# Pregnancy Week by Week

1. Which week would conception usually take place?
   a. Week 1
   b. Week 2
   c. Week 3
   d. Week 4

2. When can a baby’s heartbeat be detected?
   a. Week 6
   b. Week 8
   c. Week 12
   d. Week 15

3. What week does the first trimester end?
   a. Week 10
   b. Week 12
   c. Week 14
   d. Week 18

4. At what week does morning sickness USUALLY ease?
   a. Week 7
   b. Week 9
   c. Week 10
   d. Week 12

5. Mothers who are “high risk” may be given amniocentesis to test for birth defects. What weeks would amniocentesis take place?
   a. Week 10-12
   b. Week 14-16
   c. Week 16-18
   d. Week 22-24

6. Ultrasounds to determine a baby’s sex and age are usually performed between what weeks?
   a. Week 16-18
   b. Week 18-20
   c. Week 20-22
   d. Week 22-24
7. At what week are all five of the senses functional?
   a. Week 30
   b. Week 31
   c. Week 32
   d. Week 33

8. Which organ is the last to develop?
   a. Heart
   b. Bladder
   c. Stomach
   d. Lungs

9. If a baby is born before ________ it is considered premature?
   a. Week 27
   b. Week 30
   c. Week 32
   d. Week 37

10. When are women considered “post-due”?
    a. 40 weeks
    b. 41 weeks
    c. 42 weeks
    d. 43 weeks
Answers:

1. Week 3 – Because medical professionals calculate by the gestational age method, week one begins with the first day of your menstrual period. At around day 14 a woman will ovulate therefore conception usually occurs at that time.

2. Week 6 - The baby is about 1/17 of an inch long. Many exciting changes happen the 6th week: the umbilical cord develops, eyes and ears are forming, buds are forming that will become arms and legs, and the heart is pumping blood.

3. B is the correct answer – The first trimester are weeks 1-12, second trimester are weeks 13-27, and third trimester is weeks 28 to birth.

4. Morning sickness usually ends around week 12.

5. Week 16-18 – This procedure obtains amniotic fluid from sac surrounding the baby. The fluid is tested for birth defects.

6. Ultrasounds are usually performed between weeks 18-20.

7. Hearing, sight, touch, taste and smell are usually developed at week 32.

8. Correct answer is D. The lungs are the last organ to develop.

9. D is the correct answer.

10. A woman is “post due” at 42 weeks. Care providers may suggest induction.