

Signs of stroke in babies



Learn the signs of stroke in babies and newborns.

Stroke signs in newborns:

- > Seizures.
- > Extreme sleepiness.

If you see any of these signs, call triple zero (000) immediately.



Learn more about childhood stroke: https://strokefoundation.org.au/ about-stroke/learn/childhood-stroke

Stroke signs in developing babies:

- > Weakness on one side of the body.
- > Holding one hand in a fist.
- > Hand preference before 12 months of age.
- > Delays in early milestones (rolling, sitting, crawling and walking).

If you notice any of these signs, talk to your baby's doctor or maternal and child health nurse.

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