Assessment Checklist for discussion with neonatal consultant

Weight Monitoring	Birth weight	
	Current weight	
	Percentage weight loss	
Feeding Assessment	Frequency of feeds	
	Length of feeds	
	Does baby wake for feeds?	
	Is baby settled after feeds?	
	Have you observed baby having an adequate feed?	
	Have you observed baby taking an appropriate top up volume?	
	If bottle feeding what is the volume and frequency of feeds?	
Hydration Status	Does baby have any of the following?	
	 Dry mouth/mucous membranes Sunken fontanelle Dry skin Weak cry Urates in the nappy 	
	Number of wet nappies in last 24 hours and when was the last wet nappy?	
	When was the last dirty nappy and what colour was the stool?	
Observations	Respiratory Rate	
	Heart Rate	
	Temperature	
Jaundice	Is the baby jaundiced and if so what is the Minolta/SBR?	