when making decisions it can help to use your BRAIN

Benefits

How can this decision help me and my baby?

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Risks

What are the potential risks to both me and my baby if we make this decision?

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Alternatives

What alternative decisions are there? Are any of them safe for our circumstances and available at this hospital?

Intuition

What is my intuition telling me to do? What decision feels right/wrong?

Nothing

What would happen if I wait and do nothing differently for an hour?.

These questions, along with dialogue with your OB/GYN or midwife, can help you to make the best decision for you and your baby.

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