

APPENDIX
APGAR SCORING

| | 2 | 1 | 0 |
|---------------------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------|
| COLOR | COMPLETELY PINK | PINK BODY BLUE EXTREMITIES | TOTALLY BLUE |
| RESPIRATIONS | GOOD, CRYING | SLOW OR IRREGULAR WEAK CRY | NONE |
| PULSE | >100 | <100 | NONE |
| MUSCLE TONE | ACTIVE | SOME FLEXION OF EXTREMITIES | LIMP |
| REFLEX* IRRITABILITY | VIGOROUS CRY | GRIMACE, WEAK CRY – SOME MOTION | NO RESPONSE |

The condition of the neonate should be appraised at 1 minute and again at 5 minutes.

* Reflex irritability is tested using the stimulus of a suction catheter passed into the nose. Patency of the nasal opening can be detected simultaneously.

PEDIATRIC ENDOTRACHEAL INTUBATION

| RELATIVE AGE | TUBE SIZE | BLADE SIZE |
|----------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Premature Neonate | 2.5 | 0 |
| Newborn | 3.0 | 1 |
| Large Newborn | 3.5 | 1 |
| 1 Month to 1 Year | 3.5 | 1 |
| 1 Year to 2 Years | 4.0 | 1.5 |
| 2 Year to 4 Years | 4.5 | 2 |
| 4 Years to 6 Years | 5.0 | 2 |
| 6 Years to 10 Years | 6.0 | 2 |
| 10 Years to 14 Years | 6.5 | 3 |
| 14 Years | 7.0 | 3 |

NOTE: Endotracheal tube selection should be based on the child's size and not age. One size larger and one size smaller will be allowed for individual variations.