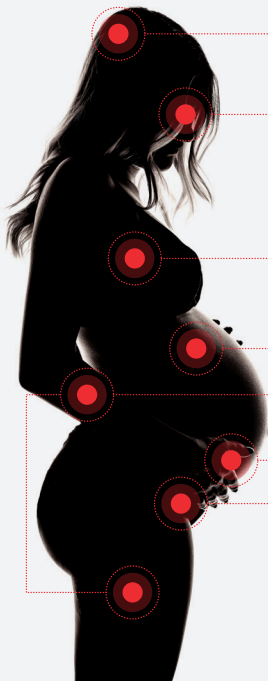


What you should know about pre-eclampsia

- Pre-eclampsia is a progressive, unpredictable and serious hypertensive pregnancy related disorder.
- Pre-eclampsia can lead to severe complications for both the mother and baby, requiring induced labor and pre-term birth.
- Pre-eclampsia affects 2-4% of pregnancies worldwide.¹
- It is responsible for around 46,000 maternal and 500,000 fetal and newborn deaths per year.



What are the signs and symptoms pre-eclampsia?



- Persistent and severe headache even with medication.
- Visual disturbances such as blurriness and flashing lights.
- Shortness of breath
- Right sided abdominal pain
- Sudden swelling of the face, hands or feet
- Nausea, vomiting
- Sudden weight gain (> 1kg per week)

If you have any of these symptoms seek medical advice immediately

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