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Good prognosis chemistries:
- Na < 100 mmol/L
- Cl < 90 mmol/L
- Ca < 8 mg/dl
- Total Prot < 20 mg/dl
- Osmol < 200 mmol/L
- β2 micro < 6 mg/L

Borderline prognosis chemistries (1 or 2 values > threshold)

Presentation at multidisciplinary conference

Patient counseled on option of fetal intervention

Fetal Intervention to place vesicoamniotic shunt (<26 weeks' gestation)

- Weekly ultrasounds for bladder and amniotic fluid volume assessment
- Ultrasounds Q 3 weeks for fetal growth

Consider delivery at a tertiary care facility

Poor prognosis chemistries (3 or more values > threshold)

Consider palliative care

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