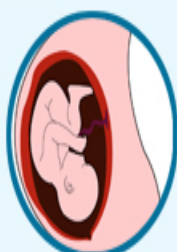


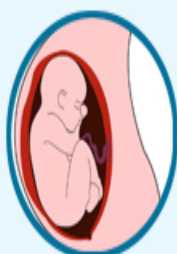


Things to know before choosing labor induction

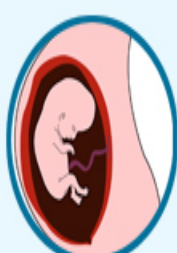
Factors that can prevent labor induction



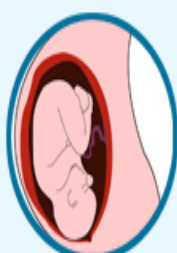
You are less than 37 weeks pregnant



Your baby is breech



Your baby has fetal growth restrictions, or its growth has stopped



Your baby is larger than normal for a gestational age



You and your baby possess certain complications that could interfere with the method

Potential risks of labor induction



There may be a greater risk of infection for you and your baby



Although rare, the induction may cause the uterus to tear



Induced labor may increase the risk of postpartum hemorrhage or bleeding



The induction may cause close contractions that lower the baby's heart rate

Note:

Remember to consult your doctor about the points mentioned above to stay informed for a healthy and safe delivery.

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