



## CCHD Screening Newsletter 2016-4

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### Education Resources- Now Available on the NSO Website!

To support the launch of provincial CCHD pulse oximetry screening, NSO will be providing education resources for

- CCHD pulse ox screening training presentation with accompanying suggested talking points
- CCHD screening algorithm and CCHD screening chart
- Recommended screening competency guidelines and competency evaluation tools
- Checklist to gauge whether organizations are ready to begin pulse ox screening
- If your organization is already screening for CCHD by pulse oximetry, a checklist to compare your CCHD pulse ox screening program with the provincial standards

**Other education materials and resources** that will be available soon include:

- CCHD pulse ox screening webinar in early 2017
- Updated NSO website, including an e-learning module, and updated Newborn Screening Manual
- Parent brochures and a downloadable CCHD information sheet
- How-to posters, reference guides, lanyard cards and other CCHD pulse ox screening paraphernalia

### Launch Kits

Launch kits with these resources and others will be sent to your organizations in preparation for your CCHD screening launch. Now is the time to start thinking about **how** and **when** your organization will get started. We are planning 3 main phases of screening implementation, with Phase 1 beginning in Feb 2017, Phase 2 from June to August 2017 and Phase 3 from September to December 2017. Ideally, all well babies in Ontario will have access to CCHD screening by the end of 2017.

**Please let us know** when your organization will be ready to start CCHD screening and we will work with you as you get your program up and running. If you would like to suggest other education materials or resources you would find useful, send us an [email](#).

**Thank you, and wishing you happy holidays!**

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