

Site Applicability

BC Women's Maternal Newborn Program

Purpose

This is an essential order set used to manage HIV in the setting of labor and delivery, for the purpose of preventing perinatal HIV transmission.

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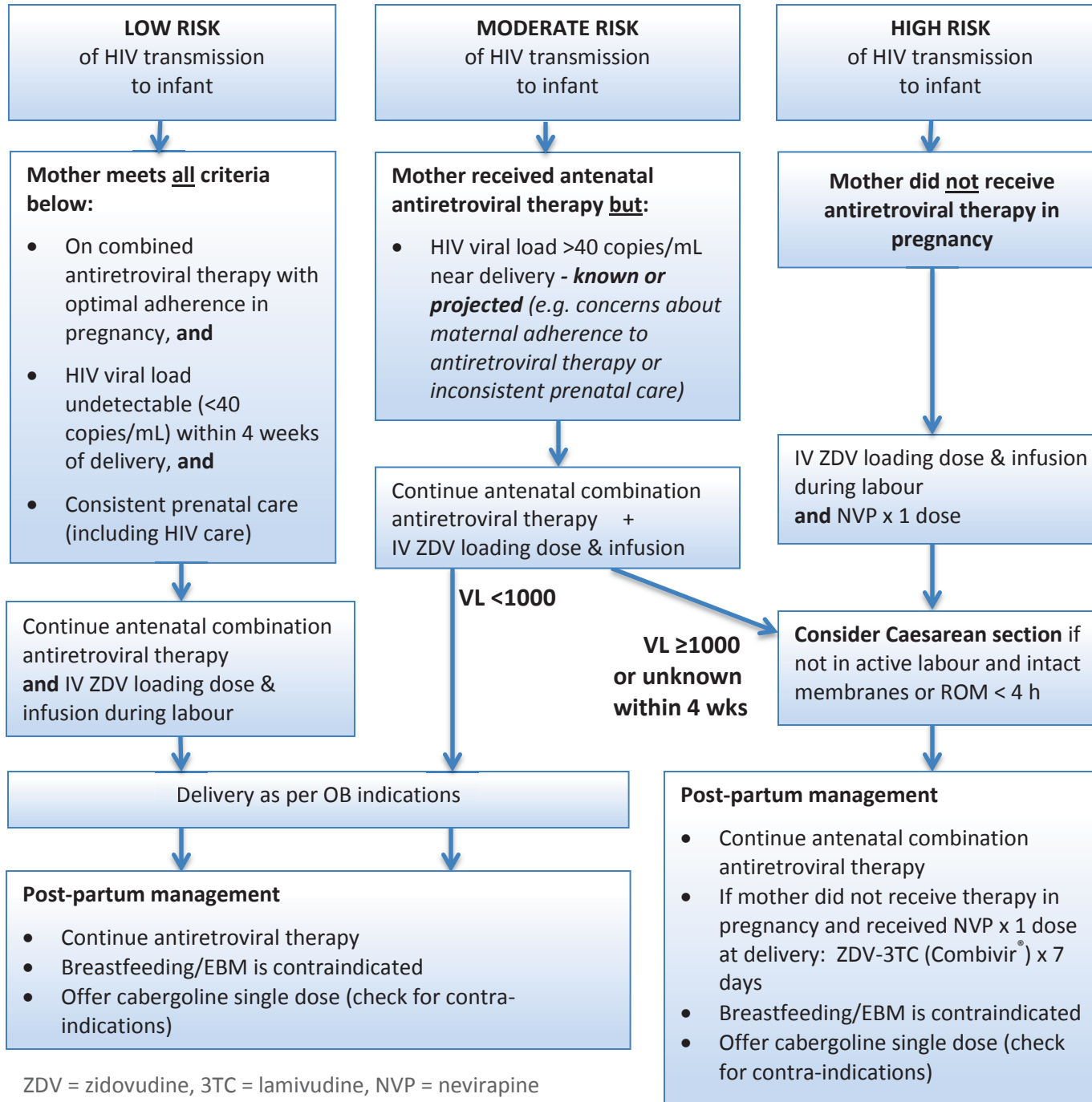
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INTRA-PARTUM MANAGEMENT: HIV-positive woman



ZDV = zidovudine, 3TC = lamivudine, NVP = nevirapine
EBM = expressed breast milk, VL = viral load

Please note:

- **Breastfeeding/EBM is contraindicated**, regardless of maternal antiretroviral therapy and viral load.
- **Cabergoline** is a safe and effective medication for suppressing lactation. Please review contra-indications before prescribing.

Questions?

Oak Tree Clinic staff (604-875-2250) are available to provide telephone advice Monday-Fri day 08:30-16:30.

After 16:30 and on weekends, contact BC Women's Hospital (604-875-2161) and ask for the Level 1 Obstetrician on call.

Additional resources:

- Pre-printed order sets for (a) management of mother, and (b) management of infant
- Guide for interpreting test results
- [Oak Tree Clinic website](#)