At Women & Infants Hospital, we know how important it is to support your birth preferences while maintaining a safe outcome and positive experience for you and your family. We want to partner with you and your family during your pregnancy to learn about what is most important to you. We encourage you to talk with your care provider about your preferences over the course of your pregnancy, and work together to create and update your birth partnership as your delivery approaches.

My name is: ___________________________________ I prefer to be called: ___________________________________

My labor support people are: ________________________________________________________________

I plan to have this person in the OR with me for delivery: ______________________________________

My doctor/midwife is: _____________________________ My baby’s doctor is: ___________________________

During my labor and birth, these things are important to me: ______________________________________

These are the things I am worried about: ______________________________________________________

These are the cultural, religious, or personal preferences that are important to me: __________________

The things that help me relax include: _______________________________________________________

These things are important to me after delivery: __________________________________________________

My infant feeding plan is: __________________________________________________________________

In the operating room, I would be interested in the following:

☐ My support person having skin-to-skin contact with my baby if I am unable to do so
☐ Bringing my own music
☐ Dimmed room lights with the exception of the OR lights for my obstetrician
☐ My support person cutting (trimming) the umbilical cord
☐ Taking part in a private cord banking program

Name of program: _________________________________________________________________________

Notes: __________________________________________________________________________________

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We look forward to caring for you and your family during your labor, delivery, and postpartum period. For more information, visit womenandinfants.org/HavingABaby.