

# POSTPARTUM RED FLAGS

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Fever
100.4
Or higher

High Blood Pressure
140/90
Or greater

Headache
New onset or unrelieved
with pain medicines

#### Visual changes

Spots in front of your eyes, flashing lights, or unable to see parts of your visual field.

### Upper belly pain

Pain above your belly button on the right-hand side that does not go away. It can be dull aching, throbbing or sharp.

#### Chest Pain

whether it is crushing pain, sharp pain, or pressure, NO chest pain is normal after delivery. It needs to be evaluated



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## Shortness of Breath

feeling like you can't take a deep breath, can't get enough breath, or having a hard time breathing

## Heavy Vaginal Bleeding

Fully saturating a pad an hour or more and/or passing Orange sized clots

## Persistent Nausea and Vomiting

#### Worsening Belly Pain

particularly in people who have had cesarean sections

Feelings of Hoplessness or Worthlessness

Feelings of Hurting Yourself or your Baby