

5. A belief of the patient that she is pregnant ;
6. With the early signs of pregnancy ;
7. Pain slight, not more severe than frequently occurs in normal pregnancy ;
8. Feeling of a mass to side of uterus,—
he would only find ectopic gestation in about twenty per cent. of the cases ; and as a small minority of cases give such a complete set of symptoms, opening the abdomen when only a few of them are present would be a still more uncertain procedure. One might make a chance shot. When, however, only some of these symptoms are present, accompanied by severe sudden acute pain and more or less collapse, the diagnosis is almost a certainty.

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