PMTCT in Labour Wards

Client arrives in Labour Ward and she is actually in labour

Check (on ANC card) if she tested for HIV

Yes, she tested for HIV
What was the result?

No, she did not test for HIV
Then offer "Opt-Out" counseling & testing

She tested positive
Has she taken NVP/AZT?

She tested **negative**

She tests **negative**

She tests positive

No,
she has not taken NVP/AZT

Yes,
she has taken NVP/AZT

Post-Test Counseling
(at appropriate time, before or after labour):
Discuss window period and need for retesting;
risk reduction plan and support for risk reduction;
and prevention, disclosure, and partner referral.

Action:
Give NVP/AZT/3TC

Then:
- Ensure safe obstetric practices
- Discuss infant feeding options
- Give baby NVP/AZT soon after birth followed by AZT for 7 days/28 days
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Then after delivery:
a) Continue Post-Test Counseling (if not previously completed):
Discuss source of support; risk reduction plan and support for risk reduction;
positive living; and prevention, disclosure, and partner referral.
b) Referrals to other care services (ART, family planning)

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