Kansas Administrative Regulations

Department of Health and Environment

Article 4.—Maternal and Child Health—General Regulations.

28-4-73. Treatment of eyes of newborn.

(a) The prophylactic approved for instillation into the eyes of newly born infants shall be one of the following:

(1) One percent (1%) aqueous solution of silver nitrate,

(2) An ophthalmic ointment containing one percent (1%) tetracycline, or

(3) An ophthalmic ointment containing five-tenths percent (.5%) erythromycin.

(b) These prophylactic agents shall be distributed in single use containers which bear clearly the name and percentage strength and an expiration date beyond which the product shall not be used.

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