

**Table 2 Invasive procedures performed on neonates**

Invasive procedures	No. of procedures	No. of affected neonates	% of neonates
Peripheral venous catheter	256	116	78.3
Endotracheal intubation	133	59	39.8
Mechanical ventilation	59	59	39.8
Continuous positive airway pressure	67	46	31
Ambulatory ventilation	91	55	37.1
Venous cutdown	1	1	0.67
Intraosseous needle	1	1	0.67
Surgically placed central venous catheter	35	35	23.6
Umbilical venous catheter	40	40	27
Exchange transfusion	7	7	4.7
Chest tube	10	9	6.7
Blood and blood product transfusion	118	54	36.4
Urinary catheter	18	18	12.1