

Birth Care & Family Health Services

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EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS

DIAL 911 if you have a life-threatening emergency or you need immediate emergency care

(717) 786-4010 - Always call your midwives **FIRST**.

(717) 256-1201 - Call this number if you think you are in labor and you cannot reach someone on the office line. This number can be used if you cannot reach someone on the main Birth Care line. You will be connected directly to the midwife on duty. If your call is not answered, leave a message with your name, number, birth date and what you are calling about. When you leave the message, both the on-call and backup midwives will be notified immediately that there is a message. If you do not receive a call back within 5 minutes, call this number again.

Emergency Backup Number

Ephrata Community Hospital Labor and Delivery

(717) 738-6434

Call this number only if you have left a message for the midwife and have not heard back. Tell the nurse that you are a patient of Birth Care and need help contacting a midwife. They will always have our home and cell phone numbers and be able to reach us.

WHEN YOU CALL IN LABOR: Be prepared to answer the following questions:

Name of Woman in Labor _____

Her Due Date _____

Your Name _____

Time Contractions Started _____

How many minutes apart? _____ Lasting how long? _____

Did her water break? _____ When? _____

Was it clear _____ GBS positive(does she need antibiotics)? _____

Is baby moving ? _____

Is there bloody show ? _____

Is she feeling pressure ? _____