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IMPLANTATION

Though you wont know you are pregnant until you see those two pink lines, your body has been hard at work from the moment of conception occurred .Theres a lot going on behind the scenes , and it all starts with implantation .

Implantation is the time when the fertilized egg successfully attaches and implants into the lining of the uterine wall.Although the egg may have been fertilized over a week before , its only after implantation that your body starts producing hCG ~human chorionic gonadotrophin , also known as the hormone that’s picked up by pregnancy tests.

WHEN DOES IMPLANTATION OCCUR

Sperm meets egg, and 40 weeks later , boom ,its baby time .Your ovaries will release an egg Into your fallopian tube ,and if had sex up to about a week prior to ovulation ,sperm will be waiting in your fallopian tube.if fertilization is successful , the egg will begin to divide and travel down your tube towards your uterus .This process usually takes about a week , after that , implantation happens.

On average ,implantation occurs about 8 to 10 days after ovulation, but it can happen as early as 6 days and as late as 12 days .This means that for some women implantation can occur around cycle day 20 , while for others it can be as late as day 26.This is part of the reason why counting your pregnancy weeks can be confusing .

HOW LONG DOES IT LAST

Although most pregnancies are 40 weeks , the process of implantation represents only a fraction of that time .implantation typically lasts only fir a few days, once its complete and the fertilized egg is burrowed inside your uterine wall it will begin to produce hCG.

SYMPTOMS OF IMPLANTATION

1;Implantation cramps: some women may notice minor cramping right around the time implantation is taking place , though theres nommway for sure to know whats actually going on, what we do know is that this cramping is due to rise in progesterone that occurs during the second half of your cycle whether youre pregnant or on.

2:Implantation bleeding: defined as a small amount of bleeding or spotting that can occur after conception and a few days before your menstrual cycle,implantation bleedin is light and it stops on its own.

3:Nausea; Often some tip offs that something might be up ,nausea and vomiting are popular and unpleasant sympptoms in early pregnancy.you might start noticing changes in your appetite or that youre getting grossed out by food you previously loved.

4:tender breasts

5:constipation and bloating

6:fatigue

7:headaches

8: mood swings