, <input type="checkbox"/> N/A child Reactive Non-reactive Declined Caregiver is known positive <input type="checkbox"/> Missed in care home
Did the mother have interventions or medication during delivery to prevent transmission of HIV to baby?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown

Birth and perinatal care

Born in THIS hospital	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not born in hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Stayed more than one night in hospital after birth?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
Risk factors for complications	<input type="checkbox"/> None known <input type="checkbox"/> Chorioamnionitis <input type="checkbox"/> Fever / unwell in labour <input type="checkbox"/> Breech presentation <input type="checkbox"/> Membranes ruptured >24h before birth <input type="checkbox"/> Premature labour <input type="checkbox"/> Offensive liquor/vaginal discharge <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Mother received medication during labour and delivery? <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No medication <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> General anaesthetic <input type="checkbox"/> IV antibiotic <input type="checkbox"/> Steroid (premature labour) <input type="checkbox"/> Epidural /spinal <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional/herbal/ homeopathy <input type="checkbox"/> PMTCT <input type="checkbox"/> Misoprostol / induction of labour <input type="checkbox"/> Analgesia <input type="checkbox"/> Oxytocin <input type="checkbox"/> Antacid <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Yes but unknown

Antenatal care received



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Source of information <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Maternal recall <input type="checkbox"/> Health record book <input type="checkbox"/> Other relative recall
Antenatal care received? <i>Select one</i> <i>Antenatal appointment includes any scheduled at health centre, visits in the community or organised privately. These must be for pregnancy not other medical issues</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No antenatal care <input type="checkbox"/> At least 1 antenatal appointment <input type="checkbox"/> 2 antenatal appointments <input type="checkbox"/> More than 2 appointments <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Ultrasound scan? <i>Select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> At least one <input type="checkbox"/> More than one <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Medication / Supplements in pregnancy <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> None given <input type="checkbox"/> Folic acid <input type="checkbox"/> Iron <input type="checkbox"/> Antiretrovirals <input type="checkbox"/> Cotrimoxazole/ septrin <input type="checkbox"/> Antibiotic <input type="checkbox"/> Magnesium sulphate <input type="checkbox"/> Supplementary food <input type="checkbox"/> Traditional / herbal/homeopathy <input type="checkbox"/> Malaria prophylaxis <input type="checkbox"/> Steroid <input type="checkbox"/> Malaria treatment <input type="checkbox"/> Yes but unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Multivitamin <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Antenatal blood screening	<input type="checkbox"/> No antenatal blood screening <input type="checkbox"/> Blood taken, reason unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown if done <input type="checkbox"/> VDRL positive <input type="checkbox"/> VDRL negative <input type="checkbox"/> VDRL not done <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Hep B positive <input type="checkbox"/> Hep B negative <input type="checkbox"/> Hep B not done <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> HIV positive <input type="checkbox"/> HIV negative <input type="checkbox"/> HIV not done <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Blood group done <input type="checkbox"/> Not done <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Estimated gestation	<input type="checkbox"/> < 36 weeks <input type="checkbox"/> 36-42 weeks <input type="checkbox"/> >42 weeks <input type="checkbox"/> unknown
Mother received blood transfusion during or after birth	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown



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Baby admitted to neonatal unit? <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Not admitted <input type="checkbox"/> No, admitted postnatal ward <input type="checkbox"/> Yes for respiratory support (including Oxygen) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes for antibiotics <input type="checkbox"/> Yes for IV fluids / hypoglycaemia <input type="checkbox"/> Yes for jaundice <input type="checkbox"/> Yes for transfusion <input type="checkbox"/> Yes other <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Baby passed stool within 24h of birth <i>(including meconium during delivery)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Is weight > birthweight now?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <i>(if birthweight is unknown but baby now weighs >4.5kg select 'yes')</i>

Feeding and lactation support

Baby breast fed within 12h of birth?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Age at first breast feed	<input type="checkbox"/> <=1h <input type="checkbox"/> 1-4h <input type="checkbox"/> >4-12h <input type="checkbox"/> >12h <input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Breast feeding at all now? <i>If mother intends to breastfeed but baby unwell select yes</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
YES breastfeeding now If not exclusively breast feeding, why? <i>Ask what else the mother is giving the baby. If giving other food/milk ask why</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Not applicable (exclusively breastfeeding) <input type="checkbox"/> Not enough milk <input type="checkbox"/> Baby struggled to breastfeed <input type="checkbox"/> Mother unwell <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Other



