PRE-ECLAMPSIA

KNOW THE FACTS TO BE PREPARED

WHAT IS IT?

Preeclampsia is a serious blood pressure condition that can happen after the 20th week of pregnancy or after giving birth (called postpartum preeclampsia).



RISKS TO YOU:

- Stroke
- Seizure
- Organ Damage
- Blood Clotting
- Death

RISKS TO THE BABY:

- Premature Birth
- Death

SIGNS OF PREECLAMPSIA



Stomach Pain



Headache



Feeling Nauseous; Throwing Up



Seeing Spots; Blurry Vision



Swelling in Hands & Face



Gaining more than 5 pounds in a week

WHAT TO DO NEXT?

If you are worried you might have pre-eclampsia contact your doctor or midwife right away. Detecting pre-eclampsia early is important for both you and your baby.

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