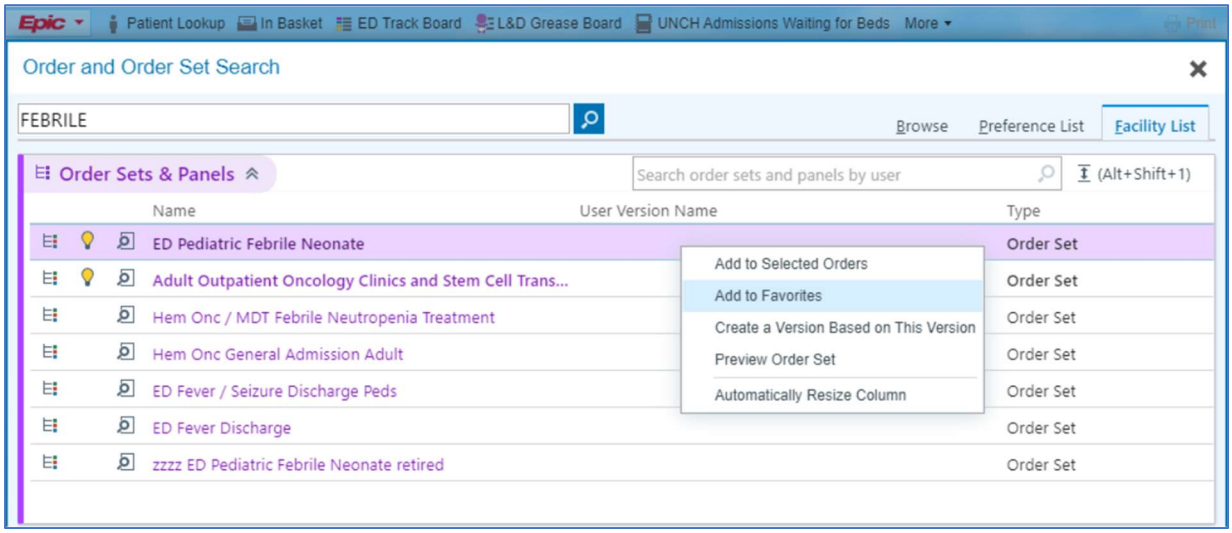
Tip Sheet for Using the ED Pediatric Febrile Neonate Order Set

This tip sheet will describe the basic steps to using this order set and highlight some of the features designed for clinical decision support.