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Does the mother have any help with breast feeding? <i>Select all that apply. 'Relative' refers to relative of the child. Ask the mother if she feels there is active and positive support of breast feeding</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No support with breast feeding <input type="checkbox"/> Yes maternal relative <input type="checkbox"/> Yes paternal relative <input type="checkbox"/> Yes father <input type="checkbox"/> Yes midwife/ community health worker <input type="checkbox"/> Yes other
Does the mother/caregiver intend to continue breast feeding once the baby is over 6m old?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unsure
NO, Not breastfeeding at all now (if mother not intending to breastfeed) Has the child ever breast fed since birth?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Why has breastfeeding stopped? <i>Select one, the main reason</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Mother HIV positive <input type="checkbox"/> Not enough milk <input type="checkbox"/> Baby struggled to breastfeed <input type="checkbox"/> Mother unwell <input type="checkbox"/> Mother died, not present <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Does the mother have any help with feeding? <i>Select all that apply. 'Relative' refers to relative of the child.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No support with feeding <input type="checkbox"/> Yes maternal relative <input type="checkbox"/> Yes paternal relative <input type="checkbox"/> Yes father <input type="checkbox"/> Yes midwife/ community health worker <input type="checkbox"/> Yes other
Does the mother/caregiver have any help with the baby? <i>Select all that apply. 'Relative' refers to relative of the child</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No help <input type="checkbox"/> Yes maternal relative
	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes paternal relative <input type="checkbox"/> Yes father <input type="checkbox"/> Yes midwife /community health worker <input type="checkbox"/> Yes other
Does the caregiver buy other sources of milk for the baby? <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes infant formula <input type="checkbox"/> Yes other breast milk <input type="checkbox"/> Yes cows milk <input type="checkbox"/> Yes other
Was the mother working prior to giving birth?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Is the mother working now?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Maternity pay?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown

11. Suspected Initial Diagnoses:

*c Clinical diagnosis should be based on examination and investigation findings.
Tick the three most likely diagnoses.*

Respiratory	Infection	CNS
<input type="checkbox"/> LRTI/pneumonia	<input type="checkbox"/> Gastroenteritis	<input type="checkbox"/> Febrile convulsions



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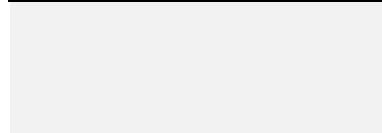
<input type="checkbox"/> Bronchiolitis <input type="checkbox"/> URTI <input type="checkbox"/> Pulmonary TB <input type="checkbox"/> Otitis media <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma General <input type="checkbox"/> Anaemia <input type="checkbox"/> Sickle Cell Disease <input type="checkbox"/> Thalassaemia <input type="checkbox"/> Renal impairment <input type="checkbox"/> Nephrotic syndrome <input type="checkbox"/> Nephritis <input type="checkbox"/> Liver dysfunction <input type="checkbox"/> Ileus <input type="checkbox"/> Congenital cardiac disease <input type="checkbox"/> Haemolytic disease newborn <input type="checkbox"/> Neonatal jaundice	<input type="checkbox"/> Sepsis <input type="checkbox"/> Malaria <input type="checkbox"/> Extra pulmonary TB <input type="checkbox"/> Soft tissue infection <input type="checkbox"/> UTI <input type="checkbox"/> HIV related illness <input type="checkbox"/> Measles <input type="checkbox"/> Varicella <input type="checkbox"/> Osteomyelitis <input type="checkbox"/> Febrile illness unspecified <input type="checkbox"/> Enteric fever <input type="checkbox"/> Infected umbilicus	<input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy <input type="checkbox"/> Probable meningitis <input type="checkbox"/> Other encephalopathy <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrocephalus <input type="checkbox"/> Developmental delay <input type="checkbox"/> Cerebral palsy / Birth asphyxia Other suspected diagnosis: <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Failed appetite test only <input type="checkbox"/> Breast-feeding difficulty <input type="checkbox"/> Tongue tie <input type="checkbox"/> Congenital syphilis <input type="checkbox"/> Microcephaly
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12 Initial Treatment				
Admitted to: <i>select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Admission to ward	<input type="checkbox"/> Admission to HDU	<input type="checkbox"/> Admission to ICU	<input type="checkbox"/> Admission to neonatal unit
Date and time First antibiotics given	<input type="checkbox"/> Not given			
	___/___/_____		____:____	



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	<input type="checkbox"/> Antimalarial (any)	<input type="checkbox"/> Albendazole / deworming
	<input type="checkbox"/> ReSoMal	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
	<input type="checkbox"/> ORS	_____



