Are you ready for the new Joint Commission infant ID mandate?

Zebra’s positive newborn ID for better care and compliance

As of January 1, 2019, all of The Joint Commission-accredited hospitals and critical access hospitals with a nursery, newborn intensive care unit (NICU), pediatrics, or labor and delivery department must use at least two distinct naming conventions for identification of newborn patients.

When you use the conventional method to identify newborns, you’re not providing enough information to positively identify each newborn. Infants can look similar, share the same birth date and can’t identify themselves. Similarities between names and medical records can lead to unfortunate mix-ups.

Reduce medical errors by following the mandate to include the mother’s first name and a unique identifier. Make it easy with Zebra’s LaserBand2 Advanced Labor and Delivery Solution, the only complete solution for newborn patient ID.

Easy, Reliable Newborn Patient ID

**Effortless compliance**
Unique, pre-printed numeric identifiers on infant and parent wristbands enable hospitals to comply with The Joint Commission’s mandate.

**Positive newborn ID**
To reduce medical errors due to misidentification.

**Easy assembly**
Self-laminating direct-print laser wristbands feature an advanced shape and design for easy assembly.

**Quick, accurate scans**
The LaserBand2 lies flat on the wrist or ankle, making scanning fast and accurate. Add the Infant Swaddle Band, and you can scan newborns while they are being swaddled.

**Superior comfort**
Latex-free wristbands won’t irritate newborns.

**A complete package**
Wristband sheets include two adult wristbands, two infant wristbands, and two infant ID tags. Uniquely numbered sheets help you comply with the Joint Commission Newborn ID Mandate.
Match each newborn with the correct parent or partner

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<th>Compliant</th>
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<td>Wristbands only show mother’s last name and newborn’s gender</td>
<td>Wristbands show mother’s first name, last name and newborn’s gender</td>
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<td>Multiple births not identified</td>
<td>Multiple births clearly identified</td>
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<td>No unique code</td>
<td>Unique numbered code for each family (newborn and parent or partner)</td>
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<td>No body-site identification</td>
<td>Two body-site IDs with matching numbered codes are created with each wristband</td>
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LaserBand2 Labor and Delivery Wristband Features
- Unique, pre-printed code on infant and parent wristbands
- Self-laminating design protects printed text and barcodes from moisture and hand sanitizers, preserving patient data
- Tamper-evident, adhesive closure
- Wristband extender to fit a wide range of wrist sizes for adults
- Multiple sizes on one sheet: adult, pediatric, and infant tag
- ID tag for use with ComfyCuff or Swaddle Band

Infant Comfort Solutions
- ComfyCuff: Latex-free soft, foam cuff that maximizes infant comfort
- Infant Swaddle Band: Creates an extension between the ComfyCuff and LaserBand2 Advanced making it easier to identify swaddled newborns

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