What we do in the Medical Day Unit

Procedures:

- Diagnostic lumbar punctures
- N.G. tube insertion for home feedings
- G tube button changes
- Catheter specimen for urine C&S
- Bowel clear outs
 - a) oral colonic solutions via N.G.
 - b) fleet enemas
- Immunizations

Infusion Centre:

- Central Line Care:
 Assessment/accessing/locking management of blocked lines dressings/blood sampling
- I.V. starts for multiple types of procedures/blood sampling and infusions.
 - Albumin, IVIG, and other blood products
 - o The Home I.V. program
 - o Antibiotics
 - o Methylprednisolone pulse
 - o Remicade
 - o Pamidronate
 - o Cyclophosphamide
 - o Iron infusions
 - o Aldurazyme
 - o Cerezyme
 - Other medications

Tests:

- Food allergy challenge
- Medication allergy challenge
- PET
- Tensilon

Preparation and Recovery for:

- Kidney Biopsy
- Upper Endoscopy
- Colonoscopy
- Bronchoscopy

Teaching:

- Diabetes Day Program
- CIC/Bowel program for Spinal Cord Clinic
- N.G. tubes/G&J tubes
- Nursing students

Procedures with Conscious Sedation:

- Joint injection with/without casting
- Liver Biopsy
- Lumbar Puncture
- Laser treatment

General:

- Multi-organ transplant Patients follow-up care
- Special feeding assessments
- Schedule and book multiple tests and consults
- RSV prophylaxis clinics
- Minor burn dressings