

### ***“HI-TECH” SUCCESS AND “LOW-TECH” FAILURE IN NICU - A MATTER OF ETHICS***

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This presentation will explore ethical aspects of the priorities of care within Neonatal ICU in relation to different populations of newborn infants. The NICU undertaking has been driven by a massive expansion of “Hi-Tech” cures with great success over decades. Recent developments in policy change relating to “borderline viable” infants are in keeping with this priority. By contrast the care required by other neonates, including Late Preterm infants and infants with Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome, does not appear to progress at a similar pace. This priority of “Hi-Tech” over “Low-Tech” allows for discussion of ICU professional culture within and beyond Neonatal ICU.

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