

ROP IN THE WILD BLUE YONDER  
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Why do you need Telemedicine for your practice/region/hospital?  
Stakeholders: NICU/neonatologist/ped oph/retina/hospital/nurses/parents  
How will NICU imaging personnel be trained and who will train them?  
Call schedule/coverage/back-up plan for imaging personnel?  
What back-up is available for “live” exams/treatment/infant transfers?  
Who is reading images? Are they also examining infants in same NICU?  
How are images transferred? Format? IT/internet security/HIPPA?  
Who makes decision to treat and is treating MD also reading images?  
What happens when a baby cannot be imaged? and needs a NICU exam?  
How is follow-up arranged? Who coordinates 100% of all discharged pts?  
If baby misses first “live” exam, who follows up on this?  
Payment/reimbursement issues: NICU/hospital contract vs fee-for service  
Malpractice coverage and tail  
How are imagers reimbursed?

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