

FAMILY HUDDLE

At C.S. Mott Children's Hospital, we care about your child's health and safety. As partners in your child's care, we provide families the ability to ask for a Family Huddle, a team of specialized health professionals who will come to your child's room to assess the situation based on your concerns.

If you notice any of the following, please first call your bedside nurse immediately:

- Your child is having trouble breathing.
- You child has a change in their mental status (including new numbness, weakness, or confusion).
- Your child has uncontrolled pain.
- You feel your child's condition is getting worse.
- Something just doesn't seem right, and you are concerned about your child.

Most of the time, this is all you will need to do, as the bedside nurse will take action as needed.

If you cannot reach your bedside nurse or if you still have concerns, you can activate a Family Huddle.

TO ACTIVATE A FAMILY HUDDLE:

- 1. Call 141 from your child's room.
- 2. Tell the operator that you would like to activate a Family Huddle.
- 3. Give the operator your name, your child's name, and the room number.
- 4. Let your bedside nurse know that the Family Huddle team is on the way.

Once activated, the Family Huddle team will respond quickly to address your concerns.

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