

**Stroke in Australian Children Under 2 Years of Age**

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**Australian Paediatric Surveillance Unit**

Study ID #:

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Month/Year Report:

*Instructions: Please answer each question by ticking the appropriate box or writing your response in the space provided.  
DK=Don't Know; NA = Not Applicable*

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**REPORTING CLINICIAN'S DETAILS**1. APSU Dr Code/Name:  / \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Date questionnaire completed: \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)**PATIENT DETAILS (THIS CHILD)**

3. First 2 letters of first name: \_\_ \_\_ 4. First 2 letters of surname: \_\_ \_\_ 5. Postcode of family: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Racial background (select all that apply):  Aboriginal  Caucasian  Pacific Islander  Torres Strait Islander  African  
 Asian  DK  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Date of Birth: \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)8. Sex:  Male  Female  Indeterminate 9. Did you make the diagnosis?  Yes (**please go to Q10**)  No – if this patient is primarily cared for by another physician who you believe could provide additional details, please write their name below and return this form to the APSU. If no other reports are received for this child we will contact you for further information.

Physician's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Clinic/Hospital: \_\_\_\_\_

**DIAGNOSIS OF STROKE THIS CHILD**

10. Date of Diagnosis of Stroke: \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)

11. Type of Stroke event (a patient can have multiple types of stroke event: select all that apply)  Arterial Ischemic Stroke (AIS)  
 Periventricular Venous Infarction (PVI)  Cerebral Sinovenous Thrombosis (CSVT)  Haemorrhagic Stroke (NHS)  
 Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_12. Other diagnoses?  Generalised Sepsis  Meningitis  Other infection (specify): \_\_\_\_\_ Congenital heart disease (specify CHD type): \_\_\_\_\_  
(specify interventions): \_\_\_\_\_ Other congenital anomalies (specify): \_\_\_\_\_ Other Diagnoses (specify): \_\_\_\_\_**HISTORY DURING PREVIOUS PREGNANCIES**13. (a) Miscarriage:  Yes  No  DK **If yes**, specify number \_\_\_\_\_(b) Stillbirth:  Yes  No  DK **If yes**, specify number \_\_\_\_\_ specify gestation for each \_\_\_\_\_(c) Neonatal death:  Yes  No  DK **If yes**, specify number \_\_\_\_\_ specify gestation for each \_\_\_\_\_**PREGNANCY HISTORY (THIS PREGNANCY)**14. Maternal age (completed yrs): \_\_\_\_\_ (yrs) 15. Consanguinity:  Yes  No  DK 16. Parity: Gravida \_\_\_\_\_ Parity \_\_\_\_\_  DK17. Was conception:  Natural  IVF  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  DK18. (a) Complications during this pregnancy:  Yes  No  DK **If Yes:**  pre-eclampsia  IUGR  Placental blood flow abnormality  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_(b) Were there any abnormal antenatal US reports:  Yes  No  DK **If yes**, specify: \_\_\_\_\_(c) Was there evidence of meconium stained liquor:  Yes  No  DK(d) Was there evidence of Chorioamnionitis?  Yes  No  DK**If yes**,  Clinically suspected  Pathologically proven  Both  DK**Please attach de-identified placental pathology report, if available**(e) Did the mother have any positive microbial cultures during pregnancy?  Yes  No  DK,**If yes**, GBS in High Vaginal Swab:  Yes  No  DK Urine culture, specify pathogen(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Other +ve cultures, specify pathogen(s): \_\_\_\_\_

(f) During pregnancy did the mother take:

 warfarin  phenytoin  barbiturates  other medications (specify): \_\_\_\_\_  No  DK

(g) During pregnancy did the mother:

Smoke  Yes  No  DK

Drink alcohol  Yes  No  DK

Take Illicit drugs  Yes  No  DK

If yes, specify all: \_\_\_\_\_

19. Is there a family history of childhood stroke: (i) In parents  Yes  No  DK (ii) siblings  Yes  No  DK

(iii) first degree relative of parents  Yes  No If yes, specify first degree relative: \_\_\_\_\_

### BIRTH INFORMATION AND INTERVENTIONS (THIS CHILD)

20. Gestational age: \_\_\_\_\_ (completed wks)  DK

21. i) Birth Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ (g)  DK ii) Birth Length: \_\_\_\_\_ (cm)  DK iii) Birth Head Circumference: \_\_\_\_\_ (cm)  DK

22. Vitamin K given:  Yes  No  DK If yes:  Oral  IM If Oral, were all 3 doses given?  Yes  No  DK

23. Mode of delivery:  Normal Vaginal Delivery  Vacuum  Forceps  Elective Caeseran Section  
 Emergency Caeseran Section  Vaginal Breech Delivery  DK

24. Was this a difficult delivery:  Yes  No  DK If yes:  Shoulder dystocia  Multiple vacuum attempts  Failed vacuum

Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

25. Plurality:  Singleton  Twin 1  Twin 2  Triplet 1  Triplet 2  Triplet 3  Other  DK If twin or triplet, type (select one):  MCMA  MCDA  DCDA  MCTA  TCTA  DK  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

26. Death of Co-twin / Co-triplet:  Yes  No  DK If yes:  death before birth  after birth Cause of death: \_\_\_\_\_  DK

27. Apgar Scores: 1 min \_\_\_  DK; 5 min \_\_\_  DK; 10 min \_\_\_  DK

28. Cord blood gas?  Yes  No  DK

If yes:  Arterial Cord /  Venous cord: pH \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ pCO2 \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Base Excess \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ Lactate \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

29. Resuscitation required at birth?  Yes  No  DK

If yes:  Suction  Oxygen  IPPV  CPAP  Intubation  Chest compression  Adrenaline  Fluid bolus

