How Can I Manage My Child’s Breathing Problems at Home?

- Visit the NICU often, and help care for your baby as much as possible in the hospital.
- Learn how to use equipment: pulse oximeter, oxygen tank, nasal canula.
- Know the signs of difficulty breathing.
- Learn CPR.
- Learn how to give your child’s medicines.
- Plan ahead for extra help at home.
- Schedule routine followup doctor visits.
- Wash your hands frequently.
- Avoid crowds.
- Have your child immunized.