

POSTPARTUM ALERT

Emergency Department & Clinic Guide

ASK - IDENTIFY - ACT

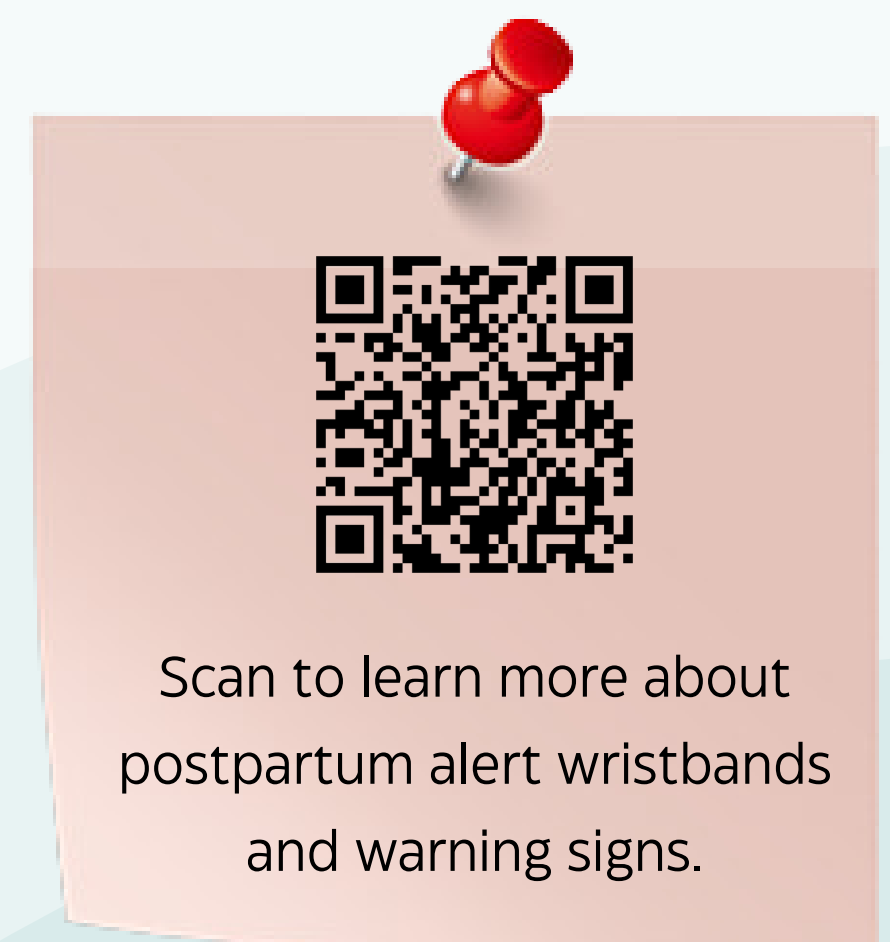
ASK

→ Are you currently pregnant or have you been pregnant within the last year?

IDENTIFY WARNING SIGNS

→ Be alert for warning signs and symptoms that may indicate a postpartum complication:

- Chest pain or difficulty breathing
- Severe headache or vision changes
- Heavy bleeding or signs of infection
- Thoughts of harming self or baby
- Seizures or high blood pressure
- Severe swelling, redness, or pain in the legs
- Any unusual or concerning symptoms



ACT FAST

- Escalate concerns
- Assess and treat promptly
- Consult OB or maternal health experts
- Give clear discharge instructions
- Arrange follow-up care

