Labor Epidural Analgesia and Postpartum Depression

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Electrophysiological Profiling of Depression in the Elderly
Frontostriatal system functioning has been proposed to underpin performance on executive functioning tasks; these structures are abnormally activated in adults with depression. In this study, the P200 and P300 event-related potentials (ERPs) were elicited during a classic two-tone auditory oddball task to compare the electrophysiological profiles of elderly people.

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