11. Admission Core Cohort Investigations and Sample Collection

CBC taken	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Plain Blood (serum)	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
Clinical chemistry taken	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Blood spot taken	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
EDTA 2ml blood taken	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Blood culture taken (if available at site)	<input type="checkbox"/> Y BEFORE ABX <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Y AFTER ABX
EDTA 0.5ml blood taken	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	Blood gas taken (if available at site)	<input type="checkbox"/> Capillary <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Venous
Date Taken	Date taken _____ Time taken _____: _____ D D / M M / Y Y Y Y		
Unable to take blood samples, why?	<input type="checkbox"/> Difficult venepuncture <input type="checkbox"/> Child uncooperative <input type="checkbox"/> Parent refused <input type="checkbox"/> Other		



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Rectal swabs taken	<input type="checkbox"/> Y BEFORE ABX <input type="checkbox"/> 1 <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Number taken <input type="checkbox"/> Y AFTER ABX N Time taken ____: ____
Stool sample	Taken _____ Date taken _____ in _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N ____/____/_____ first _____ Time taken ____: ____ 24h? <i>DD/MM/YYYYY</i>

Chest x-ray indicated <i>(respiratory signs symptoms)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, but too unwell <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, done <input type="checkbox"/> Indicated but not done, unclear <input type="checkbox"/> Not indicated
Lumbar puncture indicated <i>(signs of meningitis documented)</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, but too unwell <input type="checkbox"/> Yes, done <input type="checkbox"/> Not indicated

Blood Samples taken by (initials)	_____
Rectal Swabs taken by (initials)	_____

CRF Completed by (Initials) – to be signed when complete. <i>Do not sign if any fields are empty</i>	_____	Date ____/____/_____ <i>DD/MM/YYYYY</i>	Time ____:____
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PART 2

12. CHAIN ADMISSION CRF: SOCIAL INFORMATION.

To be completed within 48h of admission when child is stable. This should ideally be done in a conversational and unhurried way, with the interviewer sitting with the caregiver.

Initials of person interviewing caregiver and completing part 2	_____	Date ____/____/_____ <i>DD/MM/YYYYY</i>
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Doctor Clinical officer Nurse Field worker Research Assistant Other

Time
____:____

Who is being interviewed?

Primary caregiver and one is not the primary caregiver Caregiver only Primary caregiver Primary caregiver and more than one is not the primary caregiver One person who is not the primary caregiver More than one person who is not the primary caregiver Staff Other person

13. Care-seeking Behaviour

Was the child in generally good health before this illness?

Y N Unknown

If No, how long has the child had this problem of generally bad health?

____ weeks N/A

Does the child have health insurance?

Y N Unknown

What was the main reason for bringing the child to this hospital today? *Reasons given, select one*

Referred by health care worker (e.g. from family, neighbour, paid work)? Caregiver concern of child's condition Received money for transport to hospital Relative / neighbour concern Primary caregiver returned home e.g. if away Other of child's condition working

How did you travel to the hospital? *Select all that apply*

Car/ Taxi Ambulance Bus Motorbike Tuk-tuk /CNG Cycle rickshaw Train Walking Other

How long did it take you to travel to hospital?

<1h 1- < 2h 2-4h >4h > 1 day

How much did it cost the family to travel to hospital today (in local currency)?

Estimate amount. If walked, drove own car or free ambulance write

Have you sought treatment for this illness prior to coming to hospital? *Select all that apply*

No treatment sought Shop Government hospital Government dispensary Traditional Healer Pharmacy Private Medical Facility/ NGO Herbalist Homeopathist Other

Received treatment from traditional healer, homeopathist or herbalist in last 4 weeks?

Y N



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14. Child's Health Status Before Admission

Before this illness, how did this child's health compare to other children of similar age in your neighbourhood?
Select one

Similar Better Worse Don't know

Before this illness, how did this child's health compare to his/her siblings at a similar age? *Select one*

Similar Better Worse Don't know N/A only child

11. Primary Caregiver Information

This is the person who has responsibility for day to day care of the child, but is not a substitute carer such as childminder or grandparent who cares for child whilst, for example, mother is at work.

