

Mothering the mother - Supporting the Family

Getting To Know You Ouestions

1.	Experience with birth/newborn care?
2.	What classes have taken?
3.	What are your overriding concerns? (ppdepression, breastfeeding, care of siblings, sleep, time with other children, etc.)
4.	Mom's routine - What's important to you? (shower, newspaper, computer time, walk, etc.)
5.	Partner's home from work routine - what do you need to do to unwind?
6.	Talk about other children (likes/dislikes, distractibilities)
7.	Food allergies / family allergies / food likes or dislikes
3.	Care of family pets?
9.	Family Ins and Outs (anything I need to know about the family? Crazy Aunt Gladys? Who do I call first? Is there anyone to bring in/keep out?
10	2. Extended Family (Grandma's Name, etc)

11. Households Ins and Outs (How to use the washing machine? Toilet that runs without giggling handle?)

