



ILPQC: improving outcomes through the magic of collaboration

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Overview

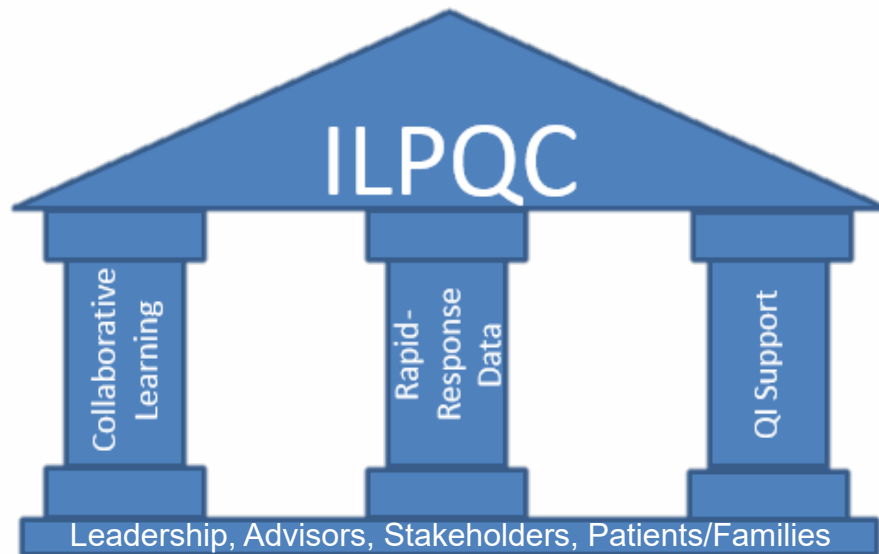


- ILPQC Structure
- Launching an Initiative
- Helping Teams Succeed
- ILPQC in Action
 - MNO: launch and engagement
 - HTN: support hospitals QI success / sustainability

Improving Together

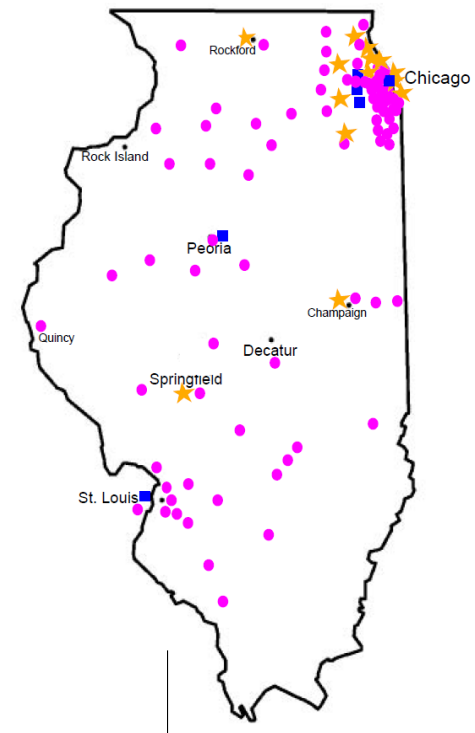


ILPQC is a collaborative of physicians, nurses, hospital teams, public health and other stakeholders implementing data-driven, evidence-based practices to improve maternal and neonatal outcomes in Illinois



State-wide Participation

- 119 hospitals participating in ILPQC initiatives
 - 99% of IL births covered by ILPQC
 - 100% of IL NICU beds covered by ILPQC
- 110 hospitals with 101 OB hospital teams and 70 Neonatal teams participated in ILPQC Face to Face meetings in 2018
- Strong ILPQC advisory group participation
 - OB Advisory Group – 74 members have participated over time representing 30 hospitals
 - Neonatal Advisory Group – 31 members representing 19 hospitals



ILPQC Milestones



2012

- IL Perinatal Advisory Committee Prematurity Task Force Report
- Start Up Funding: CHIPRA / HFS
- Stakeholder Meetings Begin

2013

- Consultation with Perinatal Quality Leaders (OH, CA, NC, FL)
- Website Launch
- ILPQC Kick-Off, 1st Annual Conference

2014

- ILPQC Data System Launched
- CDC Award with IDPH
- Launch EED and Neonatal Nutrition Initiatives

2015

- Launch Golden Hour Initiative
- Launch Birth Certificate Initiative
- Started yearly spring Face to Face Meetings for OB and Neo Teams

2016

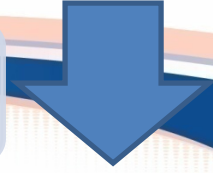
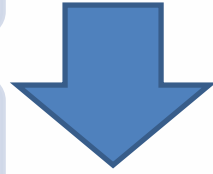
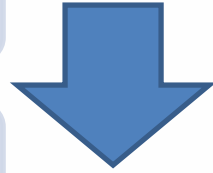
- Launch Maternal Hypertension Initiative
- IDPH Funding
- Golden Hour Initiative Ongoing

2017

- Maternal Hypertension and Golden Hour Initiatives Ongoing
- CDC Funding for MNO Initiative
- Pritzker Grant Award for IP LARC Initiative

2018

- Launch Mothers and Newborns affected by Opioids (MNO) Initiative
- Launch Immediate Postpartum LARC Initiative
- Launch Sustainability for Maternal Hypertension and Golden Hour Initiatives



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ILPQC Provides Responsive QI Services to Hospital Teams



Webinars/ Calls

- Monthly & quarterly collaborative learning and QI Topic Calls
- QI Support Calls with Perinatal Network Administrators
 - Key players meeting
 - RedCap data training



Face to Face

- Spring Face-to-Face Meeting Breakouts
- Annual Conference Breakouts
- Key Player Site Visits
- Grand Rounds speakers group



ILPQC Resources

- Paper/online QI toolkits
- Patient-education materials
- Monthly e-newsletters
- Previous months webinar recording



ILPQC Data

- Rapid Response data system
- Real-time reports for teams to compare data across time & hospitals

Quality Improvement Support Services

ILPQC Data System drives QI

Team uses data to drive Quality Improvement at their hospital

Decide next QI steps for team

Review reports on structure dashboards, process, and outcome measures to compare data across time and across hospitals

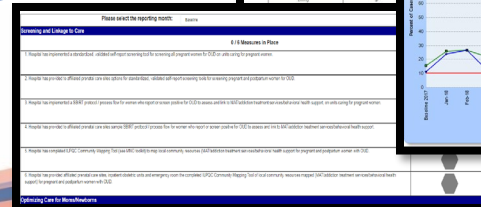
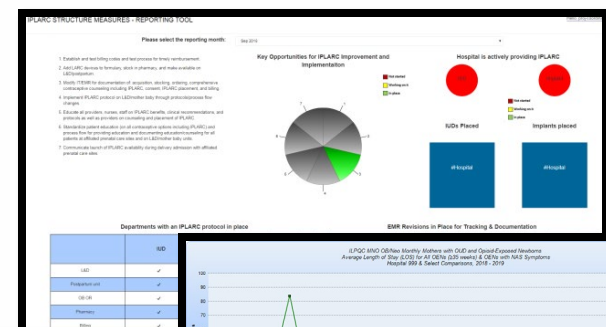
Data Collection

Hospital teams collect data on structure, process, and outcome measures

Input data into ILPQC Data System

Team input data monthly into ILPQC REDCap Data System for rapid response reports of real time data

Review of reports with team during monthly QI meetings



Communication is Key

- Monthly hospital team webinars
- Hospital QI support calls
- Website for resources and initiative toolkits
- Monthly e-newsletters per initiative
- Face-to-Face meetings / Annual Conference
 - Teams enjoy meeting in-person, sharing, learning from each other and networking



Up-to-date resources, Team Webinars, and QI Toolkits

Monthly initiative communications, REDCap

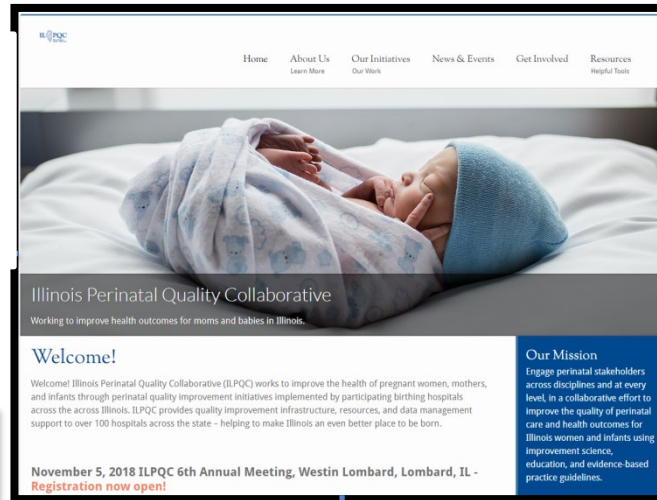

MNO Workgroup Call Slidesets:

- June 2017
- July 2017
- September 2017
- October 2017
- November 2017
- January 2018: MNO Wave 1 Team Launch Call
- February 2018:
 - MNO OB Wave 1 Teams Call (2/26/2018)
- March 2018:
 - MNO OB Wave 1 Teams Call (3/19/2018)
 - MNO OB & Neonatal Wave 1 Team Updates (3/23/2018)
- April 2018:
 - MNO Kick-off Call (4/23/2018)
- June 2018:
 - MNO-OB Teams Call: Screening and Linkage to Care: Part One
- July 2018:
 - MNO-OB Teams Call: Screening and Linkage to Care: Part Two
- August 2018:
 - MNO-OB Teams Call: Screening and Linkage to Care: Part Three
 - View a recording of the meeting [here](#).

MNO-OB Toolkit

1. Initiative Resources
2. Mothers and Newborns Affected by Opioids Initiative Slide Set
3. National Guidance: AIM Bundle
4. National Guidance: ACOG Committee Opinions
5. Screening and assessment of pregnant women with OUD
6. Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) Protocols and Example Process Flow
7. Improve Linkage to Addiction Care
8. Example Protocols/Best Practice Recommendations/Checklists for Prenatal - Intrapartum - Postpartum Care of Women with OUD
9. Counseling/Prescribing Naloxone/Narcan
10. Additional Resources Optimize Care of Women with OUD
11. Education Materials for Pregnant Women with OUD
12. Patient and Provider Education
13. Clinical guidelines / strategies to reduce opioid over prescribing postpartum
14. Overview of new Illinois state law on ILPMP Lookup

*Key Resource

Hello ILPQC MNO-OB Teams,

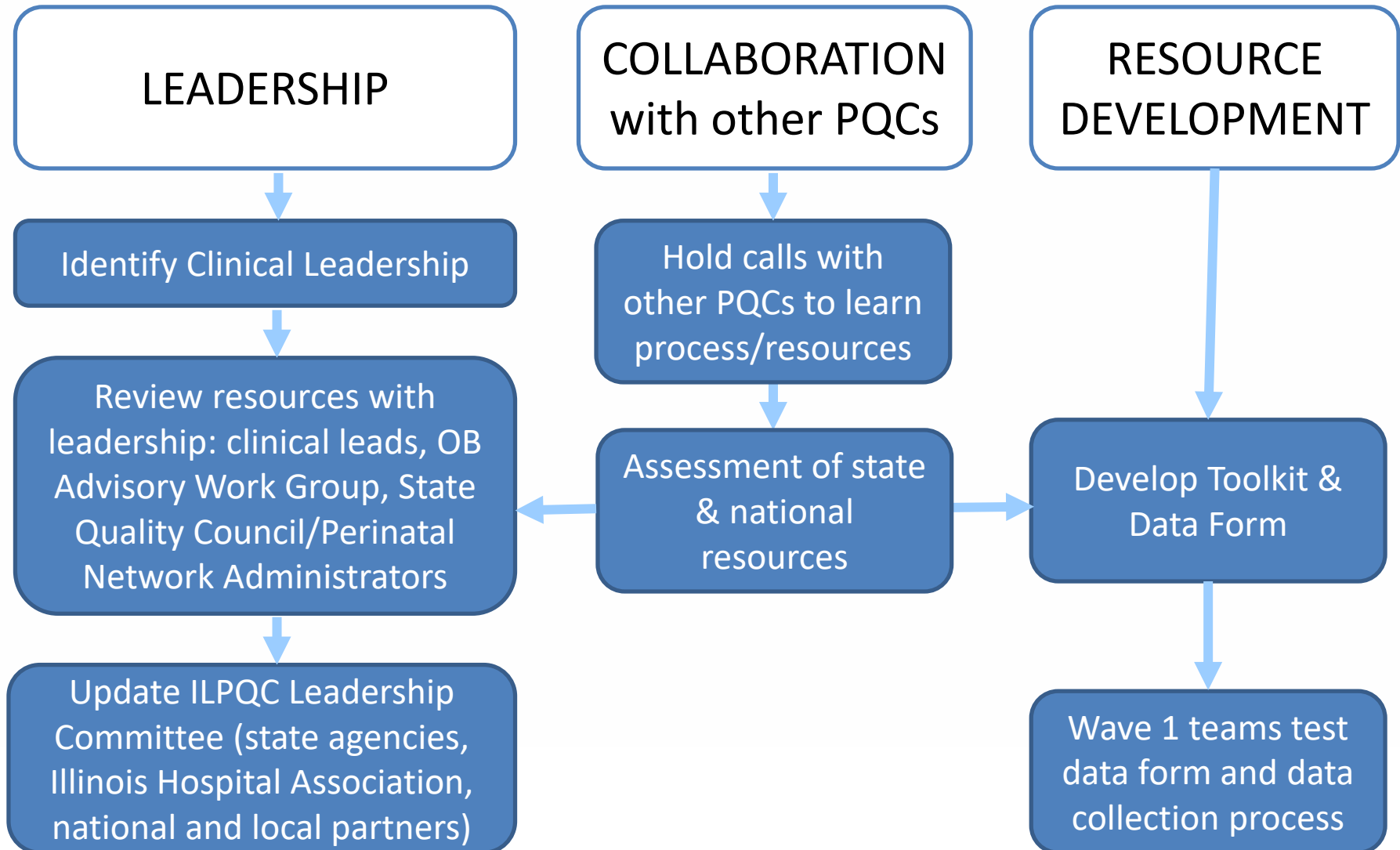
Thank you all for a great MNO-OB Teams call this month! A big thank you to Lisa Jasin, DNP, NNP-BC, from Dayton Children's Hospital and Angela Mann, RN, MSN, MPH, IBCLC, CLC from Memorial Hospital, Belleville!

