

Figure S1. Placental 11β-HSD 2 in three modes of delivery. Notes: p for Mann-Whitney's test. The numerical values next to the boxes represent median.

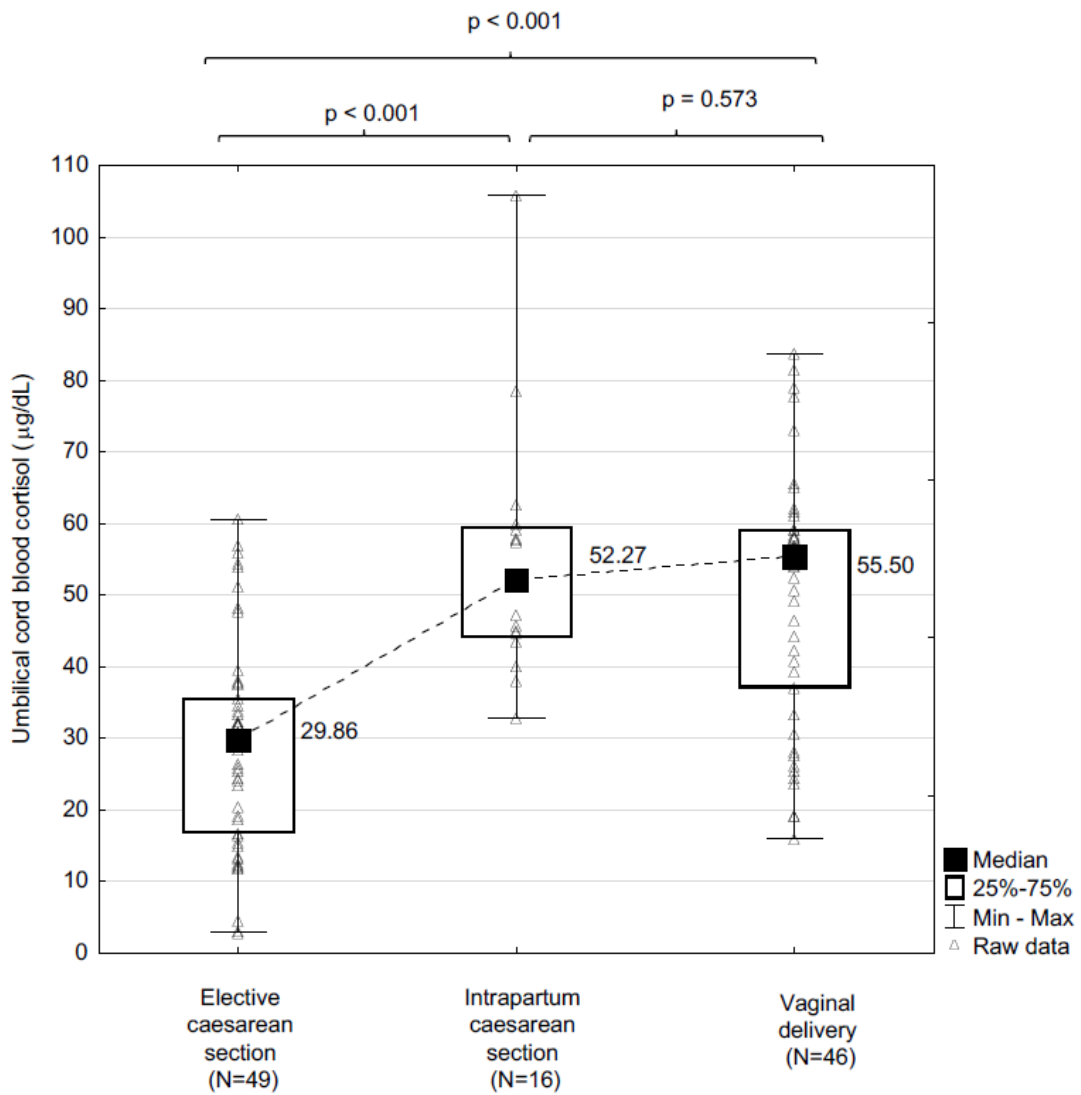


Figure S2. Umbilical cord blood cortisol in three modes of delivery. Notes: p for Mann-Whitney's test. The numerical values next to the boxes represent median.

