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| **Across**  **3.** Used to test for chromosomal abnormalities and fetal defects early in second trimester  **9.** Help cause the cervix to dilate and contractions to occur when pregnant women go into labor  **11.** Fetal movements  **15.** Part of the fallopian tube where fertilization takes place  **17.** Occur at least every 5 minutes and last 30-60 seconds  **20.** Initiates milk production when levels of estrogen and progesterone fall (not made during pregnancy)  **21.** Temporary increase in fetal heart rate that peaks above the baseline of 15 bpm and last 15 bpm  **22.** Delayed onset of 1st menstrual period  **23.** A thick, green tar-like substance that lines intestine in baby and released with baby’s first bowel movement  **24.** Presentation when the fetal buttocks or feet enter the pelvis first  **25.**  Characterized by dilation of the collecting ducts, which becomes distended and filled with cellular debris. This usually occurs as a woman approaches menopause. | **Down**  **1.** An infection that can occur by eating undercooked meats and by exposure from infected cat feces.  **2.** Adverse effect of epidural block  **4.** The hormone that stimulates milk ejection after birth, stimulations contractions, and keeps the uterus contracted after birth.  **5.** At 20 weeks, the fundus is located at the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  **6.** Absence of menses for at least 3 cycles (3 months) after an established 6 months of regular cycles  **7.** Sign of true labor  **8.** Without this hormone, pregnancy would not be maintained  **10.** Induction of labor by artificial means  **12.** Hormone that causes the LH surge leading to the ovulatory phase of the ovarian cycle  **13.** Thinning of the cervix  **14.** Top of the uterus, used a point of reference for measuring fetal growth  **16.** Vaginal discharge during the postpartum period  **18.** False contractions, tighten the uterus, do not cause pain, indicates dehydration  **19.** An incision made down the perineum to allow for more room |