

# What to prepare for maternity?

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# For the day of birth

#### Pack in a separate bag from the suitcase:

(Only this bag is needed in the delivery room)

#### For you:

- Comfortable clothing for the delivery room
- Your toiletries
- Disposable underwear
- A water spray
- Equipment to listen to music if you like

You can also bring to the delivery room your favorite non-dairy and pulp-free drink (water, syrup, soda, coffee, tea, herbal tea, fruit juice without pulp).

#### For your baby:

Your baby will need to be kept warm, and even in summer, prepare:

- A bodysuit
- Two woolen cardigans
- Warm socks or booties
- Pajamas
- A hat
- A sleep sack

## Remember to remove any piercings, jewelry, and contact lenses.

# For your stay at the maternity

#### Pack in a suitcase:

#### For you:

- Your clothes for the stay
- Slippers
- Nursing bras
- A pair of compression stockings, class 2
- Your health record and your partner's

## For your baby:

- 5 bodysuits
- 5 woolen cardigans
- 5 pajamas
- 5 pairs of booties or socks
- 2 hats
- 1 sleep sack (in addition to the one for the delivery room)
- 5 bibs
- 2 bath towels
- 1 hairbrush
- 1 warm outfit for the departure and a secured car seat if you are driving home

# N.B: Keep together and bring to each appointment all the following documents concerning your pregnancy follow-up:

File, letters, test results (blood tests, ultrasounds, vaginal swabs, etc.), blood group card, ongoing medication prescriptions, and administrative documents: consultation labels and your admission documents to the maternity ward, family record book, and/or early recognition and health record.

It is strongly advised to leave all valuables at home.