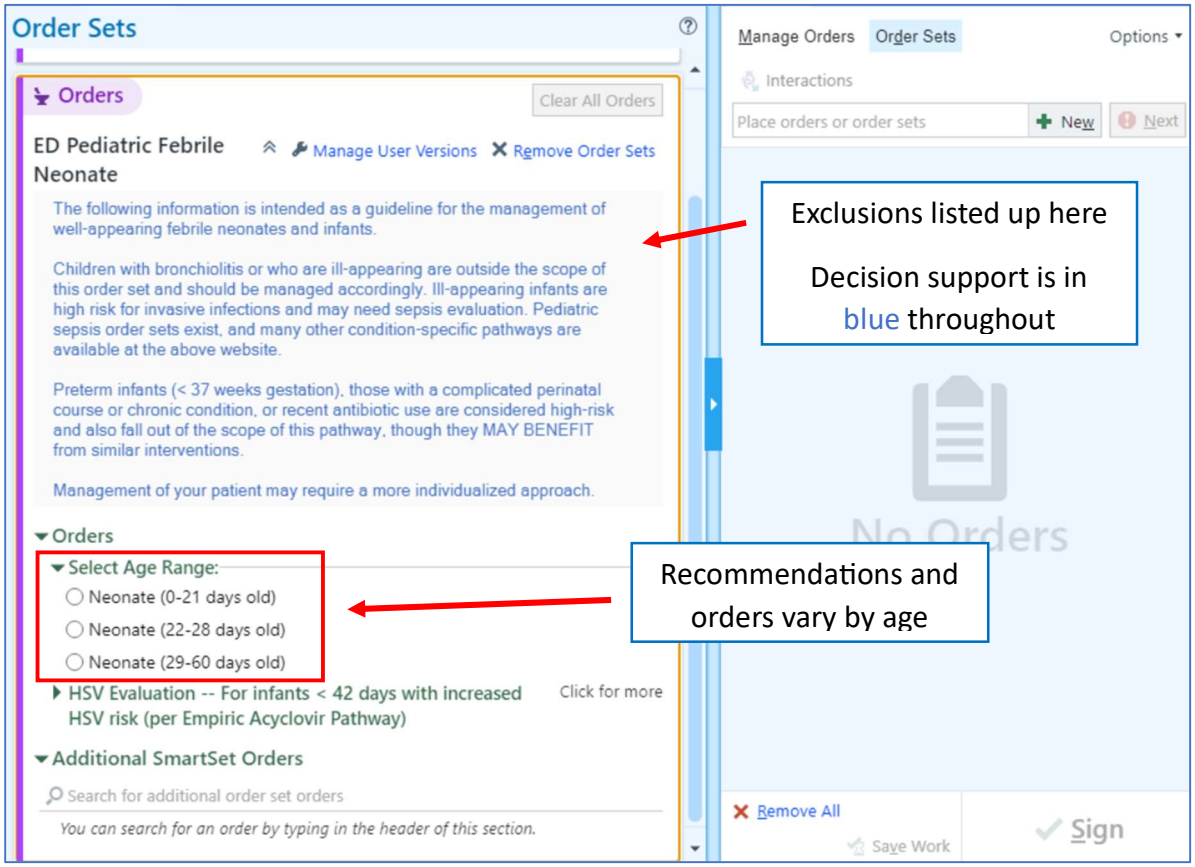
NOTE: This order set is only available to providers caring for patients while in the ED or urgent care setting. This order set will not be visible for those patients who have been admitted to an inpatient bed.

1. Search for the order set using your usual process

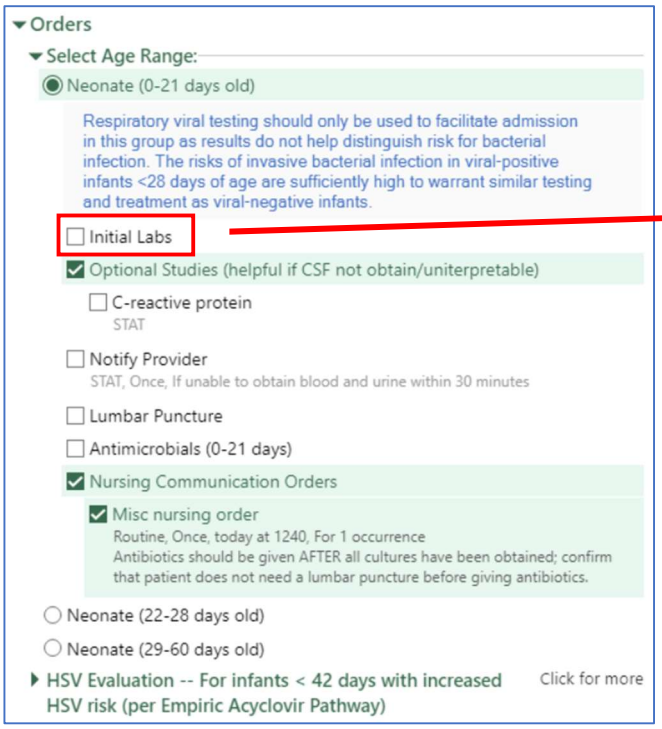
   OPTIONAL: You can right-click to "favorite" this order set for future use