- You can download slides from this month's teams calls [here](#).
- You can view a recording of the meeting [here](#).
- Team members not receiving ILPQC communications? Sign up for monthly ILPQC newsletters [here](#).

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USING ILPQC STRUCTURE TO LAUNCH AN INITIATIVE

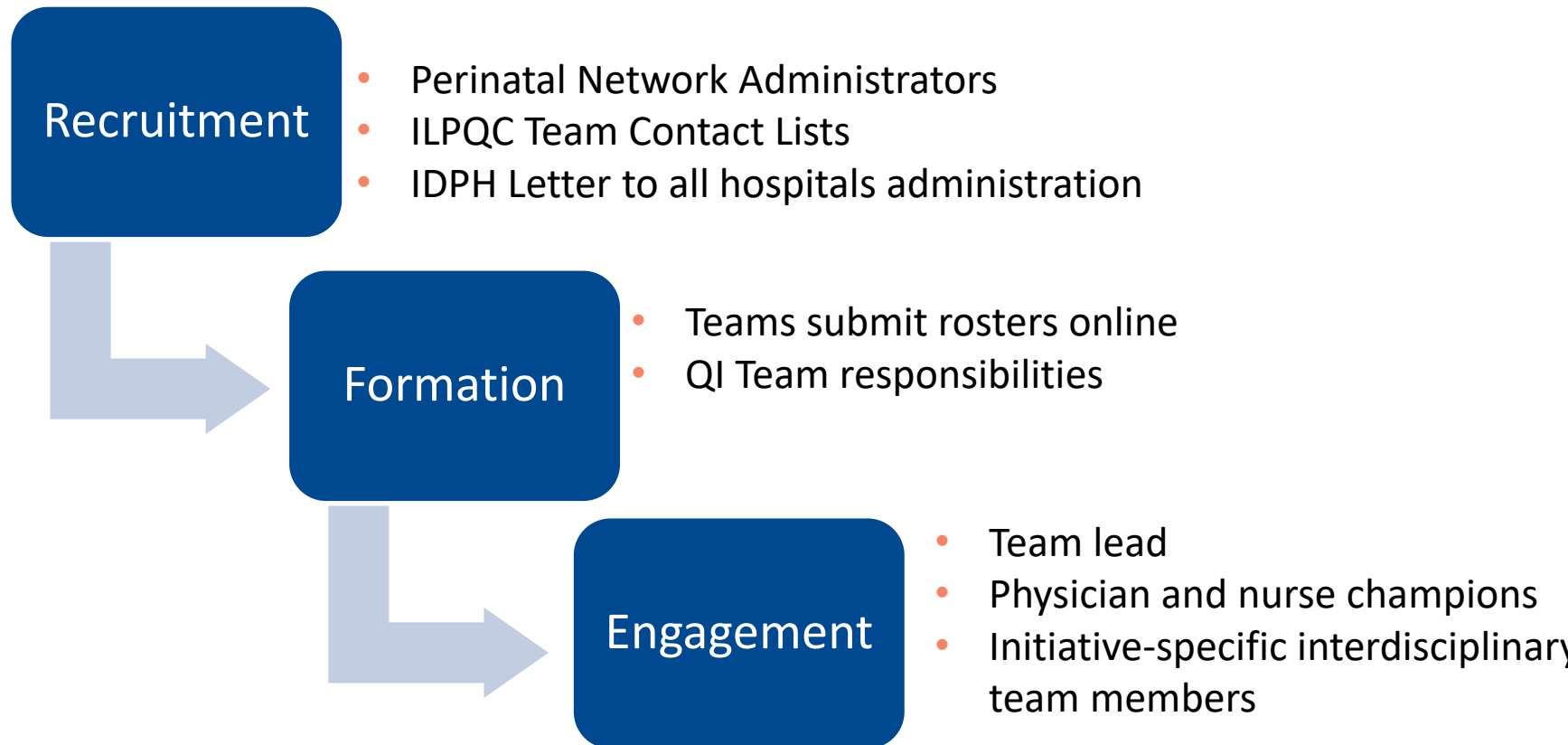
Getting Ready to Launch:



Promoting Engagement In Work of the Collaborative



Team Building and Roster Formation



Engaging Hospital Teams

Engage

- Collectively identify initiatives
- Support development of interdisciplinary teams
- Engage providers & nurses as leaders at the collaborative & hospital level

Motivate

- Develop hospital team buy-in
- Break down the work into key steps
- Demonstrate frequent examples of success

Support

- Collaborative learning opportunities support system & culture changes
- Rapid-response data system supports use of data to drive QI
- QI support to ensure equity across hospitals

Implementing the IHI Breakthrough Series through a Collaborative

Planning an Initiative:

- Create collaborative Key Drivers Diagram, SMART AIMS, and specific measures to track progress across the initiative

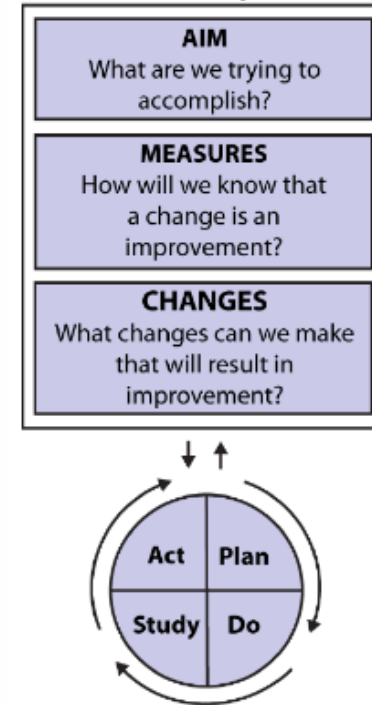
ILPQC Collaborative-Level QI:

- Monthly review of specific measures on collaborative learning webinars
- Offer QI topic calls on specific improvement strategies of the initiative
- Recruit national experts to share QI strategies on collaborative learning webinars

ILPQC Hospital-Level QI Support:

- Review of hospital-level monthly data to provide tailored support
- 1:1 QI Support calls to coach hospitals to implement PDSA cycles and 30-60-90 day plans to achieve hospital-level initiative goals

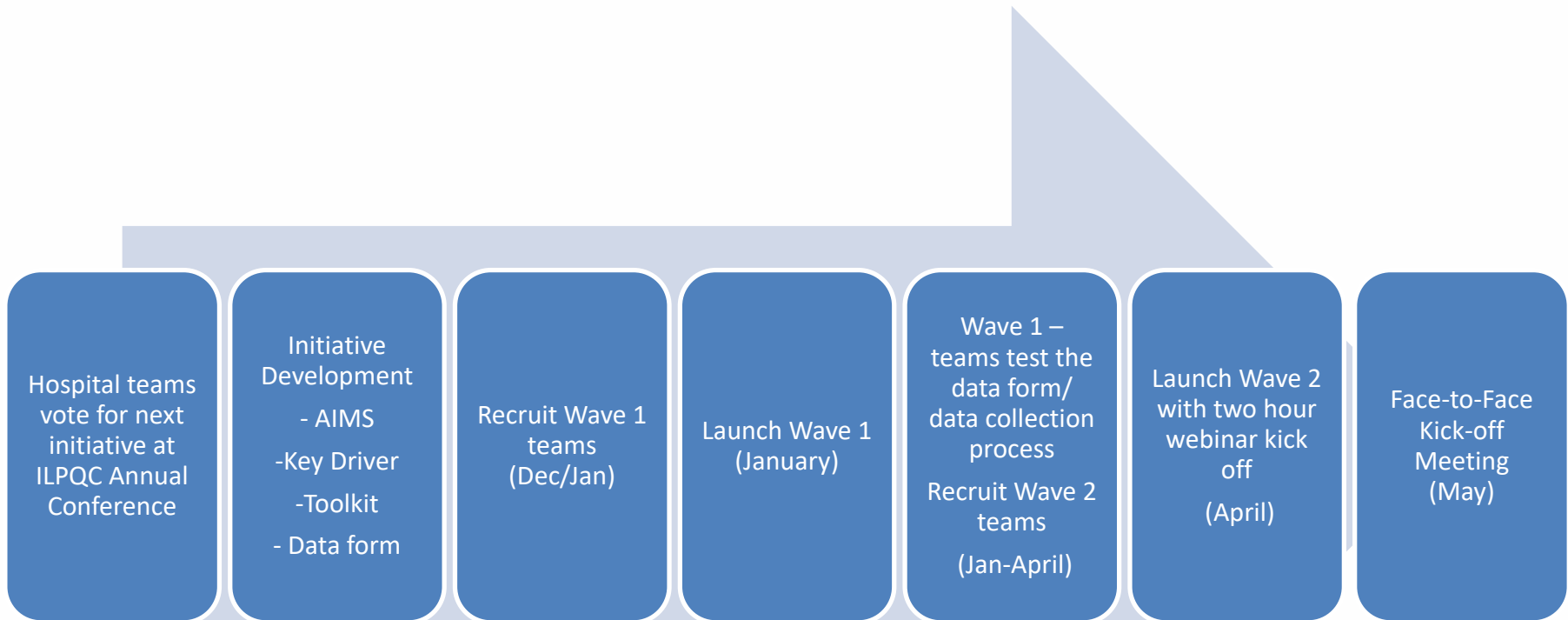
The Model for Improvement



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Hospital QI Work:
What changes can you make to your process/system and test with a PDSA cycle to reach initiative goals?

