

Questions to ask about antenatal testing

Baby health checks start before they even leave the womb. Here are some questions you may want to ask your midwife about antenatal testing.

Ask what the standard antenatal tests are and what they look for.
Ask if there are any other tests that may be relevant based on age or individual medical and genetic history.
Ask when the antenatal tests are carried out.
Ask how the antenatal tests are carried out.
Ask if it's ok to bring someone for support.
Ask how long the results take to come back.
Ask about the level of accuracy of each antenatal test – it varies.
Ask for support or therapy if you need someone to talk to.