BEWARE YELLOW

BABY JAUNDICE IS NOT ALWAYS NORMAL!
Every month a New Zealand baby is born with severe liver disease.

If your baby has **YELLOW SKIN** or **EYES**
and
**PALE POO**
or
**DARK URINE**
(yellow or brown wee)

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Your baby needs a **SPECIAL BLOOD TEST**
called a **Split Bilirubin**

See your Doctor or Midwife as soon as possible.

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DO YOU LOOK AFTER NEWBORN BABIES?
Beware of liver disease in young babies!

JAUNDICE
(after 2 weeks of age)
and
PALE STOOLS
or
DARK URINE

= Perform a Split Bilirubin as soon as possible as part of your assessment

If bilirubin is conjugated refer urgently to your local paediatric service.

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