

BAPM- BANNFU

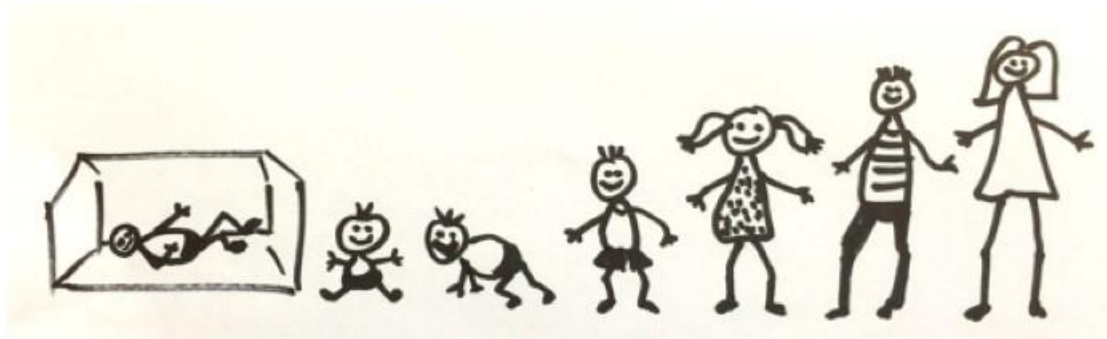
British Association of Neonatal Neurodevelopmental Follow Up

Practical guidance during Covid19 Pandemic
Telephone/Video clinics



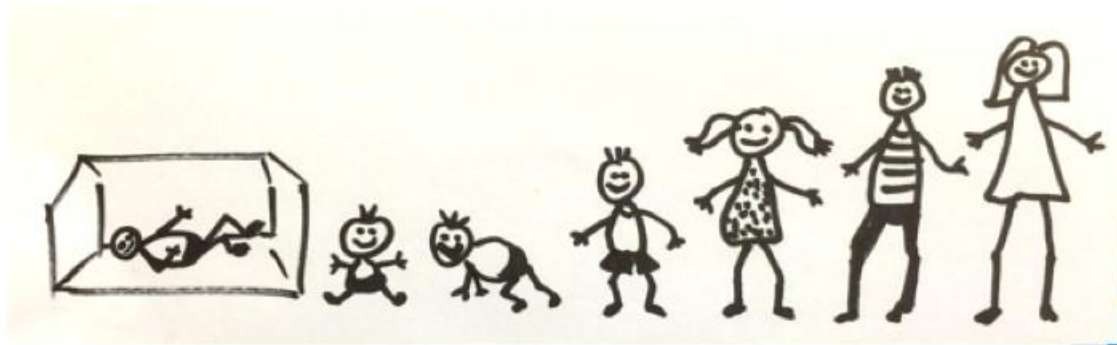
Aims

- Early Identification
- Early Intervention
- Outcome data



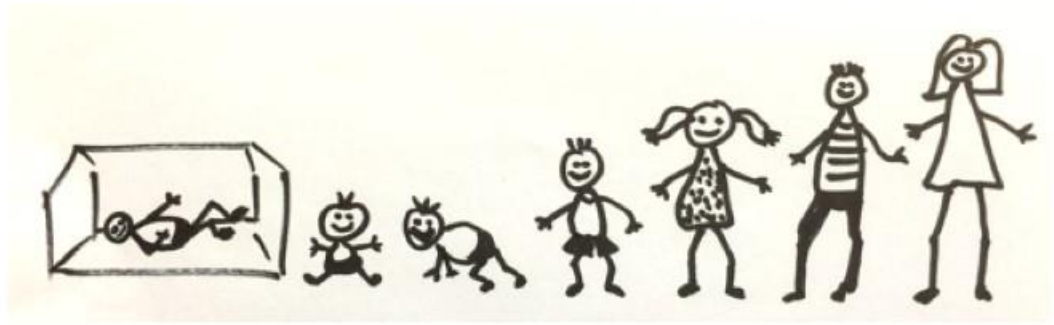
Early Identification

- **Parents are excellent observers of their own children**
- PrechtI videos
- Record forms from developmental tests
- Checklists
- Easy Neurology assessment
- Don't forget to ask for signs on general physical observation



