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The North's Most Precious Resources

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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7TH

OUR GOAL — To grow and advance our Neonatal Unit

Our 357 sq. ft. Reality

"Our daughter came almost 2 months early. Luckily we were able to stay here in Prince Albert, but the nursery was so crowded we had no privacy to bond."

- **A future expansion of our Neonatal Unit with a bay for each baby outfitted with medical gases, incubator, monitors, and a place for Mom to nurse and sleep.**
- **New warming incubators (that can also cool to address brain injury during delivery)**
- **Resuscitation equipment and ventilators for infants**
- **Mobile ultrasound equipment to check baby's heart, lungs, kidneys quickly and safely in the room.**
- **Oxygen blenders for babies who need help breathing**
- **A chair and pull out bed for every mom to be near her baby**
- **A large family room.**

WHY NOW? BECAUSE...

- Our hospital delivers 1500 babies a year & was originally planned as a 'well baby' nursery. A 'well baby' doesn't require any special medical care and is healthy enough to room in with mom.
- Today, our 357 square ft. is functioning as a level 2 Neonatal Unit stabilizing and caring for a growing number of sick and premature infants – as young as 32 weeks.
- A crowded and noisy environment means mothers and babies have no privacy.
- There are not enough medical gas outlets or enough space to comfortably bathe, change babies and prepare formula.
- Our Prince Albert pediatric team has the skills and training to stabilize and care for fragile newborns born with HIV, Hepatitis C, addictions as well as pre-term babies. As a result, our hospital is seen as a destination by the Neonatal and Pediatric teams throughout SK and regularly accepts babies from Saskatoon and Regina when needed.
- Even with a new children's hospital in Saskatoon, our hospital will continue to play a critical role in supporting the Saskatoon and Regina NICUs to ensure we can keep these fragile babies in Saskatchewan.

How a sick baby is treated in the first few days after delivery, will have long term impact on it's health and development. This is a critical mission." - Peggy Lambos, Pediatrician. Prince Albert

THERE ARE MANY WAYS TO HELP

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