Box 2

Use of aspirin to prevent pre-eclampsia

Women are considered to be at high risk if they have any of the following:

- A hypertensive disorder in a previous pregnancy
- Chronic kidney disease
- Autoimmune disease
- Diabetes (type 1 or 2)
- Chronic hypertension

They should also be considered high risk if they have more than one of the following moderate risk factors:

- First pregnancy
- Age ≥ 40
- Pregnancy interval ≥ 10 years
- BMI ≥ 35 kg/m^2 at first visit
- Multifetal pregnancy
- Family history of pre-eclampsia