Early Intervention

- Advice depend on initial observation
 - Prechtl videos- if F(-) then refer to physiotherapy
 - Sensory (visual, hearing, SALT, OT)- refer as appropriate
 - Physical concerns to monitor or refer
- Anticipatory guidance – aiming at promoting development and avoiding harm
- EI SMART leaflets on Early Intervention according to age



Outcome data

Clinical information

Clinic letters , Badger 2y outcome questionnaire
For audit of specific conditions at different ages
For evaluation of services (NNU care, NNAP)
For planning of services (community)

Research

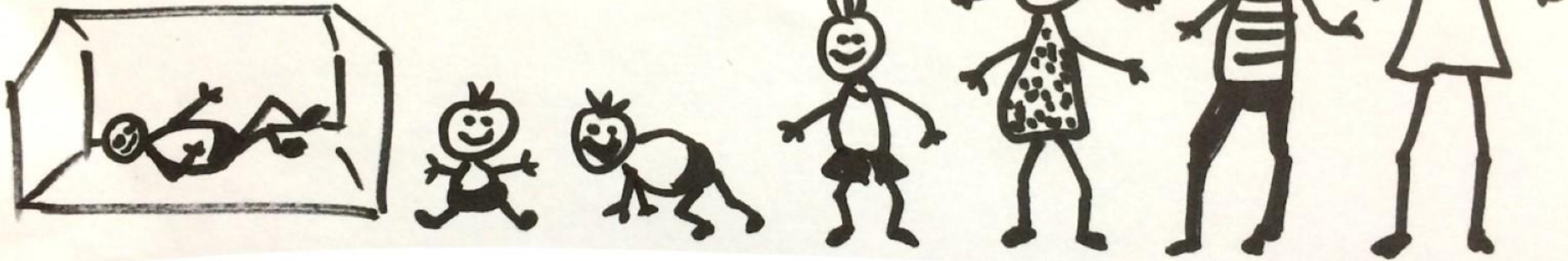
Qualitative (normal, concerns, severely abnormal)

Quantitative

PARCA-R at 2 years

Any other needs formal assessment
(PrechtI – can be discussed locally)

Timing of clinics



Term age

Risk assessment

Video

Neurology

Other as per local unit

Early Intervention

Three months

Risk assessment

Video

Neurology

Developmental checklist

Early Intervention (EI SMART)

Other as per
local
guideline

Checklists

EI SMART

Two years age

Risk assessment

PARCA-R

2y questionnaire

Developmental check for FM and GM

Early Intervention (EI SMART)

Role of the clinic coordinator

- Key point of information for the whole FU service
- Books the appointment
- Seeks consent from parents for telephone clinic
- Sends relevant documentation by email in advance of the clinic
 - 3 months - information for video
 - 2 years- PARCA-R
 - Other as per local guideline
- Receives the videos and completed questionnaires on nhs.net account
- (via we.transfer.com or other as per local guide)
- Types and encrypts letters and reports
- Sends information back to family, other health providers
 - clinic letter/report
 - relevant leaflets on Early Intervention



Useful Resources

- PARCA-R manual (<https://www2.le.ac.uk/partnership/parca-r/docs/parca-r-manual>)
- Copy of Denver forms to extract relevant questions at specific ages
- HINES Neurology examination form to be used as a guide
- Two-year Badger questionnaire
- My Baby Motor by Olsen-Puttkammer chart for motor progression
- Developmental checklists for all ages
- Infant Positioning advice for parents
- Information on how to video a baby and how to send the video
- www.eismart.co.uk for leaflets on Early Intervention recommendations according to age

