Forsyth Medical Center



6500 annual births

17% primary C-section rate

29% overall c-section rate

22% induction rate

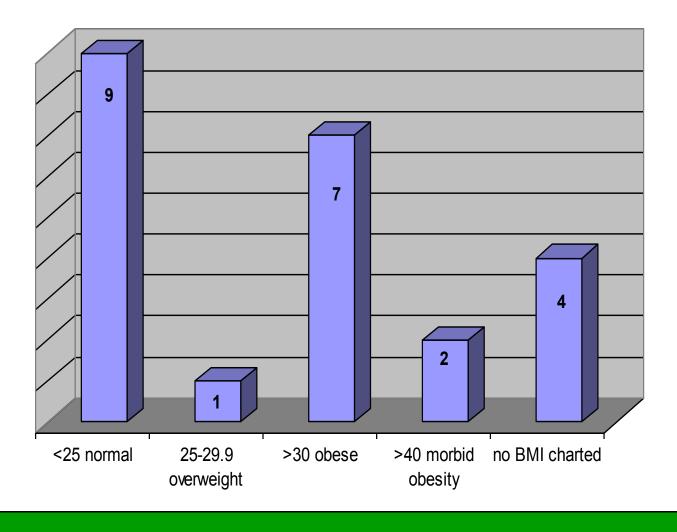
Data Review

- 23 unscheduled C-Sections
- 291 total deliveries including scheduled C-Sections
- Reviewed all unscheduled C-Sections in birth log during 10/30-11/14 (2 full weeks including 2 full weekends)
 - 14/23 were nulliparous
 - 23/23 singleton
 - 23/23 vertex presentation
 - 10/23 were "in labor" on admission, 4 were >4cm on admission
 - 11 were scheduled inductions

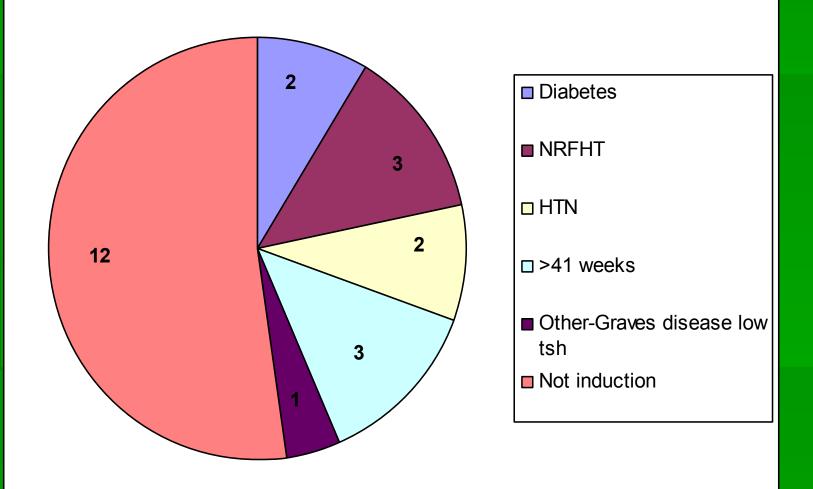
Additonal Data We Added

- Length of time for decision for both failure to progress and failure to descend
- Indication of Non reassuring fetal status- what category tracing, IF Category II, we described issues
- BMI
- Looking for Trends
 - Time of day C-section "called"
 - Day of week
 - Name of Nurse- no trends found
 - Name of Doctor-no trends found (50% teaching service/50% Private patients). Teaching service represents 50% of our birth volume annually

