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| **Date:** March 16, 2023 |   |
| **Medical Dir.:** Garrett Colmorgen, M.D. |  |
| **Location:** Zoom Conference Call**Monthly OB TEAM Membership Meeting** |  |

**MEMBER ATTENDANCE:**

🗹 Garrett Colmorgen, MD 🗹 K. Starr Lynch, BSN, RN  Julia Paulus, CNM

 Bridget Buckaloo, MSN, RN 🗹 Kathleen McCarthy, CNM, MSN 🗹Kim Liprie

 Christina Bryant  Christie Miller, MD 🗹 Nancy Petit, MD

 Joanna Costa, MD 🗹Jennifer Novack, MSN, RNC-OB, APN 🗹 Kim Petrella, MSN, RNC-OB

 Mawuna Gardesey  Susan Noyes, RN, MS 🗹 Jennifer Pulcinella

 David Hack, MD  Rita Nutt 🗹 Philip Shlossman, MD

🗹 Matthew Hoffman, MD David Paul, MD  Megan Williams, DHA

**FACILITATOR:**

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| 🗹 Garrett Colmorgen, MD |  |  |

**OTHER STAFF ATTENDANCE:**

🗹 Meena Ramakrishnan, MD

🗹 Maria Webster

🗹 Lisa Klein

🗹 Liz Brown

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| **TOPIC** | **FINDINGS, CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS** | **ACTIONS**  | **STATUS** |
| I. Call to order | The meeting was called to order by Dr. Colmorgen at 4:00p.m.  | No further action. | Resolved |
| II. Review and approval of Minutes | The minutes from the February 16, 2023, meeting were reviewed and approved.  | No further action. | Resolved |
| III. DPQC Business | -The April meeting on April 20 is a scheduling conflict due to another meeting for several on the call; voting took place and approved skipping the April OB meeting. Next meeting will be on May 18, 2023 at 4pm.-On March 14th, a meeting occurred with what would be the DPQC executive committee- official appointees from each hospital. The Governor still has not officially signed the appointees into membership but plans for the DPQC and bylaws reviewed. Plan to meet again in July and to have a public meeting with MCDRC soon. -OBERT Trainings have occurred at Bayhealth Kent and Sussex by Kim and Marsha Krise. Trainings have gone very well, found a few things for improvement, but overall, very impressed with the participation and the attendance in the trainings. -Deadline is 3/17 for the 2023 Obstetric Emergency Readiness Community of Learning Training; Session 1 on March 24 is Building a Rapid Response Team and Session 2 on April 13 is Simulations for OB Readiness in Non-Ob Settings. Both sessions will be recorded.-Urgent Maternal Warning Signs Brochures and paperwork are still being worked on and should be ready for distribution soon.-Aspirin chart audits for first quarter of 2023 due to Kim by April 14. | No further action | Resolved |
| IV. Time to Treatment Report Card | All hospitals now have an algorithm in place; 5 hospitals have appointed representatives in place; 2 have had drills and have had nurses participate in those drills and one had physicians attend training, too. | On-going | On-going |
| V. Guest Speaker: “Cumulative Childhood Trauma and Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) Screening” | Deanna Benner, MSN, APN, presented on Childhood Trauma and Adverse Childhood Experiences and the impact on maternal health and well-being. Five out of the ten top leading causes of death are associated with ACE’S: heart disease, cancer, respiratory disease, diabetes, and suicide (second leading cause of death among postpartum women). The neonate of a mother with a high ACE score are at risk related to substance use exposure, maternal anxiety, and maternal stress. Prenatal substance use is associated with prematurity, LBW, higher infant mortality, increased admission to NICU, fetal stress exposure, and childhood behavioral, cognitive, and emotional issues. The 10 question ACE questionnaire was reviewed as well as relevancy to maternal health and outcomes.  | On-going | On-going |
| VI. Discussion: TXA | OBH medication discussion on common medications prescribed for OB hemorrhage. AIM new bundle says TXA has shown limited effectiveness as a prophylaxis (given before a bleed) but has shown great effectiveness when used in an emergency, especially with platelet conditions, such as DIC or HELLP. Cytotec should not be used as a first line medication in an emergency due to its unreliable onset of action. If a patient has both asthma and hypertension, then it may be used as an emergency drug. It should not be given routinely as a prophylaxis due to its many side effects and is often not needed.  | On-going | On-going |
| VII. Presentation: FCC Grant | Dr. Hoffman shared about the FCC grant which is a grant CCHS received during COVID to expand resources to women. Goal is to reach 8,000 pregnant women over three years, non-branded, to fill in services to patients as needed, first year will begin with CCHS patients (employed and independent providers) and plan for expansion for years two and three. This leverages the concept of a digital front door. Use of Babyscripts and remote patient monitoring for hypertension and diabetes. Patients will be able to text a nurse/ pregnancy navigator and screenings for SDoH, Aspirin, TeleConsults for genetics or other services may be offered. The timeline is that CCHS will go live with BabyScripts and RPM in April, working on nurse navigators through UniteUs/Carevio and some cognitive / behavioral therapy options are available through CALM/PEAR and others and will comply with OSHA standards. | On-going | On-going |
| VIII. Attendee Updates | \*In today’s headlines, according to the CDC, the deaths of pregnant women in the U.S. soared 40% in 2021. COVID is cited as a contributing factor. Bayhealth: Wanted to thank Kim for the SIMS training and expansion in Sussex ready for soft opening in new few weeks.CCHS: Having Joint Commission visit this week, they have asked for training transcripts from their ED doctors. DMMA: HB80 for Medicaid coverage of Doulas was voted out of health committee this week and is moving along. MCDRC: To date, three unsafe sleep deaths.  | On-going | On-going |
| XII. Adjournment |  There being no further items, the meeting adjourned at 5:04pm. | No further action | Resolved |

*Minutes prepared by JoEllen Kimmey, DPH*

**Upcoming Meetings:**

**PEDS: March 27, 2023 3:30pm-4:30pm**

**OB: May 18, 2023, 4pm-5pm**

**DPQC Advisory Board- TBD**