



Most experts agree...if you are 35 weeks along, it's time to pack your suitcase. The big day is almost here! Use this handy checklist to help prepare for your birthing experience at FHN.

<ul> <li>Your birth plan (on next page)</li> <li>Robe and slippers</li> <li>Warm socks</li> <li>Eyeglasses, if you wear them</li> <li>Headbands or ponytail holders (optional)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Baby outfit to wear home (remember undershirt and socks!)</li> <li>Parents' ID information (see page 48 for examples)</li> <li>Insurance information</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Your own nightgown or pajamas (optional)</li> </ul>	
Toiletries, if you prefer to use specific brands from home	□
<ul> <li>Toothbrush</li> </ul>	□
Hair dryer and curling iron	
Lip balm	
Camera and extra batteries/charger	
<ul> <li>Cell phone and charger</li> <li>Underwear</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Loose-fitting outfit to wear home</li> </ul>	
Makeup, if you usually wear it and	
want some for photos	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Flip flops or larger shoes in case your	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
feet get swollen	
Suckers or hard candy	FHN will provide:
Nursing or supportive bra	<ul> <li>Hospital nightgowns</li> </ul>
Breast pump (if nursing)	<ul> <li>Basic toiletries for you and your baby</li> </ul>
Relaxation aids, such as music,	(shampoo, conditioner, lotion, comb,
lotions/essential oils, books, cards, inspiring photos	soap, toothpaste)
Music, movies, and magazines or other	Pads and disposable panties
reading material	Diapers and baby wipes
Personal contact list, so you don't	• Blankets
forget to notify anyone special	• Baby soap
Baby book	<ul> <li>Formula, if needed</li> </ul>
Baby announcements	Please ask your support team to bring
Infant car seat with cover as seasonally	their own personal care items, if needed.
needed (must not be expired)	