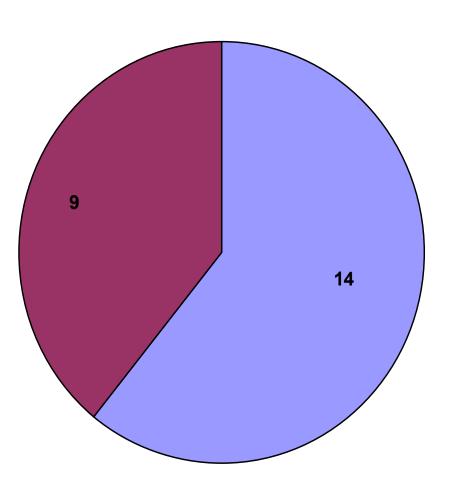
BMI



Induction Indication

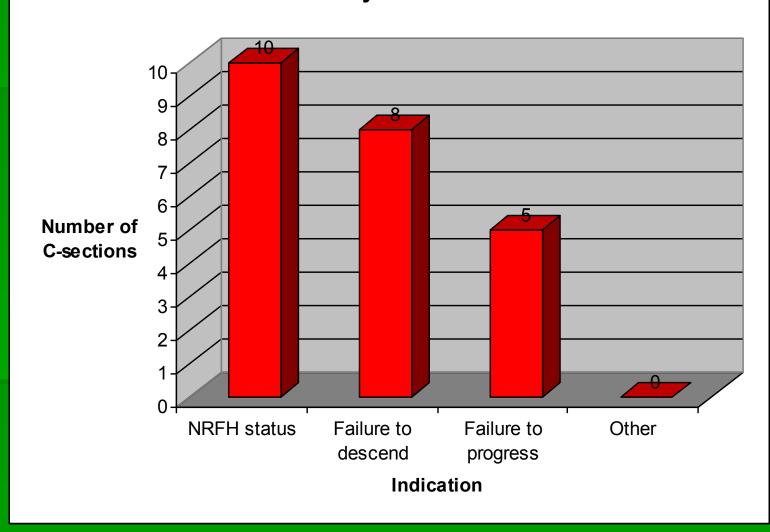


Stage Of Labor At Decision

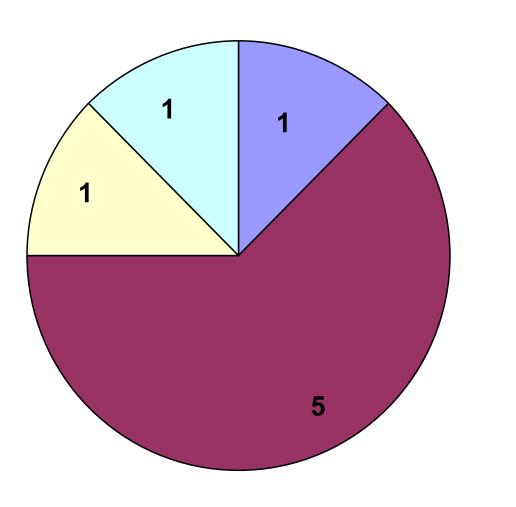


- 1st stage
- 2nd stage

Primary Indication



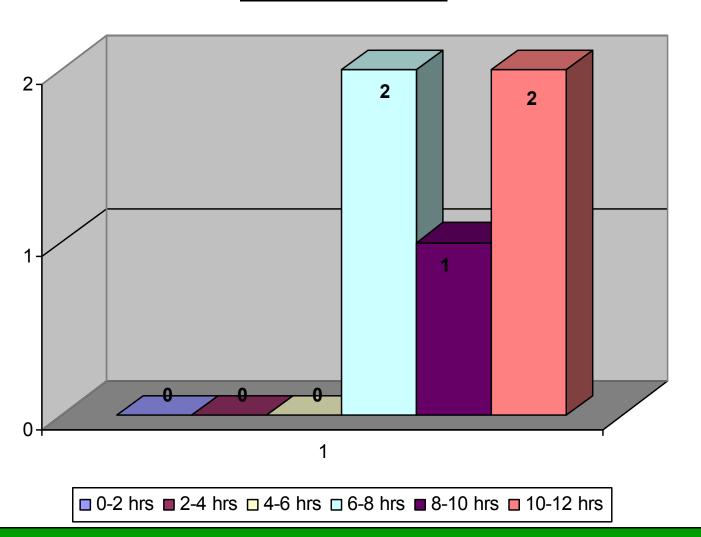
Failure To Descend Decision







Failure To Progress



Day Of week

