Rhogam: Prevention of Rh D Alloimmunization

When to give Rhogam?
In pregnant women who are Rh D negative and do not have antibodies to Rh D. Rhogam injection of 300mg is recommended for:
- Routine injection at the 28th week of gestation,
- Within 72 hours of delivery of a Rh D-positive infant
- After pregnancy loss, this includes Spontaneous Abortion
- After any invasive procedure like amniocentesis

Rhogam is suggested in Rh D negative women who have:
- Threatened abortion, first trimester bleeding
- Second and third trimester bleeding
- External Cephalic version of the infant
- Abdominal trauma

Reference:

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