

Unit 2

1. Make *noun + verb* or *verb + noun/adjective* collocations (*a + b* or *b + a/c*) typical of obstetrics from the word banks below.

e.g. deliver a baby; baby is born etc.

2. Make *adjective + noun* collocations (*c + a*) typical of obstetrics from the word banks below.
e.g. perinatal period etc.

3. Make typical collocations using the word banks *a*, *b*, and *c* below.
e.g. deliver a healthy baby etc.

(a)

baby	birth	cord	episiotomy	labour
midwife	mother	obstetrician	period	pregnancy
section				

(b)

be born	be	deliver	do	get	give	induce	terminate
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(c)

breech	Caesarean	compassionate	experienced	healthy
high-risk	neonatal	normal	overweight	perinatal
pregnant	premature	qualified	sensitive	stillborn
stuck	umbilical	weak	young	

4. Match the term with the definition.

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| 1) birth | a) (used about a baby) dead when it is born |
| 2) breech | b) the process of giving birth to a baby |
| 3) labour | c) a hospital doctor who looks after women who are pregnant |
| 4) midwife | d) the state of being pregnant |
| 5) neonatal | e) happening before the normal or expected time |
| 6) obstetrician | f) a person who has been trained to help women give birth to babies |
| 7) delivery | g) being born; coming out of a mother's body |
| 8) premature | h) when the baby's head does not come out first during birth |
| 9) stillborn | i) the process of giving birth to a baby (obstetrician, midwife) |
| 10) pregnancy | j) relating to the first weeks of a baby's life |