SUDDEN INFANT DEATH and SHAKEN BABY SYNDROME INFORMATION ACKNOWLEGEMENT FORM

Nebraska law (Nebraska Revised Statute, section 71-2103; approved 3/12/2019):

Every hospital, birth center, or other medical facility that discharges a newborn child shall request that each maternity patient and father of a newborn child, if-available, view a video presentation and read printed materials, approved by the Department of Health and Human Services, on the dangers of shaking infants and children, the symptoms of abusive head trauma in infants and children, the dangers associated with rough handling or striking of an infant, safety measures which can be taken to prevent sudden infant death and abusive head trauma in infants and children including crying plans, and the dangers associated with infants sleeping on the same surface with other children or adults.

After viewing the presentation and reading the materials or upon a refusal to do so, the hospital, birth center, or other medical facility shall request that the mother and father, if available, sign a form stating that he or she has viewed and read or refused to view and read the presentation and materials. Such presentation, materials, and forms may be provided by the department.

Parental Acknowledgements with initials and signature:

	I have viewed the video presentation and read the printed materials provided to me by the hospital, birth center or medical facility as set forth above. I refused to view the video presentation and read the printed materials provided to me by the hospital, birth center or other medical facility as set forth above.		
	Signature of Mother	nature of Mother	
	Signature of Father		
	Date		
Newborn Information:			
	Name	Date of Birth	
Medical Facility			

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