Having your first baby?

You can have your own personal nurse!

Nurse-Family Partnership
Helping First-Time Parents Succeed
You will meet with your nurse regularly to talk about pregnancy, parenting, your child’s health and development, and whatever else is on your mind as a first-time parent.

With New York City Nurse-Family Partnership (NYC NFP), your own personal nurse will answer your questions and support you to have a healthy pregnancy and a healthy baby, and to be the best mom you can be. NYC NFP won’t cost you anything and is available regardless of your age, immigration status or gender identity.

How does it work?

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Your nurse will support you to:

- Know what to expect during pregnancy and childbirth
- Learn how to take care of your baby (feeding, bathing, safe sleep and more)
- Understand how babies learn and grow
- Connect with other resources and services, like health insurance, mental health care, child care and educational programs
- Achieve personal goals, such as continuing your education or developing job skills
- Give your baby the best possible start in life

As a first-time mother, you probably have a lot of questions . . .

“What do babies need?”

“What will I be a good mom?”

“How will this change my life?”

“How will I take care of my baby?”

“What do I tell my family and friends?”

“Should I breastfeed?”
Who can sign up for NYC NFP?

Anyone in New York City who:

- Is 28 weeks pregnant or less with their first baby
- Meets income requirements

Who else can participate?

As the mom, you are the main focus, but family members, partners, friends and your baby’s father are welcome to join you.
Ask your health-care provider, visit nyc.gov/health/nfp, email nycnfp@health.nyc.gov or call 311 and ask for Nurse-Family Partnership.