Timeline of Initiative Launch



HELPING TEAMS SUCCEED

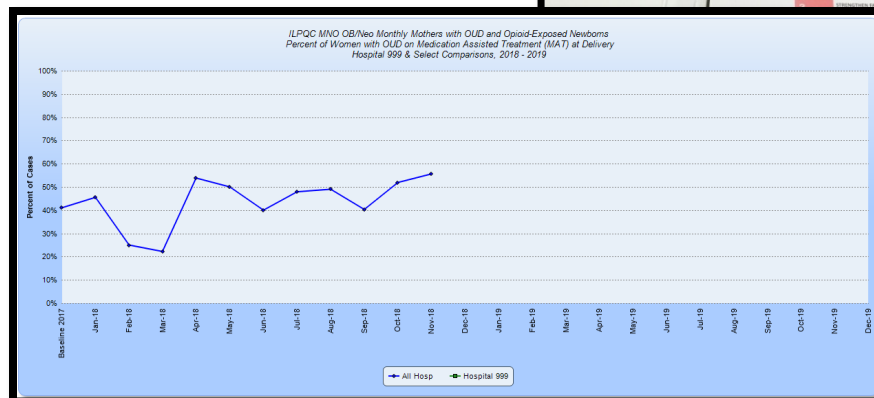
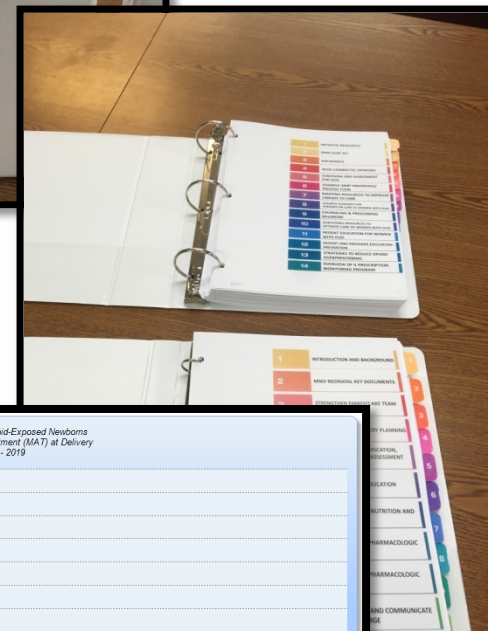
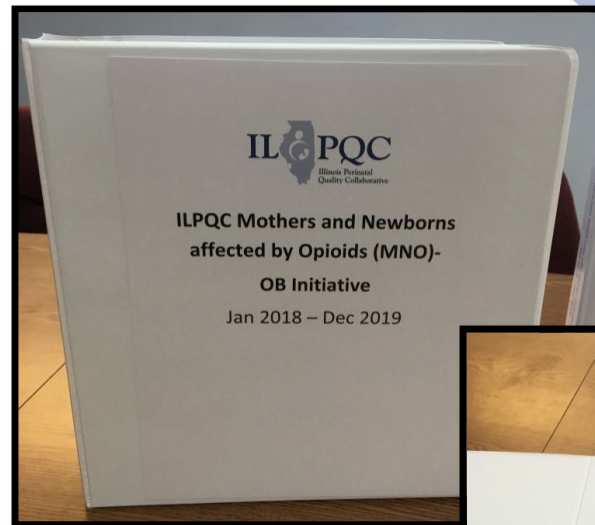
Quality Improvement Strategy

- Engage statewide stakeholders and **OB Advisory Workgroup** in development and implementation of QI initiative
- Facilitate development of multidisciplinary **hospital-based QI teams**
- Facilitate monthly **collaborative learning webinars** with national experts, toolkit resources and team sharing and twice annual opportunities for in-person collaborative learning

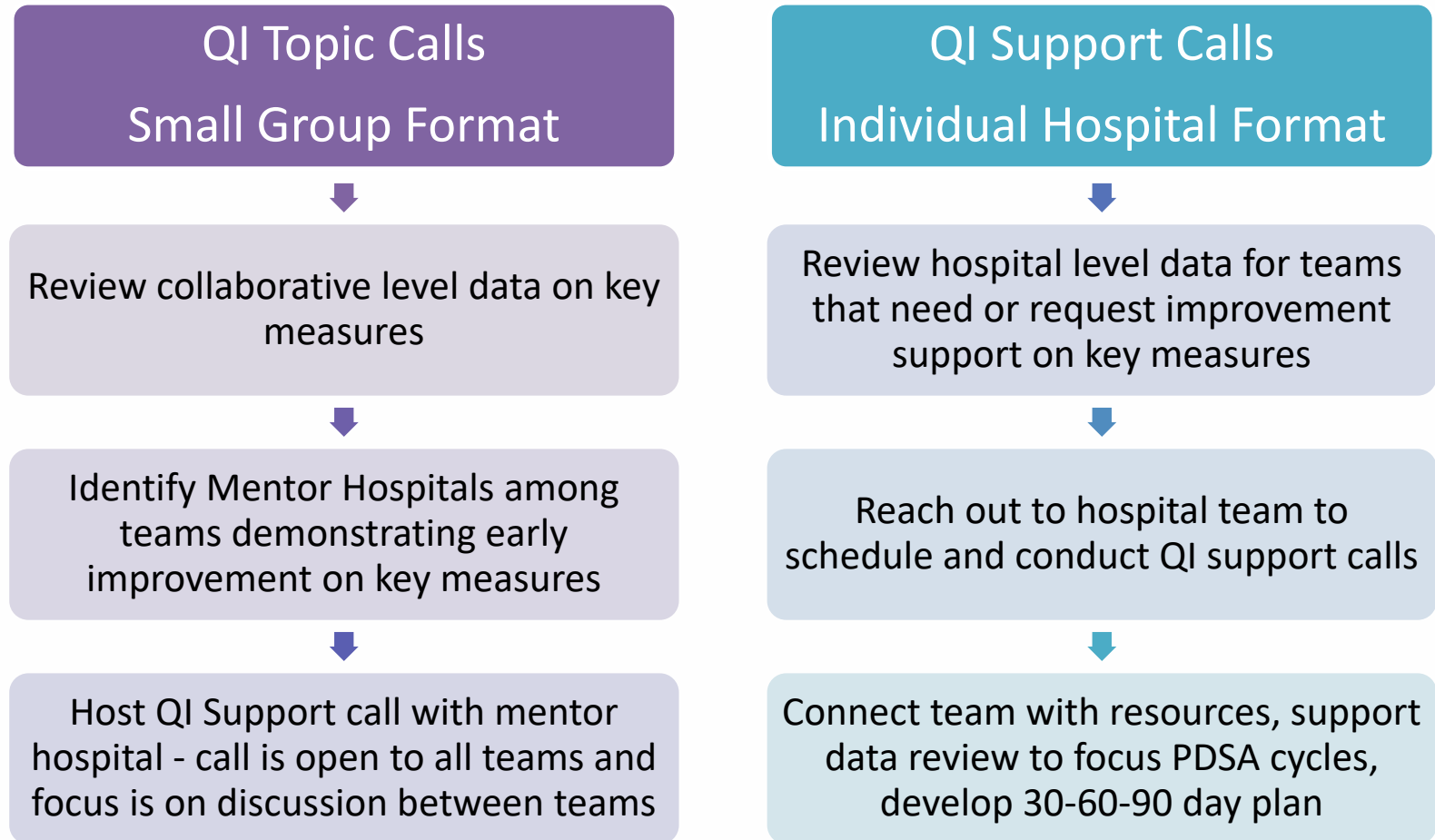


Quality Improvement Strategy

- Disseminate **toolkits and training e-modules** to support hospital system and culture change
- Develop **rapid-response data system** for hospitals to see data on key **process, outcome, and structure measures** over time and compared to other hospitals



Quality Improvement Strategy



Teaching Hospital Teams

Key QI Steps for Success

- Build a multidisciplinary QI team
- Assess where starting from (baseline data)
- Plan where want to get to (30-60-90 day plan, set goals/aims)
- Try small test of change (PDSA cycle), repeat
- Collect data (structure, process and outcome measures) to track progress, challenges, success, compliance
- Review/share rapid response data reports showing change from baseline and comparison across hospitals, key for quality improvement
- Learn from other hospital teams

Encouraging Providers/Nurses Engagement in QI



- **Buy-In matters:** Sell the initiative to OB providers and nursing staff: why are we doing this work, why it matters, what they need to do, how will compliance be monitored
- **Systems change that assist clinical team doing the right thing every time:** Protocols, checklists, order sets, debriefs, EMR prompts
- **Culture change needs provider and nursing staff education:** Grand Rounds, E-modules, Simulations, Drills
- **Active monthly review and use of QI data is key:** Sharing monthly QI data progress and comparison to other participating hospitals with OB providers and nursing staff and track compliance in sustainability

Engaging Patients & Families in QI Work

Patient /Family Advisors:

- Share personal stories and provide feedback
- Review process flow and identify opportunities for improvement
- Develop, review, and test content of materials
- Discuss quality improvement findings



6 patient/family
advisors serving on
OB/Neonatal Advisory
Groups

Resources for teams
seeking patient/family
advisors

Motivating Teams to Make Culture and System Changes

- QI award banners for teams meeting initiative goals
- Certificates of achievement for hospital teams submitting timely data
- Letters to hospital leadership acknowledging teams successfully meeting initiative goals



ILPQC IN ACTION:

- MNO INITIATIVE LAUNCH
- IPLARC INITIATIVE LAUNCH
- HTN INITIATIVE SUSTAINABILITY

Working Together on State-wide Initiatives



Sustain Hypertension Success



Launched 2 new statewide QI initiatives in 2018

Mothers and Newborns
affected by Opioids Initiative

MNO

OB

Neo

Immediate Postpartum Long Acting
Reversible Contraception Initiative

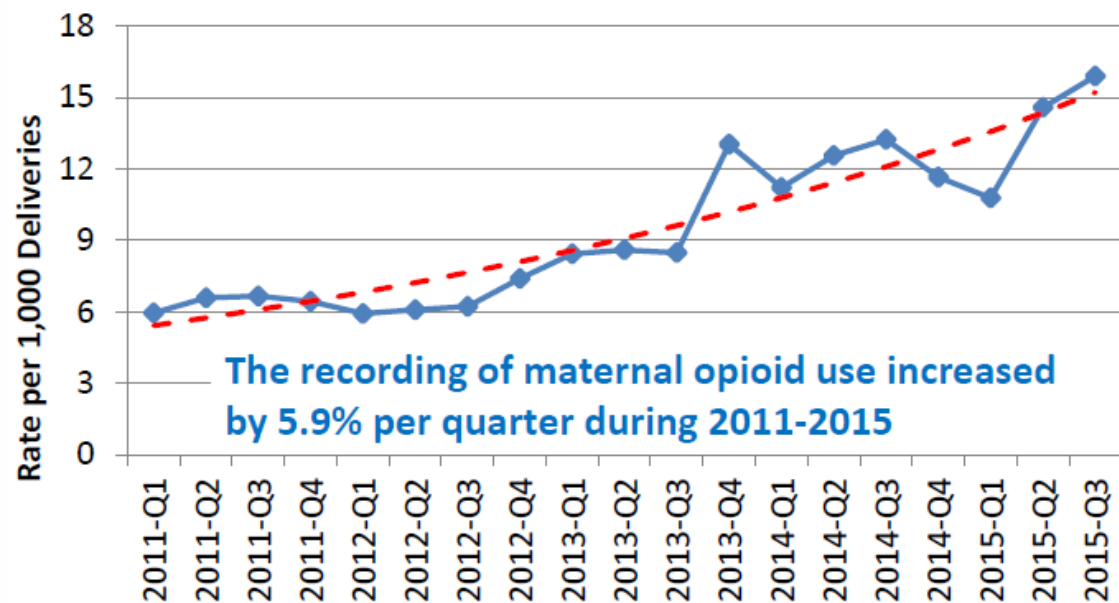
IPLARC

Wave I



Mothers Affected by Opioids in IL: Scope of the Problem

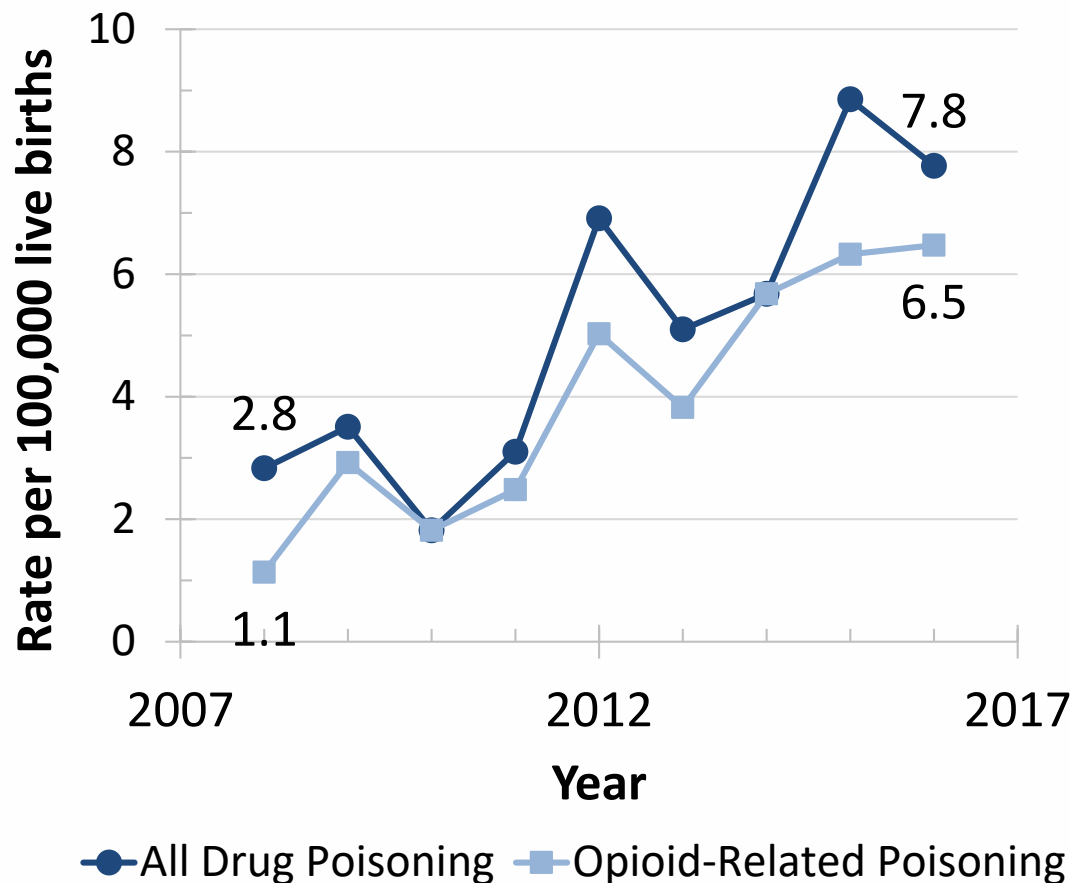
Rate of *Recorded* Maternal Antenatal Opioid Use among Deliveries, Illinois Discharge Data 2011-2015



