



for pregnant women with low risk for adverse outcomes



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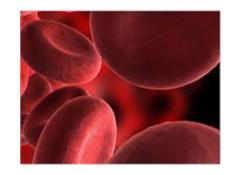


### The utility of care for patients health and quality of life

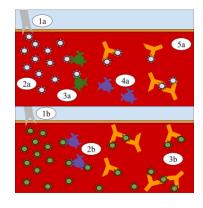


- Is it possible to identify healthy pregnant women with a low risk for adverse outcomes- who probably today receive care they do not need?
- Is it possible to individualize the standard antenatal care (SAC) program to a greater extent?
- Is it possible to replace routine visits in the standard antenatal care program (SAC) with video meeting?







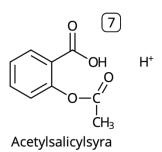










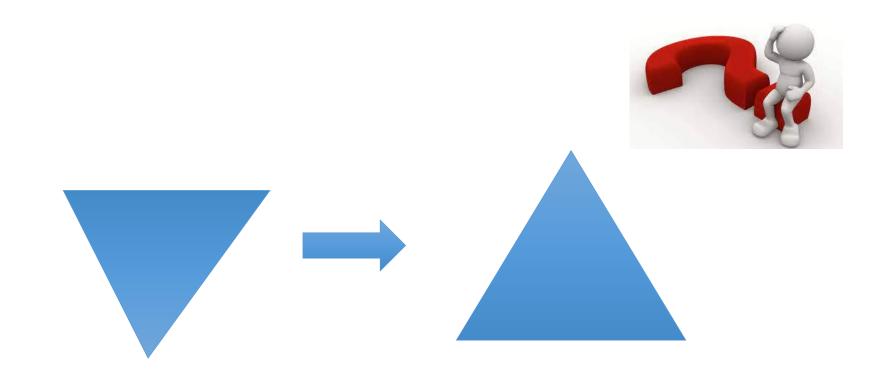








Can we change the way of thinking about antenatal care?



# Supplement 1. Risk assessment protocol for adverse pregnancy outcomes using four dimensions; Psychiatric- social- medical and obstetric health, in brief summary.

Low risk in all four	ligh risk is defined as: isk is identified in any of the four dimensior isk for preeclampsia is high.				
well-monitored/trea illness High risk	Exis     No a     No a     No a     High risk     Nee	n accommodation/occupation/economy ting social network abuse of alcohol or drugs d for interpreter n exposed to violence			
not affecting the pro	previous pr	Ithy nulliparous or multiparous women with vious normal pregnancy and delivery  yte donation vious intrauterine fetal death vious complicated delivery ere fear of childbirth			



the uterine pulsatility index, medical history, biochemical markers (PLGF, s-hcg PAPP-A) and median blood pressure in both arms.



The pregnant women are classified as either low or high risk for preeclampsia

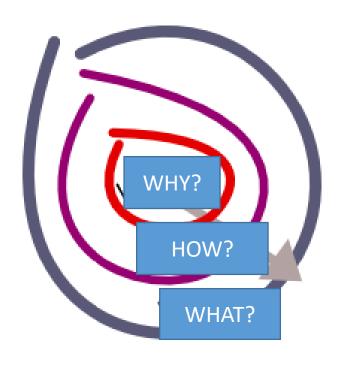
**Table 1** Main medical content in the standard antenatal care program (SAC) and the modified antenatal care program (MAC)

	SAC		MAC		
Gestational week	In-person visit	Medical content e.g	In-person visit	Virtual visit	Medical content e.g
6 to 10		Lifestyle recommendations			Lifestyle recommendations
11 to 15	# 1	Risk assessment Gynecological examination Blood pressure Prenatal labs Urine testing for protein	# 1		Risk assessment Gynecological examination Blood pressure Prenatal labs Urine testing for protein
11 to 13+6	yes	Obstetrical ultrasound with preeclampsia risk assessment	yes		Obstetrical ultrasound with preeclampsia risk assessment
18 + 0 to $20 + 0$	yes	Obstetrical ultrasound	yes		Obstetrical ultrasound
25	# 2	Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Dop- pler Symphysis fundus height Plasma-glucose		# 1	Up-dating history
29	#3	Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Dop- pler Symphysis fundus height Plasma-glucose Blood tests Urine testing for protein	# 2		Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Doppler Symphysis fundus height Plasma-glucos Blood tests Urine testing for protein
32	# 4	Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Dop- pler Symphysis fundus height			
35	# 5	Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Dop- pler Symphysis fundus height Fetal presentation	# 3		Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Doppler Symphysis fundus height Fetal presentation
37	#6	Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Dop- pler Symphysis fundus height Fetal presentation			
38			# 4		Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Doppler Symphysis fundus height Fetal presentation
39	#7	Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Dop- pler Symphysis fundus height Fetal presentation			
41	#8	Blood pressure Fetal heart rate with Dop- pler Symphysis fundus height Fetal presentation Membrane sweep		# 2	Up-dating history



### Implementation

- Education for the staff/midwife
- Training in video meeting
- Feedback on preliminary results
- Reassurance about safety
- Questionnaire to midwife and patients



### STUDY PROTOCOL

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Study protocol for a modified antenatal care program for pregnant women with a low risk for adverse outcomes—a stepped wedge cluster non-inferiority randomized trial

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#### Abstract

**Background:** It is crucial to provide care based on individual needs. Swedish health care is obliged to give care on equal conditions for the entire population. The person with the greatest need should be given the most care, and the

# Preliminary data. Health Care consumption.

	SAC= Standard antenatal care (mean) N=50	MAC= Modified antenatal care (mean) N =187	p-value*
Number of antenatal care visits to midwife	7,2	5,0	<0.05
Number of video meeting with the midwife	0	1,1	<0.05
Number of outpatient visits to the labor ward	0,7	0,9	0.62
Number of extra ultrasounds	0,4	0,6	0.40
Number of visits with the Ob- physician	0,2	0,16	0.94

No adverse outcomes has been caused by the MAC program so far

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# Thank you for the attention

