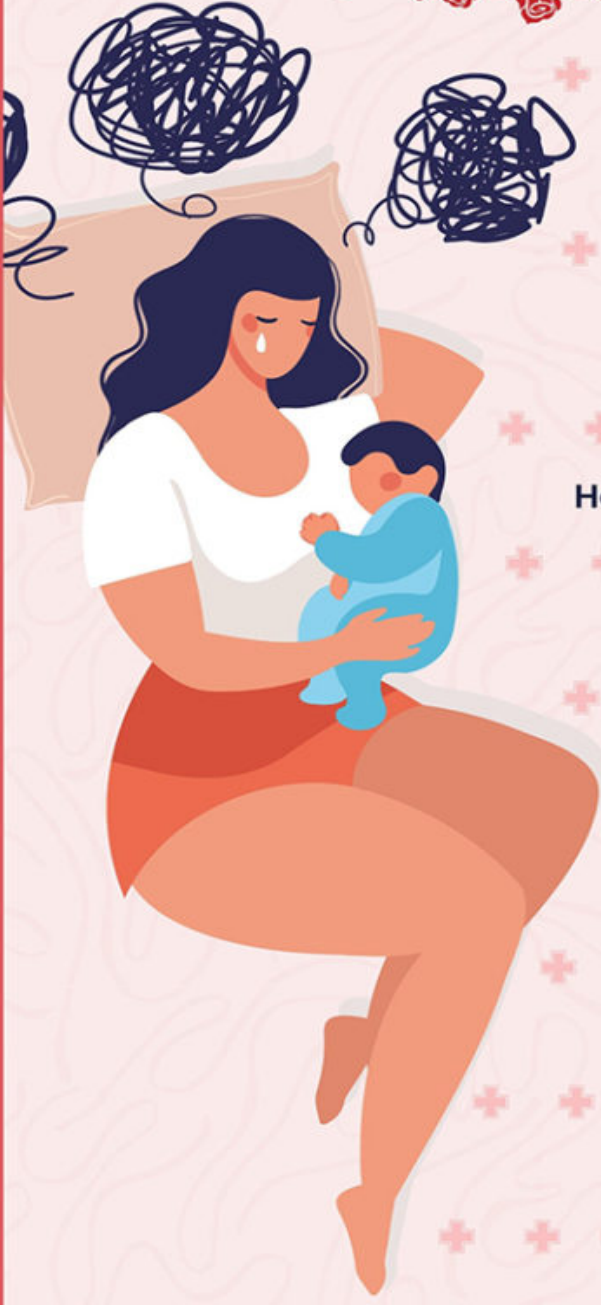




# WHEN SHOULD YOU NOT WAIT SIX WEEKS?



A few situations require prompt medical attention after delivery. If you show any of the following signs, do not wait until the sixth-week postpartum checkup to visit a doctor.



Discharge from the surgical site

Foul-smelling vaginal discharge

Heavy menstrual bleeding

Fever

Severe abdominal pain

Increased heart rate

Dizziness

Nausea or vomiting

Severe headache

Shortness of breath

Frequent or painful urination

Vision troubles

Severe pain in the lower abdomen

Redness around the C-section site that doesn't reduce

Excessive sweating

Swelling in lower extremities

Postpartum depression or anxiety