Who is the Primary Caregiver? <i>Select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Biological Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent <input type="checkbox"/> Sibling <input type="checkbox"/> Aunt / Uncle / Cousin <input type="checkbox"/> Stepmother / father <input type="checkbox"/> Care home /orphanage <input type="checkbox"/> Other/ Unclear		
Is the child's biological father alive?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Is the child's biological mother alive?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Primary Care Giver Age <i>Select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> <18years <input type="checkbox"/> >=18 years <input type="checkbox"/> >50years <input type="checkbox"/> N/A (care home or unclear)		
Primary Care Giver Sex <i>Select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Primary caregiver present at admission?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
Has the primary caregiver lived in the same household as the child for the last 2 months?			<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> N/A (care home)
Marital status of primary caregiver <i>Select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Married/ <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Separated / divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed <input type="checkbox"/> N/A monogamous polygamous		
If not present at admission, where is the primary caregiver? <i>Select one</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Work <input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Other_____ <input type="checkbox"/> N/A			
If the primary caregiver is present, caregiver anthropometry: <i>Use locally available adult scales and stadiometer, and adult MUAC tapes provided by CHAIN.</i>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Primary caregiver not present during admission, or care home			



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Weight	____. ____ kg	MUAC	____. ____ cm	Height:	____ cm
Education: <i>Select highest level of education achieved</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Primary <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Above secondary <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> N/A care home				
Able to read?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	Is the primary caregiver primarily responsible for financial support and providing for the child?		<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	
Primary caregiver HIV status in last 6 months <i>Select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Tested Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Tested Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Not tested or unknown				
Have there been ANY changes to the child's social situation in the last 2 MONTHS? <i>Select any that apply,</i>					
Child moved to a different household	Y N	Relocation from rural to urban setting <i>Select 'yes' even if this is temporary</i>		Y	N
		Relocation from urban to rural setting <i>Select 'yes' even if this is temporary</i>		Y	N
		Relocation to live with different caregiver <i>Select 'yes' even if this is temporary</i>		Y	N
Mother sick	Y N	Mother Died		Y	N
Father sick	Y N	Father Died		Y	N
Other primary caregiver sick	Y N N/A	Other primary caregiver died		Y	N N/A
Primary caregiver changed	Y N	Child went into care home		Y	N
Primary caregiver started employment / returned to school	Y N	Person providing for the child has lost income		Y	N
Primary caregiver divorced / separated from partner	Y N	Primary caregiver in new relationship		Y	N
Mother is pregnant	Y N	Mother gave birth		Y	N
Other primary caregiver pregnant?	Y N N/A	Other primary caregiver gave birth		Y	N N/A
If primary caregiver has changed in the last 2 months, who was the child's previous primary caregiver? <i>Select one</i>					



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<input type="checkbox"/> Biologic Mother	<input type="checkbox"/> Biologic Father	<input type="checkbox"/> Sibling ≥18 years old	<input type="checkbox"/> Sibling <18 years old
<input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent	<input type="checkbox"/> Aunt/Uncle/Cousin	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

12. Birth History

Source of information	<input type="checkbox"/> Maternal/caregiver recall		<input type="checkbox"/> Book/medical records	
Birth weight	___ . ___ ___ kg		<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown	
Birth details <i>Select any that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Premature <input type="checkbox"/> Born small <2.5kg <input type="checkbox"/> Twin/multiple birth <input type="checkbox"/> Born at term <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown			
Delivery location <i>Select one</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Born in hospital <input type="checkbox"/> Community facility/clinic with midwife/nurse midwife/doctor <input type="checkbox"/> Home without <input type="checkbox"/> Home with traditional <input type="checkbox"/> Home with midwife/nurse birth attendant birth attendant (untrained) <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown			
Delivery details <i>Select all that apply</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal, spontaneous vaginal <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted delivery (forceps, Caesarean section delivery ventouse) <input type="checkbox"/> Mother admitted to <input type="checkbox"/> Admitted neonatal unit <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown hospital >48h			
Mother's age at first pregnancy	___ ___ years <input type="checkbox"/> unknown		Mother's age now	___ ___ years <input type="checkbox"/> unknown
Participant birth order	___ ___ of ___ ___ total live births <i>(e.g. if youngest of 3 children 3 of 3, if oldest of 3 children 1 of 3)</i>			
Are the biological parents of this child consanguineous? <i>Ask if parents have relatives in common or are related.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes		<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown



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13. Household Food Security (if child in care home include children in the care home only)	
During the past 7 DAYS has ANY member of the household missed a meal due to food shortage?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
During the past 4 WEEKS Did you worry that your household would not have enough food?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Were any of your household unable to eat the kinds of food preferred because of a lack of resources?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Have any of your household had to eat a limited variety of food due to lack of resources?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Have any of your household eaten some foods that you really didn't want to eat because of lack of resources?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Have any of your household eaten fewer meals in a day because there was not enough food?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Did household members go to sleep at night hungry because there was not enough food?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
Did you or your household members go a whole day and night without eating anything because there was not enough food?	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown

CRF Completed by (Initials) – to be signed when complete. <i>Do not sign if any fields are empty</i>	_____	Date ____/____/_____ <i>D D / M M / Y Y Y Y</i>	Time ____:____
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