

# The Role of Hydrocortisone for Hypotension in Extremely Low Birth Weight Infants Webinar

# Internet Live Activity

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#### Overview

Extremely low birth weight (ELBW) infants are at risk for hypotension. The administration of hydrocortisone (HC) may be an effective treatment for hypotension in some infants. This presentation will address the trends in use of HC, dosing ranges and the associated risks.

#### Objectives

#### ACCME Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- 1. Discuss the rationale for using hydrocortisone for hypotension.
- 2. Summarize the risks associated with the use of high dosage hydrocortisone.

#### CME – ACGME/ABMS Competencies

- Patient Care and Procedural Skills
- Medical Knowledge
- Practice-based Learning and Improvement

#### ANCC Learning Outcomes

- 1. Discuss the rationale for using hydrocortisone for hypotension.
- 2. Summarize the risks associated with the use of high dosage hydrocortisone.

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- Employ evidence-based practice

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