116% increase in recorded maternal opioid use between 2011 and 2015

Pregnancy is a window of opportunity to identify women with OUD and link to treatment as well as begin to develop a plan for optimizing her baby's care

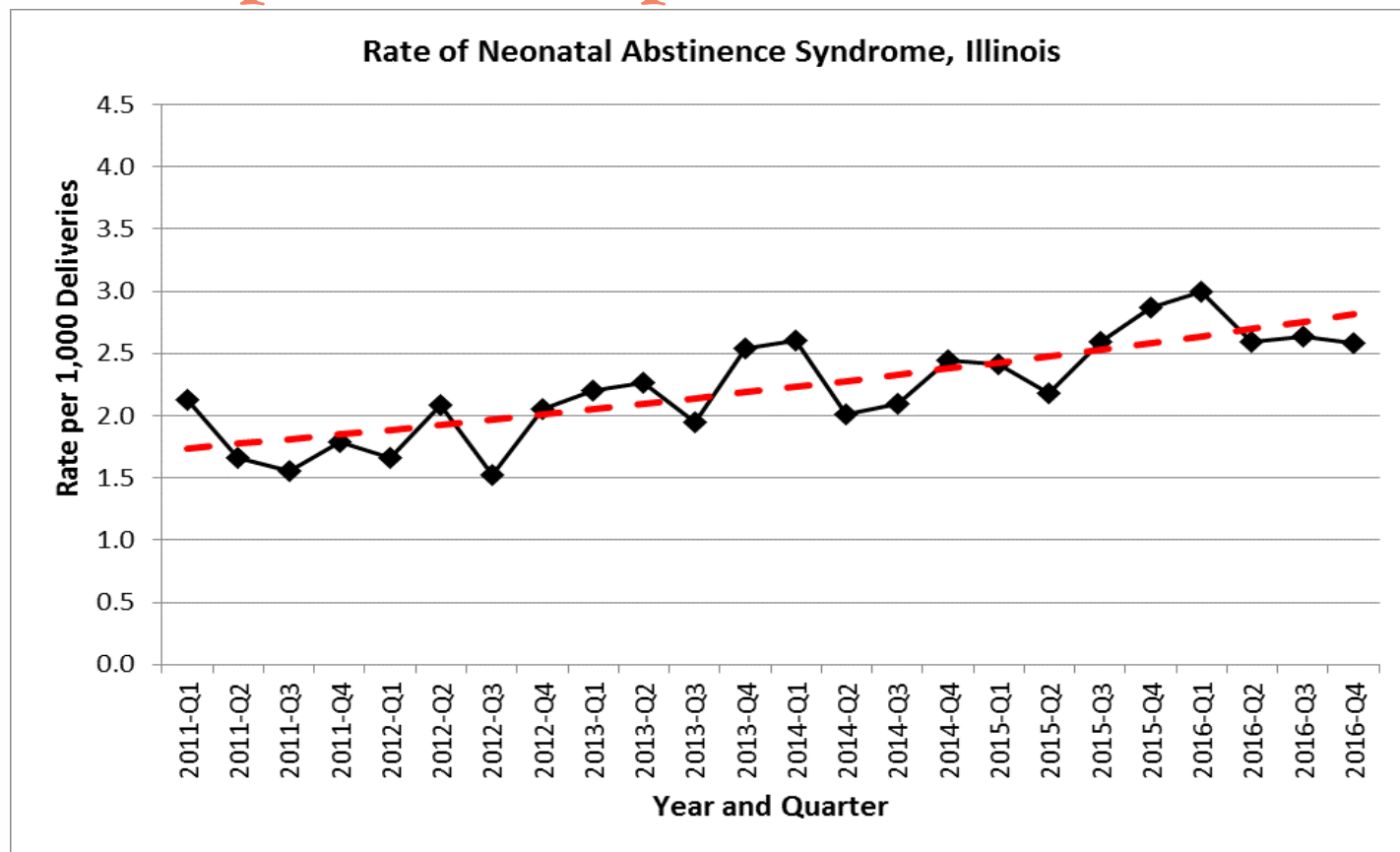
Rate of Pregnancy-Associated Deaths Due to Drug Poisoning, Illinois Residents, 2008-2016



Between 2008 and 2016:

- Pregnancy-associated deaths specifically related to opioid overdose **increased almost 6-fold.**

Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome in IL: scope of the problem



53% increase in rate of NAS from 2011 – 2016

NAS rate increased 2.1% per quarter from 2011-2016

The Faces of OUD

IT CAN HAPPEN TO ANYONE

“Opioid use disorder (OUD) is a chronic treatable brain disease that can be managed successfully by combining mediations with comprehensive care and recovery support, which enables those with OUD to regain control of their health and their lives.”



In 2014, an estimated 1.9 million people had an OUD related to prescription pain relievers and an estimated 586,000 had an OUD related to heroin use.

ILPQC Mothers and Newborns affected by Opioids (MNO)




Screening and
Linkage to
Care

Optimizing
Care for
Moms/Babies

Prevention

Initiative AIMs

- **Increase** pregnant women affected by opioids **identified, linked to care** prenatally and **receiving Medication Assisted Treatment (MAT)** for opioid disorder at delivery
 - Optimize clinical care of pregnant women with OUD through **patient and provider education & implementation of care checklists**
 - **Increase non-pharm care** and **decrease pharmacologic treatment** in opioid exposed newborns (OENs)
 - **Increase breastfeeding rates** in mothers and newborns affected by opioids at infant discharge
 - **Increase safe and optimized discharge plans** for OENs
 - Optimize **prevention of OUD** through provider and patient education, provider compliance with PMP lookup, and implementation of clinical guidelines for strategies to reduce opioid over-prescribing after delivery
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- 107 hospitals participating in the MNO OB & Neonatal Initiative
 - 101 MNO-OB Hospital QI Teams
 - 88 MNO-Neo Hospital QI Teams
 - Facilitated monthly MNO-OB & Neo collaborative learning webinars with ~150 participants/call
 - Paper & Online MNO-OB & Neonatal QI toolkit for teams including sample protocols, guidelines, and patient & provider education

Our Goals for MNO

1. Increase validated screening and linkage to MAT for mothers with opioid use disorder

- Implementation of universal OUD screening & documentation
- Ensure standard SBIRT protocol response for all screened positive women
- Mapping of available local MAT/OUD Resources Mapping Tool and resources and standardize process to link pregnant and postpartum women to MAT/ support services,

2. Optimizing care for mothers and newborns affected by opioids.

- Implement standardized provider and nurse education on OUD screening, the OUD protocol, and stigma/bias
- Standardize patient education on OUD, MAT, Naloxone, NAS, and the importance of breastfeeding and engaging moms in the opioid exposed newborns care
- Implementation of an OUD clinical care check list: such as offering Narcan/Naloxone, Hep C screening, standard consults to optimize prenatal care, delivery, and postpartum care for moms with OUD
- Neo Teams Improve outcomes for opioid exposed newborns (OENs) through key interventions: standardized identification and assessment of OENs, increased maternal participation in OENs newborn care, optimize non-pharmacologic newborn care, standardize pharmacologic treatment, and develop standard safe discharge plans.

3. Prevent opioid use disorder (OUD)

- Systems changes to reduce the number of opioids prescribed for routine deliveries
- Increase documentation of IL PMP look up by providers prior to prescribing opioids
- Provide education on OUD prevention for providers, staff and pregnant women

Getting Started with MNO



- Jan-April 2018 Wave 1 Teams (XX) evaluated data form, trialed data collection strategies, provided feedback
- April 2018 kick-off 2 hour webinar to introduce MNO Initiative to teams statewide
- May 2018 Face to Face Meeting Springfield: > 300 participants, > 100 hospital teams, storyboards, toolkit launch, patient education materials, breakout sessions, leaders from other state PQC's share strategy
- June 2018 Monthly team webinars start: education, data review, clinical / QI leaders other states, Team Talks
- Baseline data collection 4th quarter 2017 due 8/15/18
- July 2018 Teams start monthly data collection



**ILPQC Mothers and Newborns
affected by Opioids (MNO)-
OB Initiative**

Jan 2018 – Dec 2019

MNO-OB TOOLKIT

WEB VERSION AVAILABLE

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OB Toolkit Sections

- Introduction
- Initiative Resources
- Mothers and Newborns Affected by Opioids Slide Set
- National Guidance: ACOG Committee Opinions

Screening & Linkage to Care

- Screening and assessment of pregnant women with OUD
- Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
- Improve Linkage to Addiction Care

Optimizing Clinical Care for Pregnant/Postpartum Women with OUD

- Example Protocols/Best Practice Recommendations/Checklists for Prenatal-Intrapartum-Postpartum Care of Women with OUD
- Counseling & Prescribing Naloxone/Narcan
- Additional Resources to Optimize Care of Women with OUD
- Education Materials for Pregnant Women with OUD

OB Toolkit Sections (cont.)



Prevention of OUD

- Patient and Provider Education for OUD Prevention
 - Patient education for all pregnant women
 - Provider/nursing/staff education on OUD
- Clinical guidelines/strategies to reduce opioid over prescribing postpartum
- Overview of new Illinois state law on ILPMP lookup

Education Materials for Pregnant Women with OUD

- Pregnancy and MAT one-pager
- Are you in treatment or recovery
- NAS What you need to know one-pager
- NAS Booklet

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Illinois Department of Public Health

Prescription Pain Medicine, Opioids, and Pregnancy: What All Pregnant Women Need to Know

What are opioids?

Opioids are a class of drugs that includes prescription pain relievers such as oxycodone and hydrocodone, the illegal drug heroin, and dangerous synthetic opioids such as fentanyl, carfentanil, and other analogues. Opioids work in the brain to reduce pain and can also produce feelings of relaxation and euphoria.

Prescribed opioids include:


- Buprenorphine (Belbuca, Buprenex, Butrans)
- Codeine
- Fentanyl (Actiq, Duragesic, Sublimaze)
- Hydrocodone (Lorcet, Lortab, Norco, Vicodin)
- Hydromorphone (Dalauid, Exalgo)
- Meperidine (Demerol)
- Methadone (Dolophine, Methadose)
- Morphine (Astramorph, Avinza, Duramorph, Roxanol)
- Oxycodone (OxyContin, Percodan, Percocet)
- Oxymorphone (Opana)
- Tramadol (ConZip, Ryzolt, Ultram)



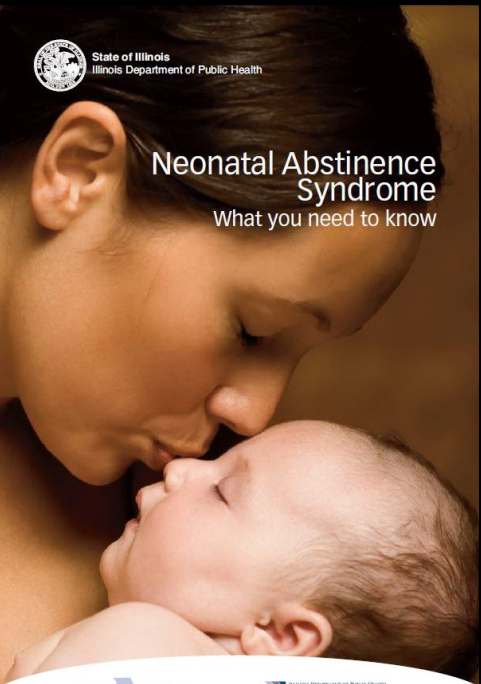
Your doctor may prescribe an opioid for you if you've had surgery, dental work, an injury, or after you deliver your baby. Prescription opioids are important pain medications that can provide relief for acute or chronic pain. Unfortunately, they can also be prescribed inappropriately and misused. Misuse or chronic use of prescription opioids increases the risk of developing opioid use disorder (OUD) and may lead to overdose. If you take opioids during pregnancy they can also cause serious problems for your baby.

What is opioid use disorder?

Opioid can be dangerous and addictive. Symptoms of opioid use disorder include developing a need for higher doses in order to feel the same effect; using more than the amount of the drug that is prescribed; taking non-prescribed opioids such as heroin; having work, school, or family problems caused by your opioid use; feeling a strong urge or desire ("craving") to use the drug; and experiencing painful withdrawal symptoms if you abruptly stop taking opioids. Taking higher doses of opioids or using opioids for extended periods of time increases the risk of developing OUD.


