



GUIDELINES FOR SAFEGUARDING YOUR BABY

Cookeville Regional Medical Center promotes security measures to provide maximum protection for your baby.

The following guidelines list ways you can help with this protection;

1. Do not give your baby to anyone without a hospital badge.
2. Never leave your baby alone in your room.
3. Question unfamiliar persons entering your room or inquiring about your baby, even if they are in hospital attire or seem to have a reason for being there. Alert the nursery immediately by pressing your call light or call the nursery directly at extension 2298.
4. Consider the risk you may be taking when allowing your baby's birth announcement to be published in the newspaper. The use of outdoor decorations announcing your baby's arrival such as mylar balloons, large floral wreaths, wooden storkes and other lawn ornaments may no longer be safe.