30. Did the child need vascular catheterisation?  Yes  No  DK If yes:  Umbilical artery  Umbilical vein  Femoral artery  
 Femoral vein  Cardiac catheterisation  Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

### CLINICAL PRESENTATION OF STROKE (THIS CHILD)

31. Date of clinical onset of symptoms: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)

32. Clinical Presentation (please tick all that apply):  Poor feeding  Tachypnoea  Apnoea  Cyanosis  Hypoglycemia  
 Abnormal tone and reflexes  Lethargy  Abnormal level of consciousness  DK

Seizures:  Yes  No  DK If yes, type of seizures:  Focal right  Focal left  Multifocal  Generalised  Subtle

Hemiparesis:  Yes  No  DK If yes, specify:  Right  Left  Bilateral  None  DK

Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

### INVESTIGATIONS FOR STROKE (THIS CHILD)

33. Brain Imaging: Please attach de-identified Brain imaging (MRI, CT, Head US) and EEG reports, if available.

(i) Was MRI done?  Yes  No  DK If yes, date \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)

(ii) Was CT done?  Yes  No  DK If yes, date \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)

(iii) Was Ultrasound done?  Yes  No  DK If yes, date \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)

34. (i) EEG done?  Yes  No  DK If yes, date \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ (dd/mm/yyyy)

(ii) Full blood count:  Yes  No  DK If yes, any abnormalities? \_\_\_\_\_

(iii) Routine coagulation screening tests (PT, aPTT):  Yes  No  DK If yes, any abnormalities? \_\_\_\_\_

(iv) Positive culture:  Yes  No  DK If yes:  Blood  Urine  CSF (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

(v) Echocardiography:  Yes  No  DK If yes, findings? \_\_\_\_\_

(vi) Newborn Screening Test :  Yes  No  DK If yes, any abnormalities? \_\_\_\_\_

**INVESTIGATIONS FOR STROKE (MOTHER AND CHILD)**

**35. (i)** Were any of the results of the following investigations abnormal? *(Please tick all that were abnormal)*

Mother	Child
<input type="checkbox"/> Activated Protein C Resistance (APCR)	<input type="checkbox"/> Activated Protein C Resistance (APCR)
<input type="checkbox"/> Anti-thrombin III (ATIII)	<input type="checkbox"/> Anti-thrombin III (ATIII)
<input type="checkbox"/> Fibrinogen	<input type="checkbox"/> Fibrinogen
<input type="checkbox"/> Plasminogen	<input type="checkbox"/> Plasminogen
<input type="checkbox"/> Protein S	<input type="checkbox"/> Protein S
<input type="checkbox"/> Protein C	<input type="checkbox"/> Protein C
<input type="checkbox"/> Factor V Leiden (FVL)	<input type="checkbox"/> Factor V Leiden (FVL)
<input type="checkbox"/> Methylenetetrahydrofolate Reductase (MTHFR)	<input type="checkbox"/> Methylenetetrahydrofolate Reductase (MTHFR)
<input type="checkbox"/> Prothrombin Gene	<input type="checkbox"/> Prothrombin Gene
<input type="checkbox"/> Homocysteine	<input type="checkbox"/> Homocysteine
<input type="checkbox"/> Factor VIII	<input type="checkbox"/> Factor VIII
<input type="checkbox"/> Factor IX	<input type="checkbox"/> Factor IX
<input type="checkbox"/> Factor XI	<input type="checkbox"/> Factor XI
<input type="checkbox"/> Lipoprotein (a)	<input type="checkbox"/> Lipoprotein (a)
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 1</b> Anticardiolipin antibody (ACLA IgG)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 1</b> Anticardiolipin antibody (ACLA IgG)
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 2</b> Anticardiolipin antibody (ACLA IgG)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 2</b> Anticardiolipin antibody (ACLA IgG)
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 3</b> Anticardiolipin antibody (ACLA IgG)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 3</b> Anticardiolipin antibody (ACLA IgG)
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 1 for</b> Lupus Anticoagulant	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 1 for</b> Lupus Anticoagulant
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 2 for</b> Lupus Anticoagulant	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 2 for</b> Lupus Anticoagulant
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 3 for</b> Lupus Anticoagulant	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>Positive X 3 for</b> Lupus Anticoagulant

**(ii)** Hypercoagulable disorder:  Yes  No  DK **If yes**, specify tests: \_\_\_\_\_

**(iii)** Known platelet aggregation disorder:  Yes  No  DK **If yes**, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**(iv)** Any other haematological abnormality:  Yes  No  DK **If Yes**, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

**TREATMENT/OUTCOME AT DISCHARGE (THIS CHILD)**

**36. (i)** Did the child require respiratory support?  Yes  No  DK **If yes**:  CPAP  Mechanical ventilation  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**(ii)** Did the child undergo:

Therapeutic cooling:  Yes  No  DK

Surgical intervention:  Yes  No  DK

Neuroradiological intervention:  Yes  No  DK

Other *(please specify)*: \_\_\_\_\_

**(iii)** Did the child receive: Anticoagulation treatment  Yes  No  DK

**If yes**, specify *(tick all that apply)*:  Unfractionated heparin  Low molecular weight heparin  Aspirin

Other *(specify)*: \_\_\_\_\_

**37. Outcome at discharge:**

(a) Is the child alive?  Yes  No  DK **If No**, date of death: \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ / \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ \_\_ *(dd/mm/yyyy)*

(b) Did the child have any neurological deficits at discharge?  Yes  No  DK **If yes**, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

*Thank you for your help with this research project.*

**Please return this questionnaire to the APSU via email (SCHN-APSU@health.nsw.gov.au) or fax to 02 9845 3082 even if you don't complete all items.**  
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