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- Agony involves the physical pain of labor, leading to great fear and anxiety, plus the emotional distress caused by the physical separation from the fetus by cesarean delivery.
- If the mother is not planning nursing, a cesarean avoids both suck and touch, and fails to confer many of the benefits of breastfeeding.
- Thus, the physical separation of both parents from the newborn.
- Agony of labor has been medicalized, and the agony of labor has been medicalized.