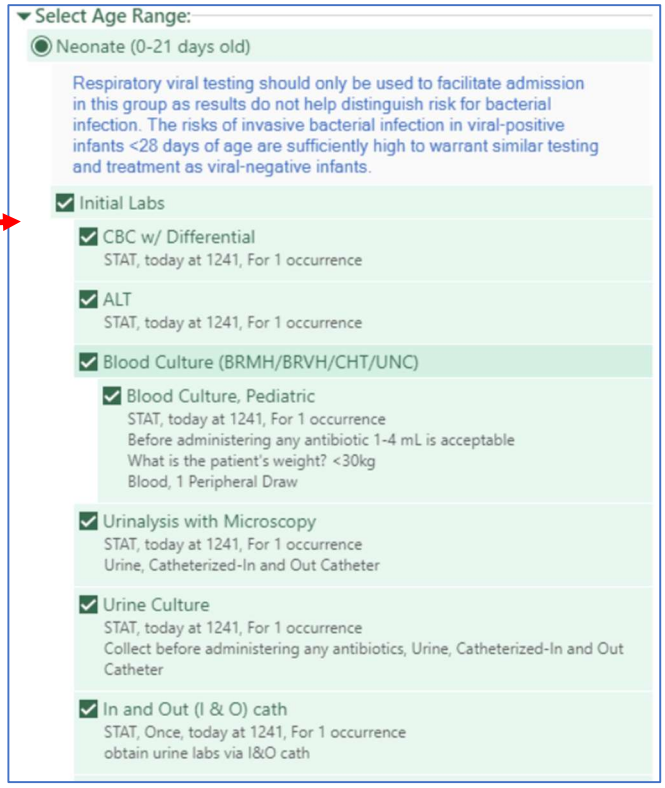


2. Select an order bundle based on the AGE of your patient

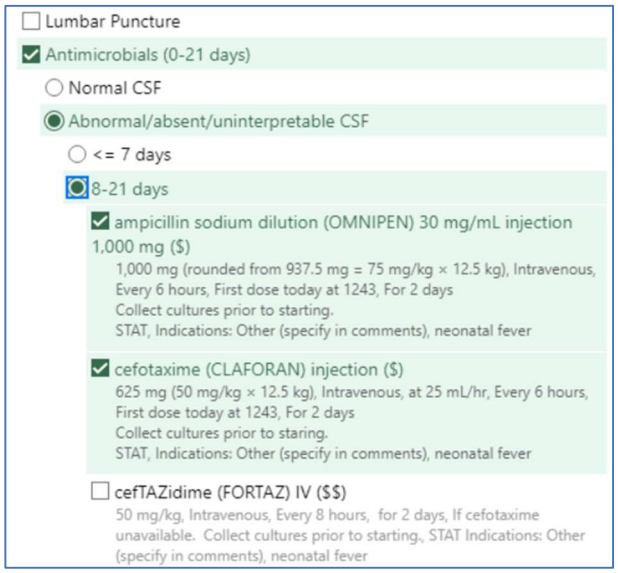


3. Choose the order cluster you need (e.g. Initial Labs, Lumbar Puncture, Antimicrobials, etc)
    a. You *may* choose to order all of these things at the same time
    b. For some patients it may be *more useful* to order initial labs and follow with lumbar puncture and/or antimicrobials once labs have resulted
    c. This allows providers to use this order set at any point in patient care while centralizing all orders under a single source





4. The order set will identify the recommended antibiotic / tests based on the choices you make
    a. All empiric antibiotic recommendations, including dosages and frequency, align with clinical pathway and expert pediatric pharmacy advice
    b. Using the order set for antibiotic ordering ensures your choices align with the best-available evidence



5. Decision support (blue where possible) is extensive and tailored to the clinical details for your patient

6. A section on HSV Evaluation has been added to the end (ages don't align with prior categories)

Highlights which infants warrant HSV evaluation

(risk varies by age/clinical features)

Pre-fills lab comments with collection advice

Acyclovir dosing pre-filled