# CMQCC Labor Dystocia Checklist (ACOG/SMFM Criteria)

1. **Diagnosis of Dystocia/Arrest Disorder (all 3 should be present)**
   - □ Cervix 6 cm or greater
   - □ Membranes ruptured, then
   - □ No cervical change after at least 4 hours of adequate uterine activity (e.g. strong to palpation or MVUs > 200), or at least 6 hours of oxytocin administration with inadequate uterine activity

2. **Diagnosis of Second Stage Arrest (only one needed)**
   - **No descent or rotation for:**
     - □ At least 4 hours of pushing in nulliparous woman with epidural
     - □ At least 3 hours of pushing in nulliparous woman without epidural
     - □ At least 3 hours of pushing in multiparous woman with epidural
     - □ At least 2 hour of pushing in multiparous woman without epidural

3. **Diagnosis of Failed Induction (both needed)**
   - □ Bishop score ≥6 for multiparous women and ≥ 8 for nulliparous women, before the start of induction (for non-medically indicated/elective induction of labor only)
   - □ Oxytocin administered for at least 12-18 hours after membrane rupture, without achieving cervical change and regular contractions. *Note: At least 24 hours of oxytocin administration after membrane rupture is preferable if maternal and fetal statuses permit

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