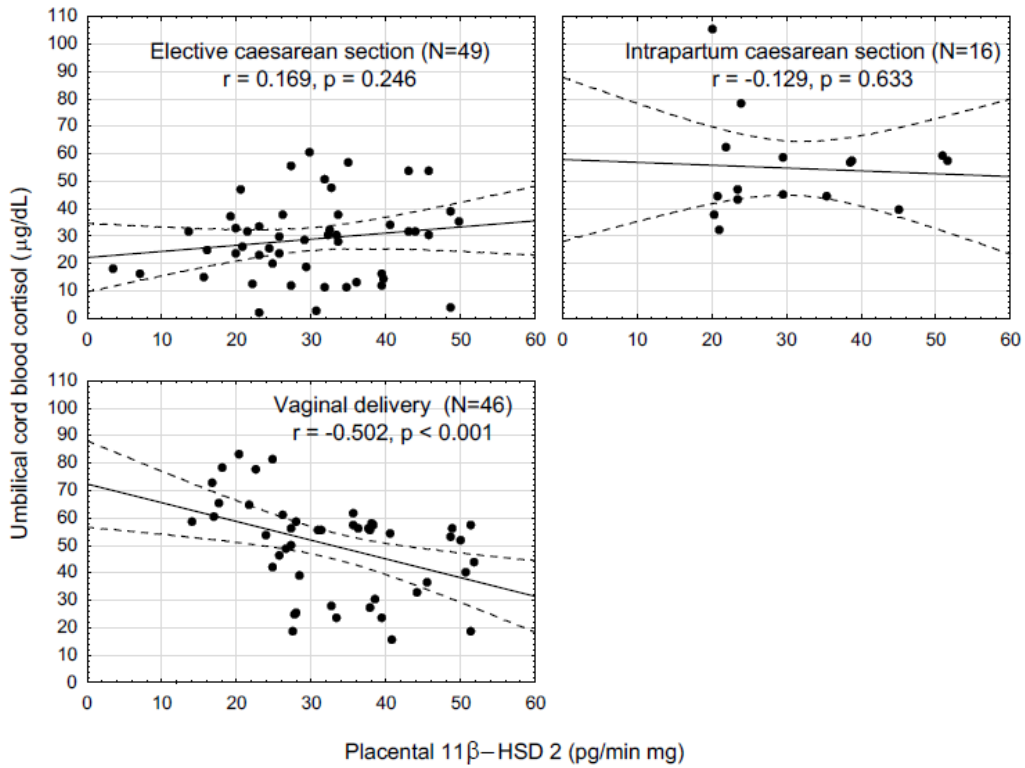


Figure S3. Correlation between placental 11β-HSD 2 and umbilical cord blood cortisol in three modes of delivery. Notes: r —Spearman’s correlation coefficient.

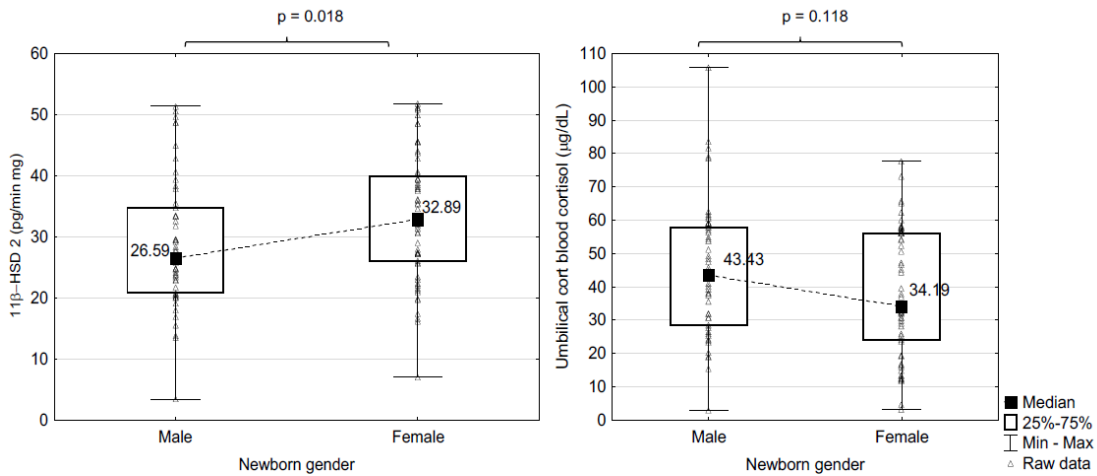


Figure S4. Placental 11β-HSD2 and umbilical cord blood cortisol versus newborn gender. Notes: p for Mann-Whitney’s test. The numerical values next to the boxes represent median.