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Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome What you need to know




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Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS): What You Need to Know



**Be with your baby:
You are the treatment!**

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AIM Bundle and Resources

- Obstetric Care for Women with Opioid Use Disorder Bundle and Resources Listing
- OUD Clinical Pathway

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IN WOMEN'S HEALTH CARE**
safe health care for every woman

PATIENT SAFETY BUNDLE

READINESS

Every patient/family

- Provide education to promote chronic disease.
- Emphasize that substance use conditions, treatment is available and recovery is possible.
- Emphasize that opioid pharmacologic and behavioral therapy are available.
- Provide education regarding newborn care.
- Awareness of the signs and symptoms of neonatal abstinence syndrome (NAS).
- Interventions to decrease NAS severity.
- Engage appropriate partners, patients and families in the decision-making process.

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PATIENT SAFETY BUNDLE

REPORTING & SYSTEMS LEARNING

Every clinical setting/health system

- Develop mechanisms to collect data to ensure high quality healthcare delivery.
- Develop a data dashboard to monitor number of pregnant women in OUD.
- Create an interdisciplinary team to review cases.

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PATIENT SAFETY BUNDLE

RECOGNITION & PREVENTION

Every provider/clinical setting

- Assess all pregnant women for SUDs.
- Utilize validated screening tools to identify drug and alcohol use.
- Incorporate a screening, brief intervention and referral to treatment (SBIRT) approach in the maternity care setting.
- Ensure screening for polysubstance use among women with OUD.
- Screen and evaluate all pregnant women with OUD for commonly occurring co-morbidities.
- Ensure the ability to screen for infectious disease (e.g. HIV, Hepatitis and sexually transmitted infections (STIs)).
- Ensure the ability to screen for psychiatric disorders, physical and sexual violence.
- Provide resources and interventions for smoking cessation.
- Match treatment response to each woman's stage of recovery and/or readiness to change.

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PATIENT SAFETY BUNDLE

Obstetric Care for Women with Opioid Use Disorder

- Know federal (Child Abuse Prevention Treatment Act - CAPTA), state and county reporting guidelines for substance-exposed infants.
- Understand "Plan of Safe Care" requirements.
- Know state, legal and regulatory requirements for SUD care.
- Identify local SUD treatment facilities that provide women-centered care.
- Ensure that OUD treatment programs meet patient and family resource needs (i.e. wrap-around services such as housing, child care, transportation and home visitation).
- Ensure that drug and alcohol counseling and/or behavioral health services are provided.
- Investigate partnerships with other providers (i.e. social work, addiction treatment, behavioral health) and state public health agencies to assist in bundle implementation.

**ALLIANCE FOR INNOVATION
ON MATERNAL HEALTH**

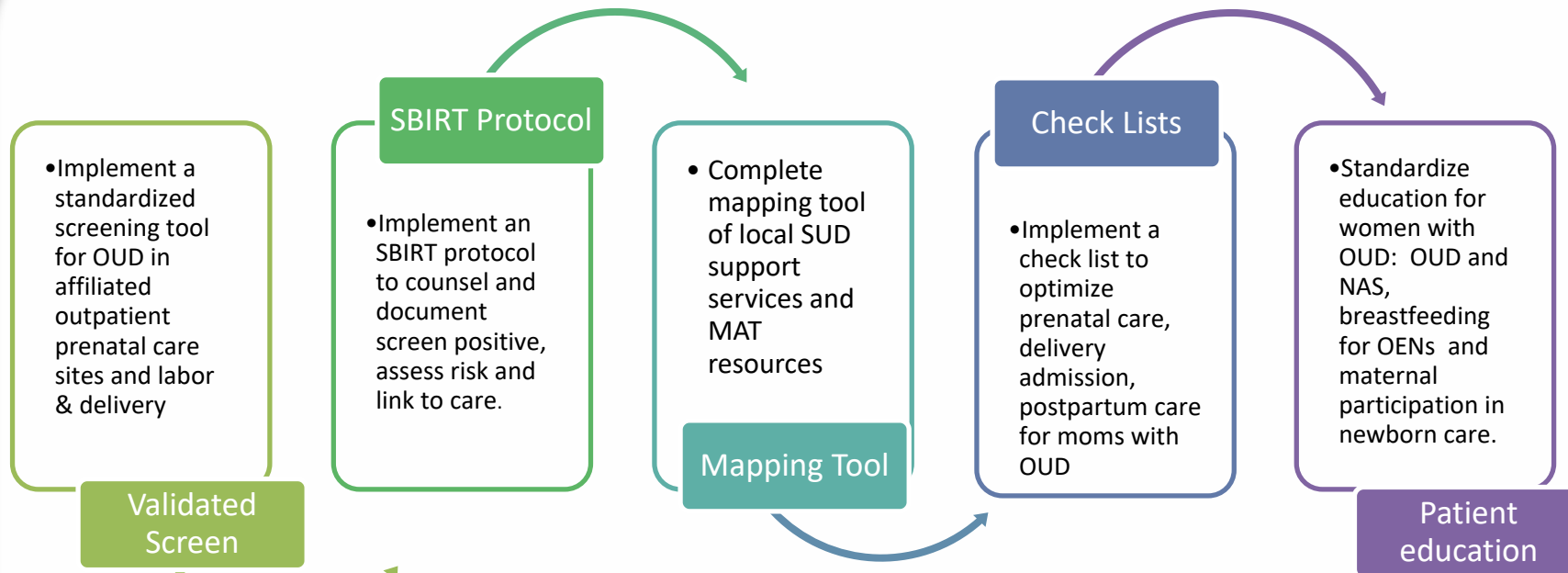
Opioid Use Disorder Clinical Pathway

Antepartum Care (Outpatient)

Upon entry into care and identification of substance use in pregnancy (Snuggle ME Checklist)

- Assess for signs and symptoms of acute withdrawal ([Ohio MOMS F.1-F.9](#))
 - Early: agitation, anxiety, muscle aches, increased tearing, insomnia, runny nose, sweating, yawning
 - Late: abdominal cramping, diarrhea, dilated pupils, goose flesh, nausea, vomiting
- Refer immediately to one of the following for treatment and/or stabilization depending on acuity:
 - Emergency Room
 - Obstetric ER/Triage
 - Inpatient treatment center
- Screen for co-morbid psychiatric conditions
 - If positive refer to Behavioral Health, unless this will be provided by treatment program
- Screen for co-morbid domestic violence
 - If positive refer to domestic violence advocacy service
- Complete a detailed medical, surgical, obstetric, and prenatal history
- Provide a thorough physical examination
- Assess for other immediate psychosocial needs
- Obtain recommended lab testing in addition to routine prenatal labs ([NNEPQIN checklist](#))
 - HIV
 - HepBsAg, anti-HBcore, HBsAb
 - Consider immunization as indicated
 - HCV antibody
 - If positive draw HCV PCR, LFTs
 - Serum creatinine
 - Consider gamma-glutamyl transferase (GGT) if active alcohol use suspected
 - Assess risk factors for tuberculosis and screen if indicated
 - Urine toxicology with woman's consent.
 - Synthetic opioids (e.g., buprenorphine, fentanyl, oxycodone) may not be detected with standard drug test and may require more specific testing. Consult with individual lab
 - Baseline EKG before starting methadone
- Perform dating ultrasound upon entry to care

MNO-OB work so far...



Stigma, Bias, and Trauma Informed Care

Standardize a process to systematically educate providers, nurses and staff on stigma, bias and trauma informed care

MNO-OB in 2018: Making Change Happen

Key QI Strategies

Implement universal screening and documentation (prenatal/L&D)

Ensure standard SBIRT protocol response for all screen positive

Complete and share Mapping Tool to identify local resources for MAT/SUD support services & standardize process for linking patients to care

Implement OUD Clinical Care Checklist (prenatal / L&D medical record)

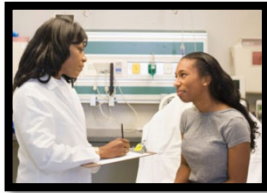
Standardize patient education on OUD & NAS, and importance of participation in newborn care

Complete Provider/Nurse Training on stigma and bias, screening, SBIRT, clinical care checklist and activating the OUD Protocol

OUD Protocol: Activate for every screen positive patient



Screen and document
positive result



Provide SBIRT risk assessment
and brief counseling re: benefits
of treatment, next steps for
linking patient to care



Activate care coordination and
navigation to link woman to
MAT, addiction services and
behavioral health support



Insert and complete OUD
clinical care checklist in
electronic medical record (or
paper chart) (prenatal / L&D)



Provide patient education re:
OUD and NAS, and engaging in
newborn care via neonatology
consult, counseling, hand-outs.

THE CHALLENGE

Barriers to treatment

- **Prenatal provider lacks experience and process for linking to MAT providers**
- **Limited MAT providers near by**
- Economic obstacles to entering and staying in treatment.
 - Cash only options
 - Insurance provider issues
- Accessibility to services:
 - Lack of flexible service times
 - Location to patient's home or work
 - Transportation issues to/from clinic
- Threat of legal sanction – child custody.
- Lack of affordable child care.
- Oppositions for entering treatment from family/friends.
 - Partner substance abuse
 - Lack of support systems
- Caretaker role for dependent family.



HELPING OUR PATIENTS NAVIGATE TO TREATMENT



Map local
resources for MAT
providers and SUD
support services

Establish process
flow to link all
patients with OUD
to care

**Expand the
number of
Buprenorphine
providers**

Maintenance
MAT

MNO Teams Track Key Measures



- Monthly Data (by the 15th of the following month)
 - **OB Teams**
 - All women with OUD collect process outcomes and measures
 - Random sample of 10 charts from all deliveries to collect % of patients screened for OUD
 - **Neo Teams**
 - All opioid exposed newborns
 - **All teams:**
 - Structure measures to track our QI work: screening tool and SBIRT implementation, patient and provider education, protocol implementation, mapping resources, process flow, etc.
 - Red / yellow / green (haven't started / working on / implemented)

MNO-OB Project Aims



By December 2019, for all pregnant/postpartum women with OUD across participating hospitals:	Goal
Increase proportion of all pregnant women screened with a universal validated screener during prenatal period / during delivery admission	≥ 80%
Increase proportion of women with OUD receiving MAT prenatally or by delivery discharge	≥ 70%
Increase proportion of women with OUD connected to Behavioral Health Counseling/Recovery Services prenatally or during delivery admission	≥ 80%
Increase proportion of women with OUD with an OUD clinical care checklist completed prenatally or during delivery admission	≥ 70%
Increase proportion of women with OUD receiving: Narcan, contraception plan, Hep C screen, behavioral health /social work consult, prenatally or during delivery admission	≥ 70%
Increase proportion of women with OUD receiving pediatric / neonatal consult, on NAS and role in non-pharmacologic newborn care, prenatally or during delivery admission	≥ 70%
Increase proportion of women with OUD receiving OUD/NAS education, prenatally or during delivery admission	≥ 80%

MNO-OB Baseline Data (Q42017)

Opportunities for Improvement

3%

Women with screening
documented prenatally and
on L&D

2.6%

Narcan counseling and
prescription

53.7%

Of mothers and newborns
roomed together during
maternal hospitalization

40%

Women with OUD on
MAT at delivery

40.7%

Hep C screened and
documented

56.2%

Eligible mothers with OUD
breastfeeding/providing
breastmilk during maternal
hospitalization

