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# Your Prenatal Care Timeline

### **1st Trimester**

- 8-12 weeks Initial prenatal visit
  - Viability ultrasound and initial prenatal labs
- 10-14 weeks
  - Decide if you want genetic testing Carrier Screening and noninvasive prenatal testing (NIPT)
- \*COVID-19 Booster Vaccine and Flu Vaccine\* (recommended, and safe, at any time during your pregnancy)

# **2nd Trimester**

- 16 18 weeks: **AFP** lab test
- 20 weeks: Anatomy Ultrasound

# **3rd Trimester**

• Sign up for **prenatal classes** (access Parent Education classes on GBMC.org or TowsonOBGyn.com)

\*\*We highly recommend the infant CPR class \*\*

• Decide on a **pediatrician** (we have a list of area providers if you need recommendations at TowsonOBGyn.com)

\*\*Must have a pediatrician by the time you deliver\*\*

- Decide about cord blood banking
- 26-28 weeks: <u>Glucose lab test</u> (no fasting required)
- 28-30 weeks: breast pump prescription
- 27-36 weeks: Get <u>TDaP</u> vaccine at your local pharmacy
- 36 weeks:

# • Growth ultrasound

- Group B Strep (GBS) test
- 36-week informational packet with information on labor and delivery