

Praise the Lord! Emmalyn's health condition continues to improve. (The 3rd and 4th pictures above were taken in the last 24 hours) She is breathing completely on her own, with no added oxygen other than a very miniscule amount ($\frac{1}{10}$ of a litre per minute) when she sleeps. She is no longer sedated or on any antibiotics. She is still being fed through a tube, but it is now emptying into her stomach instead of the duodenum, because there is now less risk to her lungs if she does vomit. Because of her improvement, she no longer requires to be in the ICU and will move to the regular ward as soon as everything is prepared for her there. Yesterday the doctors said that IF Emmalyn's health is good enough to leave ICU tomorrow, and IF HSC in Winnipeg will accept her transfer, and IF our medical evacuation insurance does the transfer, she COULD be heading to Winnipeg as soon as tomorrow IF we wanted!

Those first IF's were all satisfied, so then we have had to weigh the final IF. What do we want? After getting more information regarding Manitoba COVID protocol, talking to the medical team here, and looking at other extraneous factors, we are currently planning on completing our 14 day quarantine here in Montreal. Then if Emmalyn is well enough to travel by then (and the doctor feels that is highly likely), we can fly to Manitoba and enter the general population without additional quarantine at that time.

Regarding the cause of her sickness, some of her symptoms are consistent with a severe asthma attack (uncommon in children so young), but that still wouldn't explain some of the other things that have been going on. Every test that they have done so far has come back negative, and they are still waiting on several other tests to be done or results to be ready.

Thank you so much for your prayers and kind words, and I would ask you to please continue to pray for:

1. Complete healing for Emmalyn
2. The medical team to discover what is behind all of this
3. The sanity of the rest of the family in quarantine with one parent and Emmalyn gone at all times
4. Wisdom for continued decisions

Yours for Liberia,
The Reimer Family