

Appendix 3: Distribution of neonatal near-miss cases by pragmatic and management criteria shown in Box 1

Criteria	Number of neonatal near-miss cases (n)	Percentage
Neonatal near-miss	316	100.0
Pragmatic criteria (any)	135	42.7
Birthweight < 1750 grams	83	26.3
Gestational age between 28 and 33 weeks	94	29.7
5-minute APGAR<7	46	14.6
Management criteria (any)	261	82.6
Use of parenteral antibiotic	193	61.1
Ventilation	34	10.8
Intubation at birth	37	11.7
Phototherapy within 24h	64	20.3
Cardiopulmonary resuscitation	38	12.0
Vasoactive drug	15	4.7
Administration of anticonvulsant	15	4.7
Administration of surfactant	24	7.6
Administration of blood products	13	4.1
Use of steroid to treat refractory hypoglycaemia	10	3.2
Any surgery	6	1.9