

Volunteer Service Description

<i>Position Title: NICU Nursery Baby Rocker</i>	
<i>Objective:</i>	To provide comfort measures to the patient and family members by rocking babies in the nursery when requested by the R.N. caregiver.
<i>Hours:</i>	Sunday through Saturday 24 hours a day
<i>Qualifications:</i>	Friendly positive attitude. Works well with patients, staff and visitors. No artificial nails allowed.
<i>Training:</i>	Hospital orientation. Mandatory in-service training to department with Captain and Orientation with Child Life Specialist.
<i>Competencies:</i>	Confidentiality Infection Control Toy washing policy/training
<i>Responsibilities:</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Report to Charge Nurse at start of shift ▪ Obtain and review Volunteer Communication Binder <p><u>Baby Duties:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Rock babies with Nurse’s permission and engage mature and/or alert babies in play and social time as appropriate, with Child Life Specialist (CLS) and RN guidance ▪ Feeding low risk babies only upon RN approval ▪ Change diapers with RN approval <p><u>Other duties (as time permits):</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Check infant crib mobile, visual attachment toys, CD players and soothing glider and swing chairs in need of battery replacement ▪ Engage brothers and sisters of SCN babies in therapeutic activities using mobile play cart, provided by CLS ▪ Clean infant toys from the dirty toy bin ▪ Return toys to appropriate nursery cupboards once cleaned ▪ Clean toys in SCN waiting room (when vacant) ▪ Stock bottles/formula in nurseries ▪ Create transport packs ▪ Take specimens to the lab ▪ Assist parents upon discharge with carrying belongings etc... ▪ Volunteers <u>do not</u> handle the baby. ▪ Organize and store developmental supplies <p>Call department if you cannot make your shift 733-1060</p>