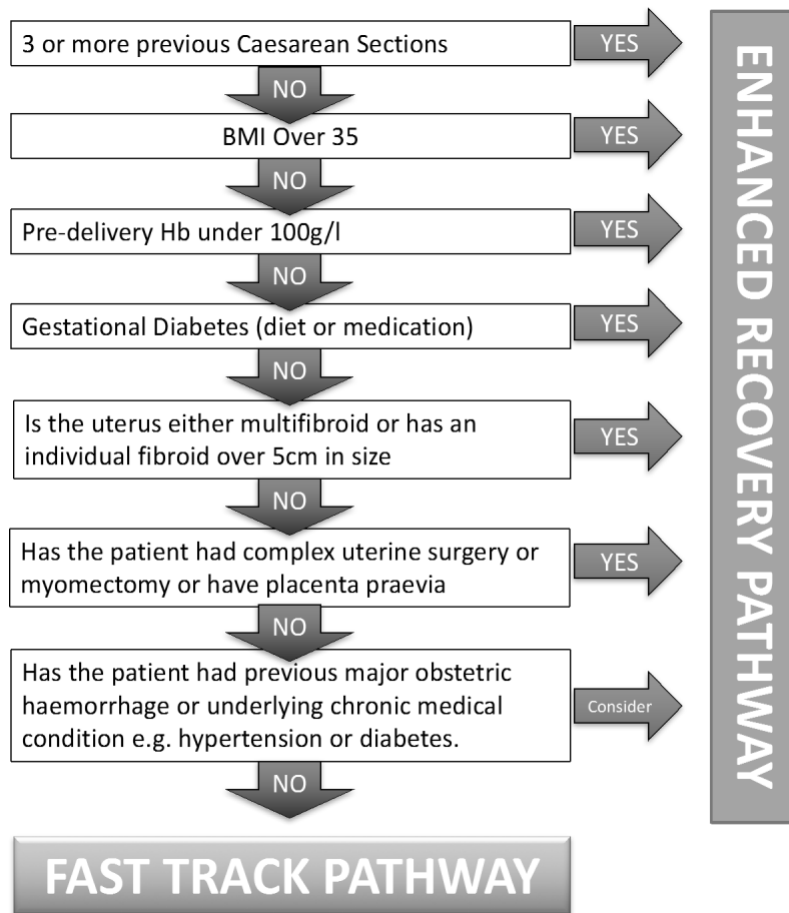


## Supplement 1



Patient selection criteria for fast-track pathway or enhanced recovery pathway. Pathway describes the criteria that are used by medical staff at antenatal appointments in order to determine whether a women booking for a category 4 caesarean section should be invited to fast-track pathway. Standard of care is the enhanced recovery pathway (unless there is a major complex exclusion criteria which should be considered on a case-by-case basis).