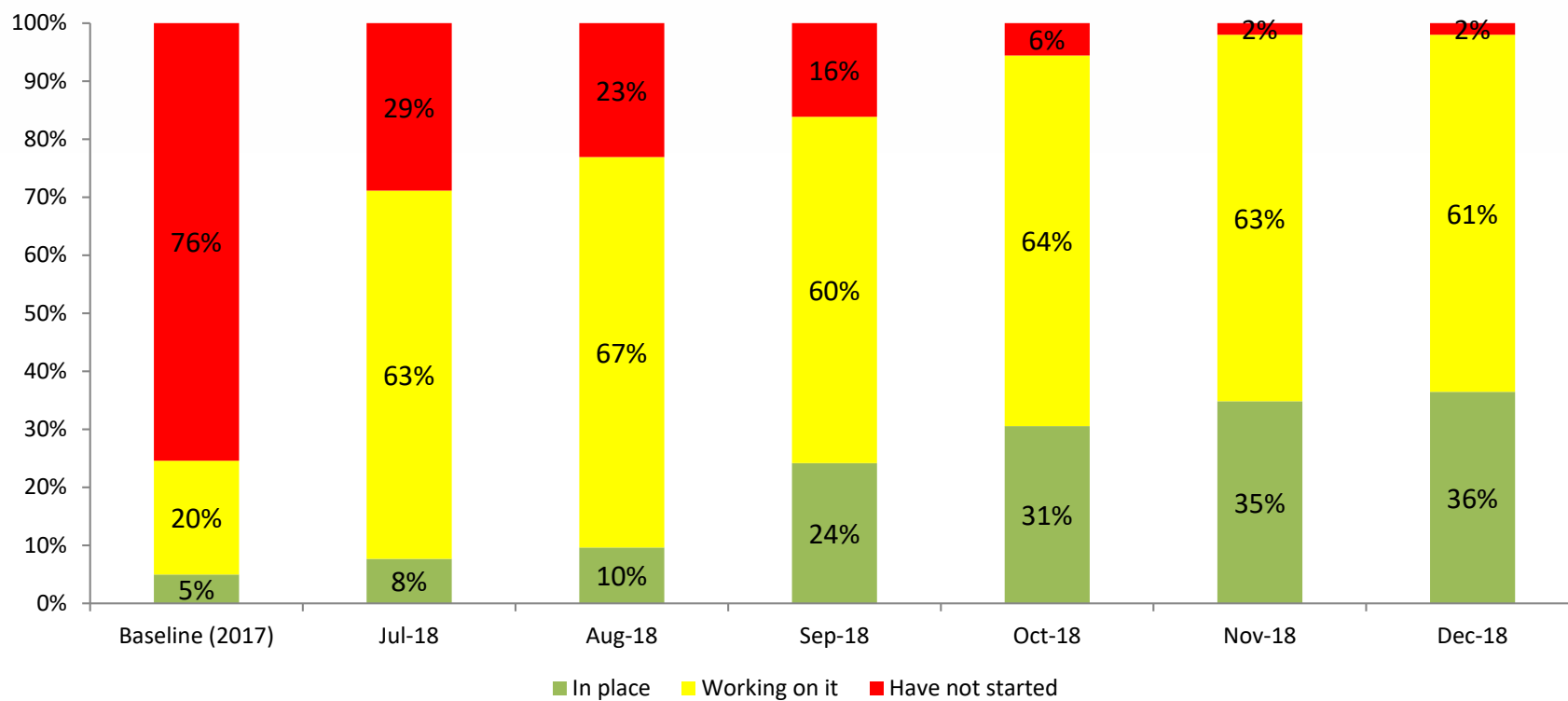
Screening & Linkage to Care

Clinical Care Checklist

Engaging Moms in Care

Screening & Linkage to Care: Standardized Screening Tool on L&D (Structure Measure)

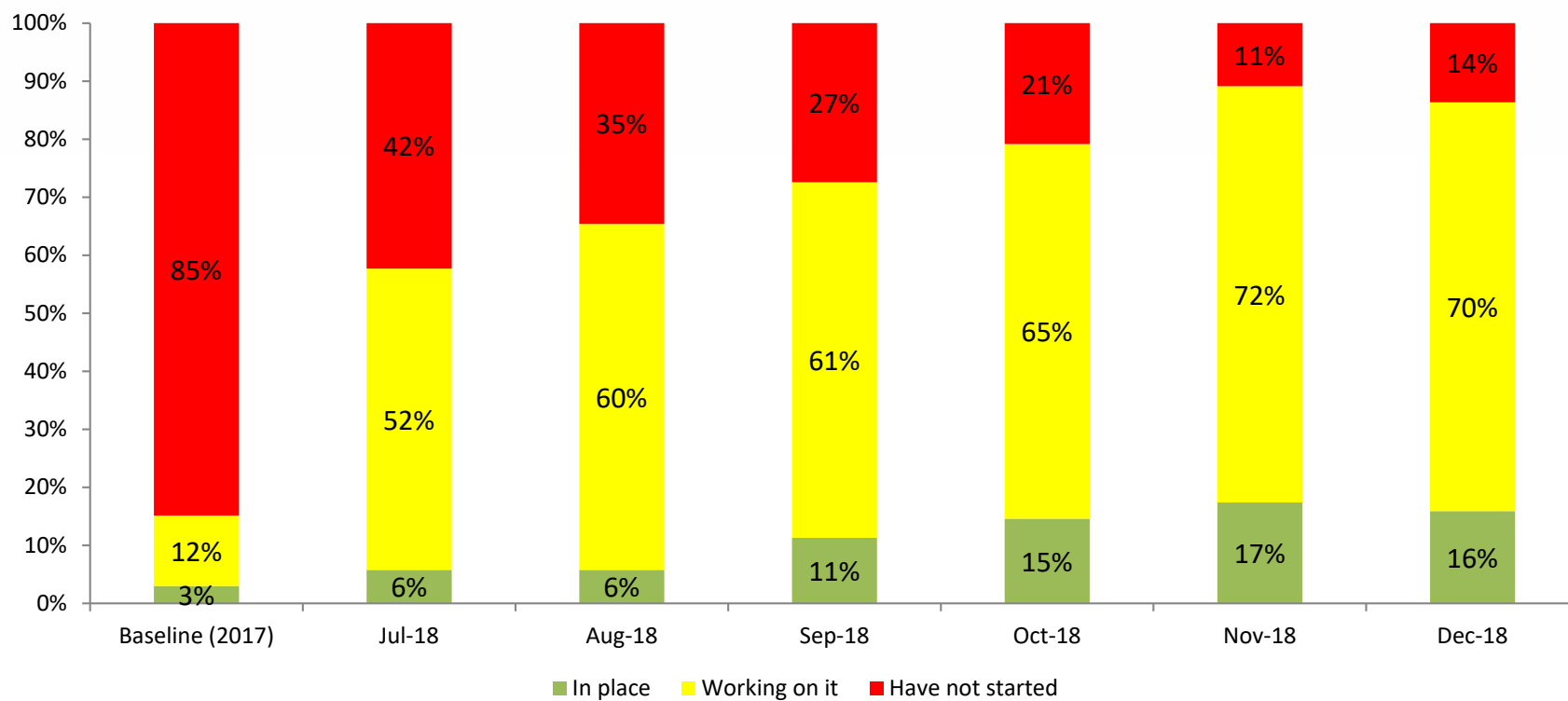
ILPQC MNO Initiative:
Percent of hospitals that have implemented a standardized, validated self-report screening tool for screening all pregnant women for OUD on units caring for pregnant women
All Hospitals, 2018



AIM: Increase proportion of all pregnant women screened with a universal validated screener on L&D

Screening & Linkage to Care: Standardized SBIRT (Structure Measure)

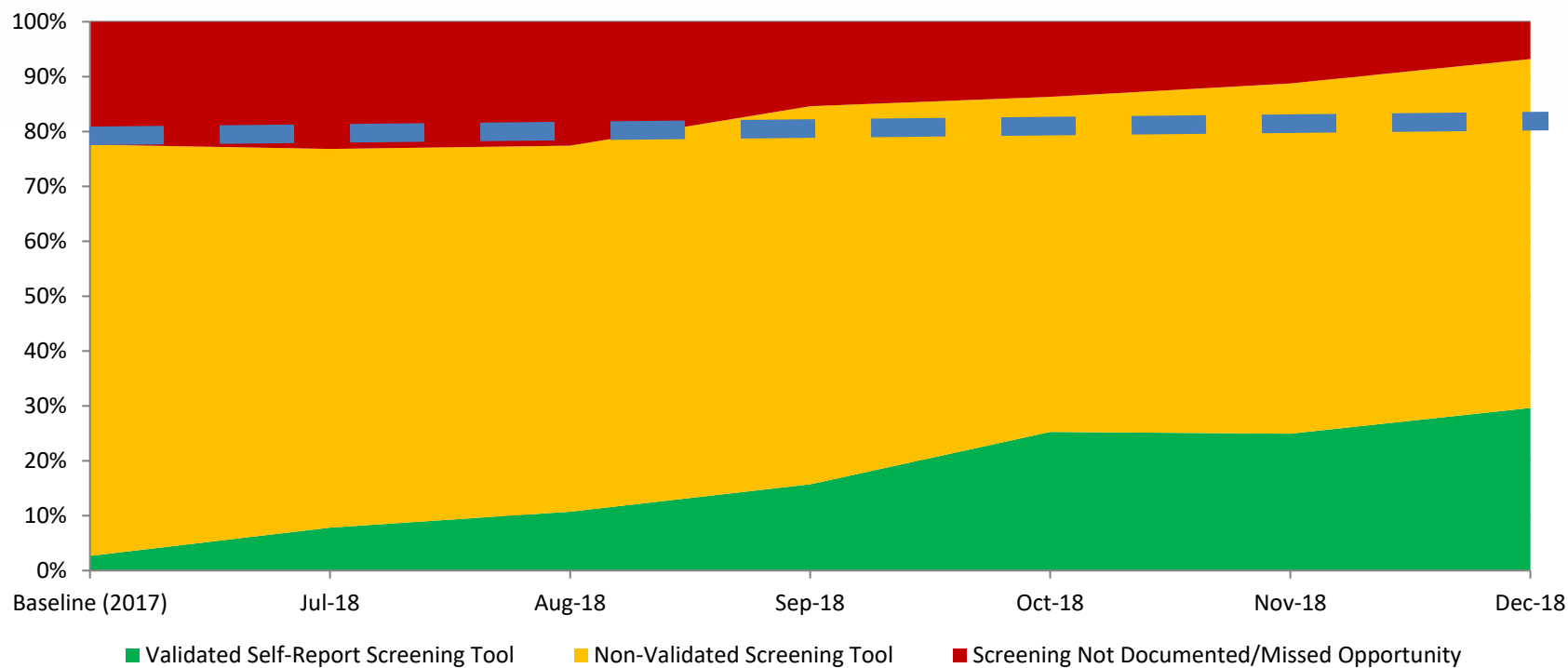
ILPQC MNO Initiative:
Percent of hospitals that have implemented a SBIRT protocol/process flow for women who report or screen positive for OUD to assess and link to MAT/Addiction Treatment Services
All Hospitals, 2018



AIM: Increase proportion of women with OUD receiving MAT and Behavioral Health Counseling/Recovery Services prenatally or by delivery discharge

Screening & Linkage to Care: Sample of Documentation of Screening for OUD on L&D

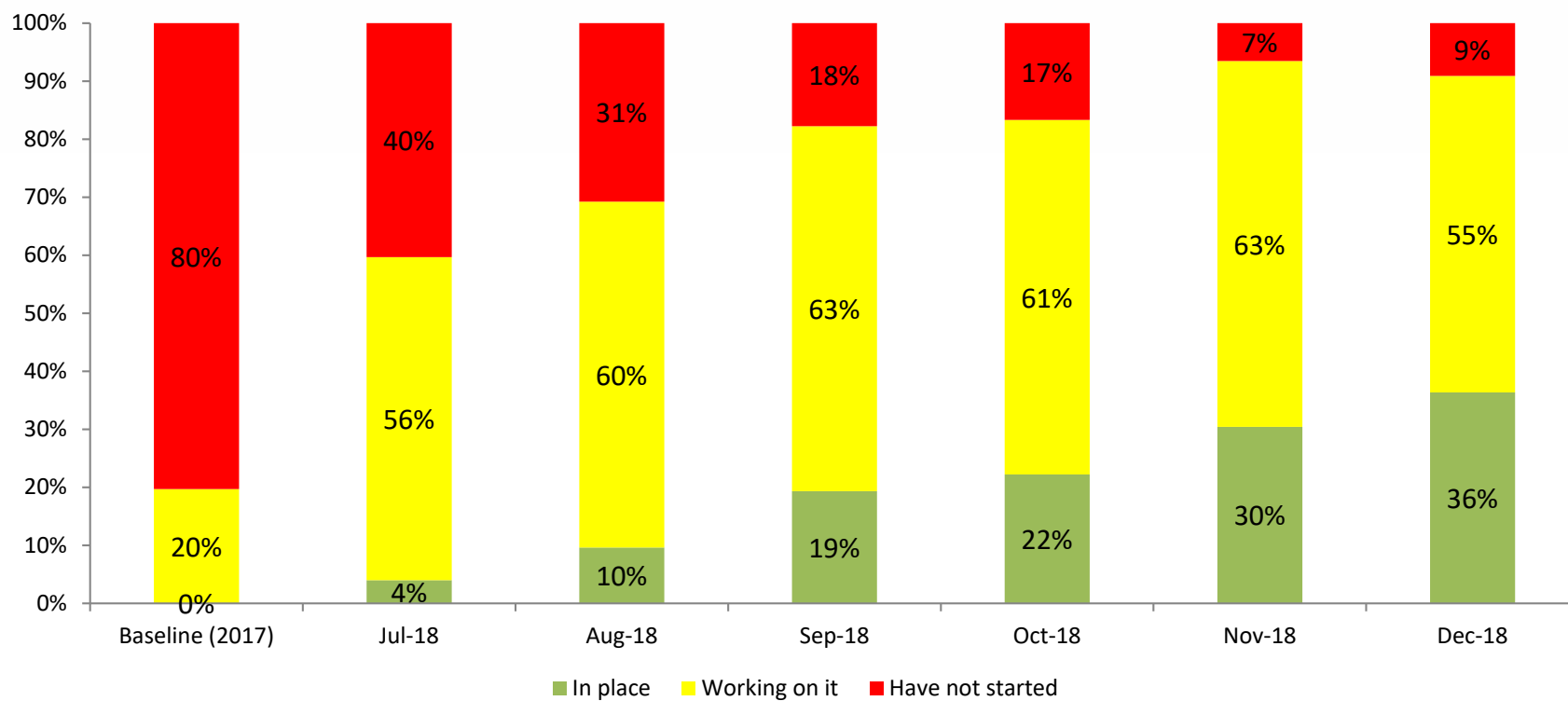
MNO-OB Monthly Sample of Documentation of OUD Screening on L&D All Hospitals, 2018



