

What You Need to Know About – West 12

West 12 - Medical Unit

West 12 is a 24-bed acute care unit. Nurses on this unit care for medical patients and many infants. Some of the main diagnoses include respiratory illnesses such as bronchiolitis, pneumonia, pertussis, asthma and croup, infectious disease such as viral illness, septicemia or cellulitis, dehydration and non-accidental trauma.

Getting Assignment	B station/Report room
Getting Report	Epic and verbal report
Vital Signs I&O IV checks	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • As ordered and per policy • BedsidePEWS scores – per Care Recommendations • Daily weights on day shift for many patients (0800-1200); weights required upon admission, transfers and when specifically ordered Heights required on admission • IV site checks Q1 hour, IV volumes cleared and documented Q1 hour
Labs (RN draws)	Before 0630
Medication Administration & Classification	Unit specific- check with resource person prior to administering
Supplies	Supplies in nurse servers, clean utility, med room
Monitors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alarm limits on CRM are defaulted based on age- All monitors plugged into nurse call and GE central monitor
Other	Use Vaseline and/or barrier wipes on all infants

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