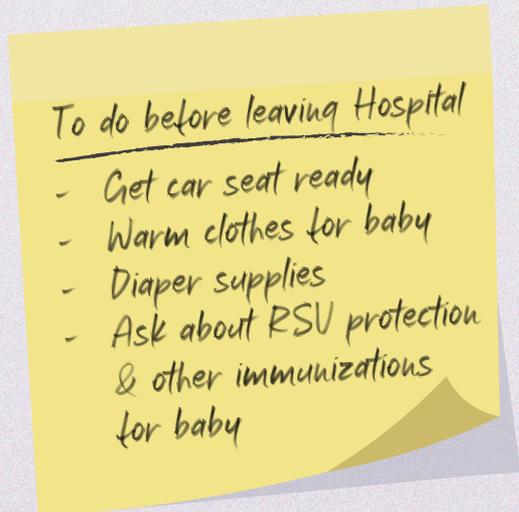


We already take actions to protect the health & safety of our newborns and infants.

Now we can add protection against RSV to that list.

Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) is a common respiratory illness. For most people, RSV usually causes mild cold-like symptoms. However, newborns and infants are at higher risk of getting severely sick if they get RSV.



Every year, RSV in infants causes hospitalizations in the Northwest Territories (NWT).

This RSV shot, Nirsevimab (BEYFORTUS™), protects from severe RSV disease in their first RSV season.

It is recommended for all infants who are 0 to 3 months of age at the start of and throughout the RSV season (approximately November to May).

Talk to your healthcare provider for more information on the RSV shot.