BENCHMARK = $\geq 80\%$

Screening & Linkage to Care: Mapping Community Resources (Structure Measure)

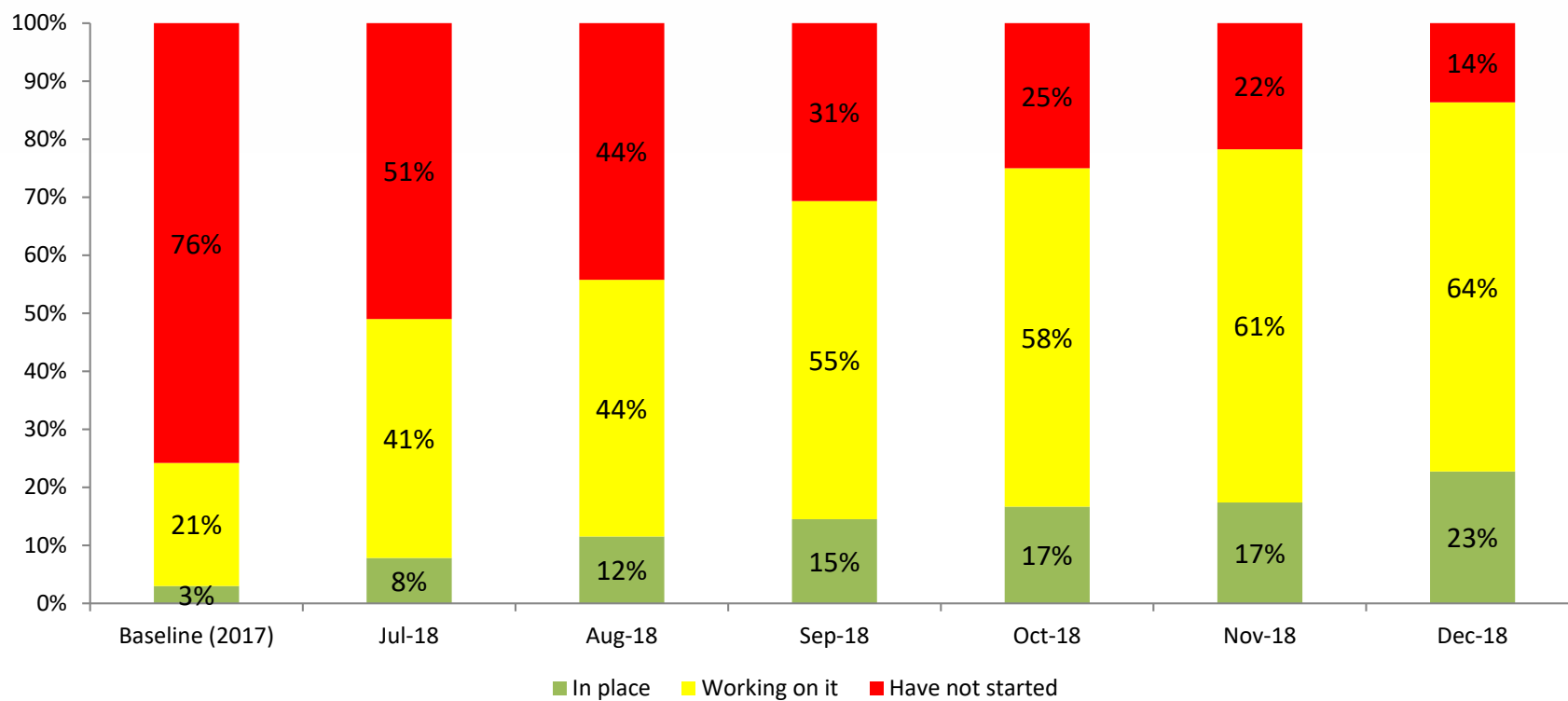
ILPQC MNO Initiative:
Percent of hospitals that have completed ILPQC Community mapping tool to map local community resources
(MAT/addiction treatment services/behavioral health services) for pregnant/postpartum women with OUD
All Hospitals, 2018



Optimizing Care: Standardized Education for Women with OUD (Structure Measure)

ILPQC MNO Initiative:

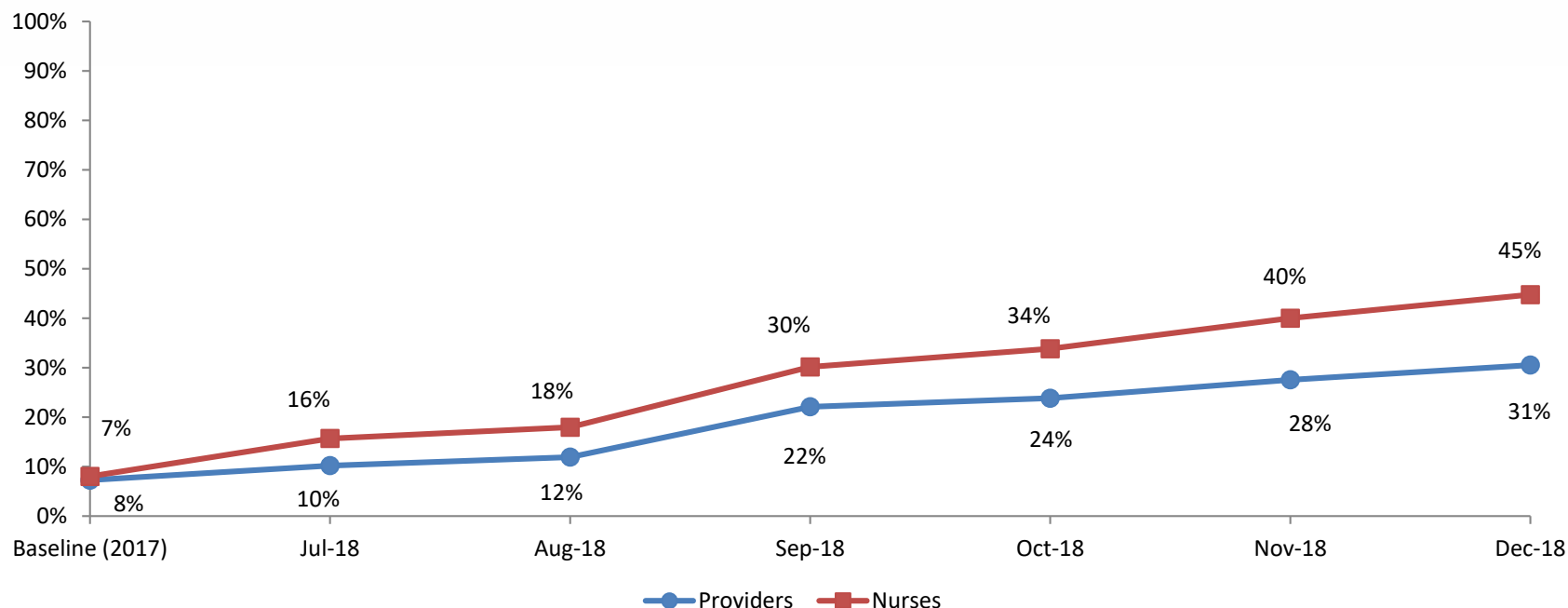
Percent of hospitals that have standardized use of materials for educating pregnant women with OUD regarding OUD/NAS, importance of breastfeeding, and importance of mothers role in NAS newborn care
All Hospitals, 2018



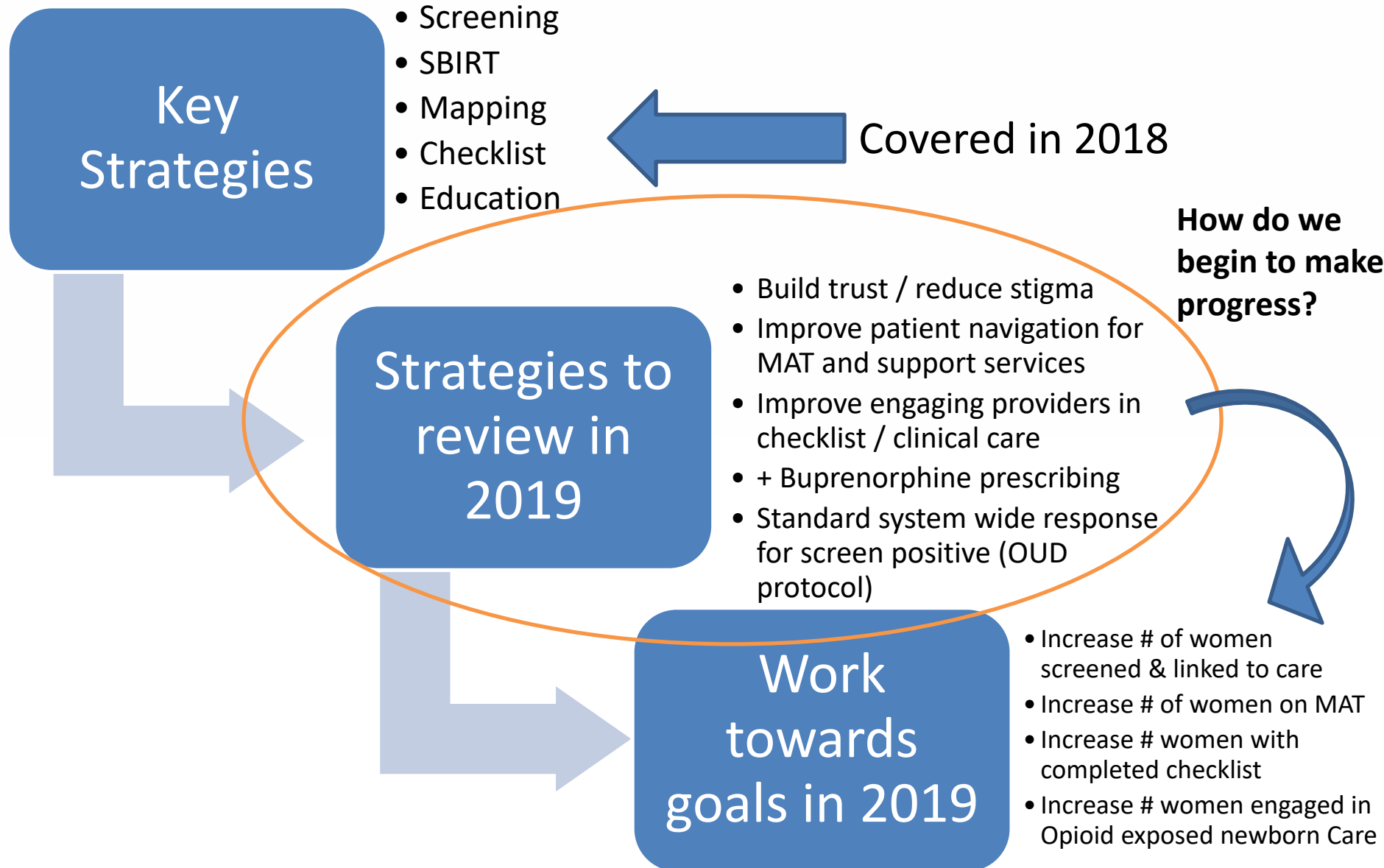
AIM: Increase proportion of women with OUD receiving OUD/NAS education prenatally or during delivery admission

Optimizing Care: Cumulative Provider & Nursing Education on OUD care protocols (Structure Measure)

ILPQC MNO Initiative: Average cumulative proportion of providers and nurses educated on OUD care protocols (including stigma & bias) All Hospitals, 2018



MNO in 2019



ILPQC Immediate Postpartum LARC Initiative



Aims: Empower women with information and improved access to effective contraception before discharge home after delivery to reduce short interval and unintended pregnancies linked with adverse MCH outcomes

Key Goals:

