



10 WEEKS

2 1/2 inches — 1.5 ounces

Fingers and toes are distinct and have nails.

The fetus begins small, random movements, too slight to be felt.

The fetal heartbeat can be detected with a heart monitor.

All major external body features have appeared.

Muscles continue to develop.



12 WEEKS

3.5 inches — 2 ounces

The fetus begins to swallow, the kidneys make urine, and blood begins to form in the bone marrow.

Joints and muscles allow full body movement.

There are eyelids and the nose is developing a bridge.

External genitals have been developing so that the sex can be identified.

