HARE DEVELOPMENT

| AGE IN WEEKS | FEEDING | ELIMINATION |
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| **0 to 1 wk**<br>- Birth weight is 65-80 grams, gaining ~9g/day | 4x/day formula;<br>- 3-4 mls | Stimulate after each feed<br>- They may not urinate every time |
| **1 to 2 wks** | 4x/day formula;<br>- 4-5 mls | As above |
| **2 to 3 wks** | 4x/day formula;<br>- 5-6 mls | As above |
| **3 to 4 wks** | 3x/day formula (as much as they want. Note: should be taking at least 6-8mls/feed before reduce from 4x/day feedings to 3x/day feedings)<br>Introduce large flake raw oats & a small dish of water or drinking bottle | Stimulation should no longer be necessary |
| **4 to 5 wks** | 2x/day formula (as much as they want. Note: should be taking at least 10 mls/feed before reduce from 3x/day to 2x/day)<br>Continue raw oats and offer freshly picked small tender dandelion leaves and clover (no pesticides) and water | As above |
| **5 to 6 wks** | 1x/day formula<br>- should self wean during this week | As above |