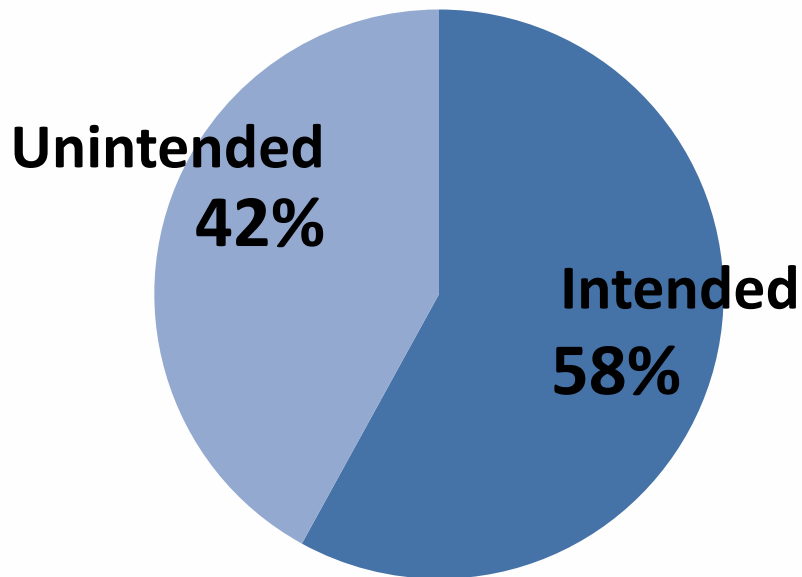
- 1) Increase % of women with prenatal comprehensive contraceptive counseling and documentation
- 2) Increase % of providers/ nurses trained to provide IPLARC
- 3) Increase % of hospitals who have completed key steps needed to provide IPLARC
- 4) Achieve GO LIVE goal to provide IPLARC for Wave 1 hospitals by March 2019



Consequences of Unplanned Births and Short Interval Pregnancy



Of the 158,522 total births in IL in 2014:



50% of IL births covered by Medicaid

Consequences of Unplanned Pregnancies

- Poor pregnancy outcomes
- Delayed initiation of prenatal care
- Lower breastfeeding rates
- Higher risk of maternal depression and potential future child maltreatment

Consequences of Short Interpregnancy Interval

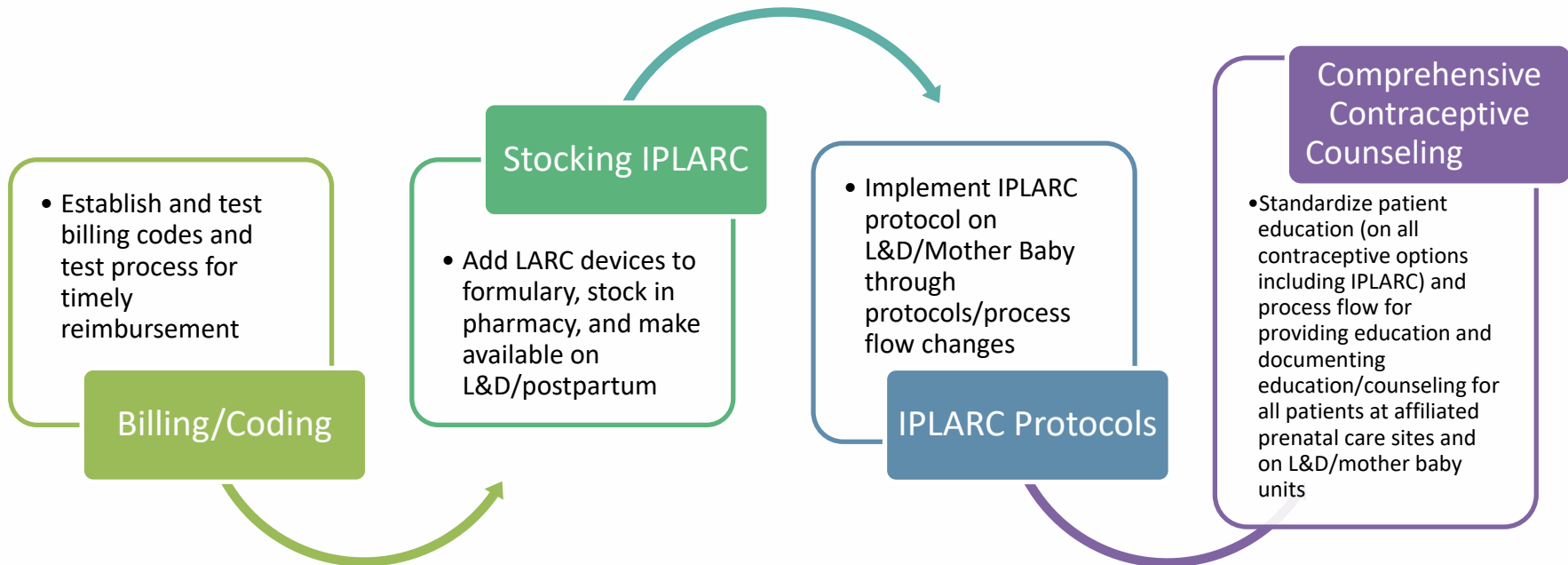
Higher risk of poor maternal and infant outcomes: Preterm birth, low birthweight, preeclampsia

ILPQC IP LARC Initiative

Goals



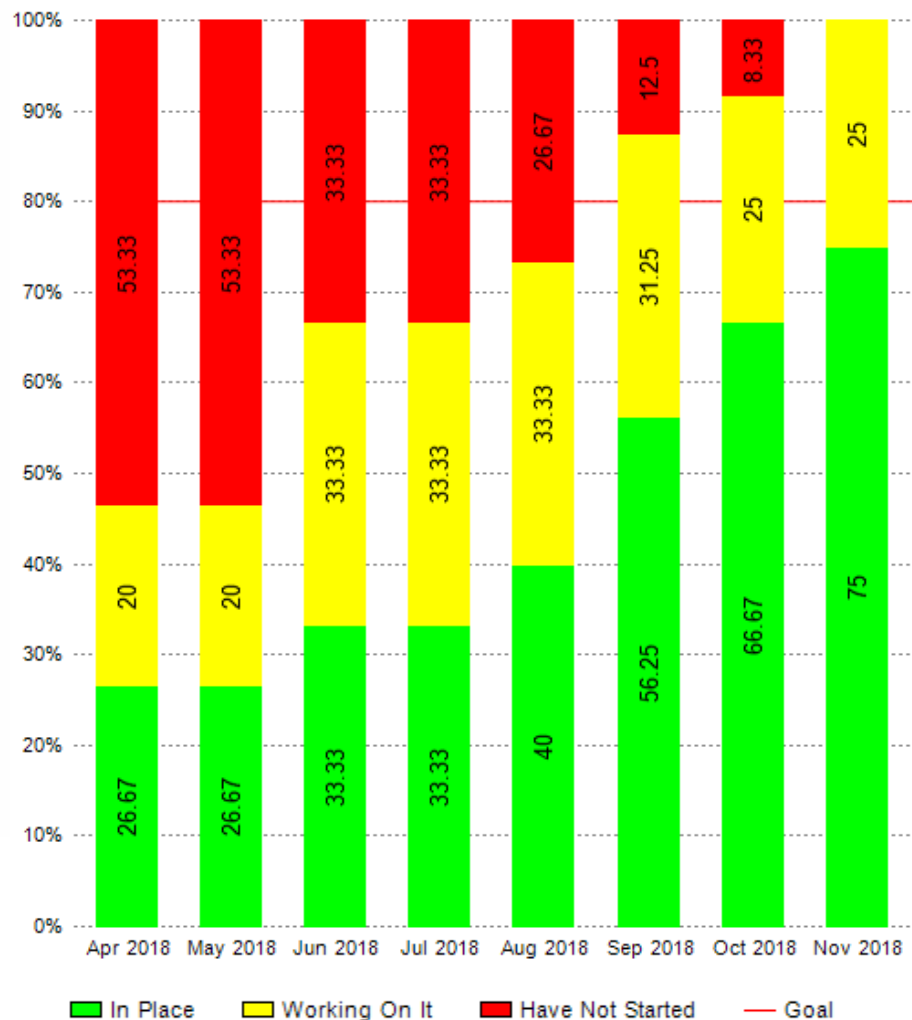
IPLARC Wave I work so far...



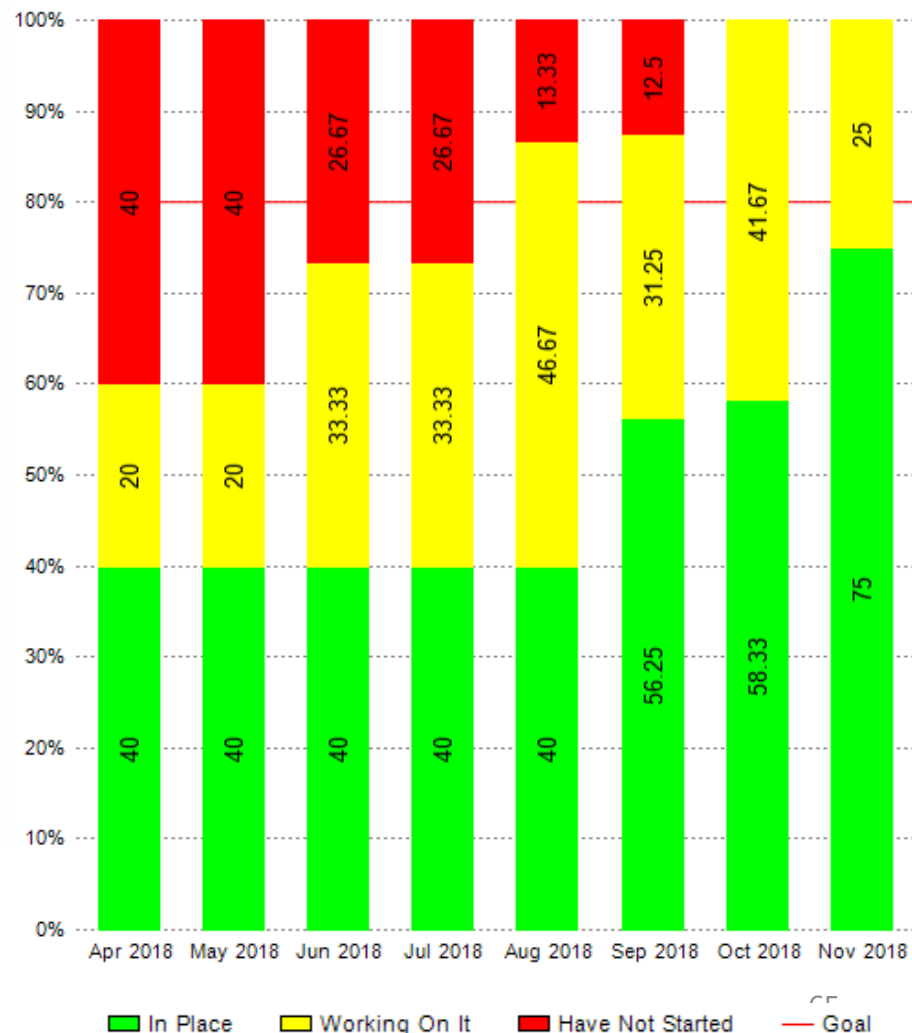
GO LIVE by March 2019

IPLARC on Formulary

Percent of Hospitals with Inpatient
IUDs Available on Hospital Formulary



Percent of Hospitals with Inpatient
Implants Available on Hospital Formulary





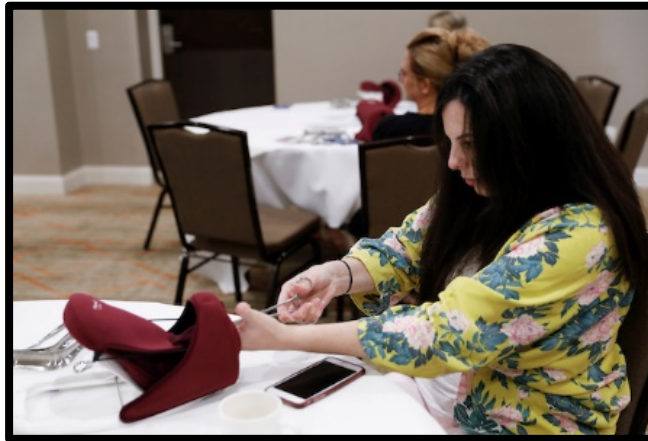
CALLING ALL HOSPITALS!

We want YOUR HOSPITAL to join Wave 2 of ILPQC's Immediate Postpartum LARC Initiative!

- Receive a IPLARC Wave 1 hospital mentor to provide guidance as your hospital implements IPLARC
- Access to IPLARC rapid-access DASHBOARDS!
- Learn about hot topics on monthly collaborative webinars, including billing & coding, stocking, etc.!
- *Opportunities to participate in IPLARC Alternative Strategies focusing on universal early postpartum follow up visits for maternal health and safety check and access to family planning

Upcoming IPLARC Training Opportunities

- We're working with ACOG to offer 3 IPLARC trainings in 2019:



Postpartum Contraceptive
Access Initiative

Improving Postpartum Access to Care (IPAC)

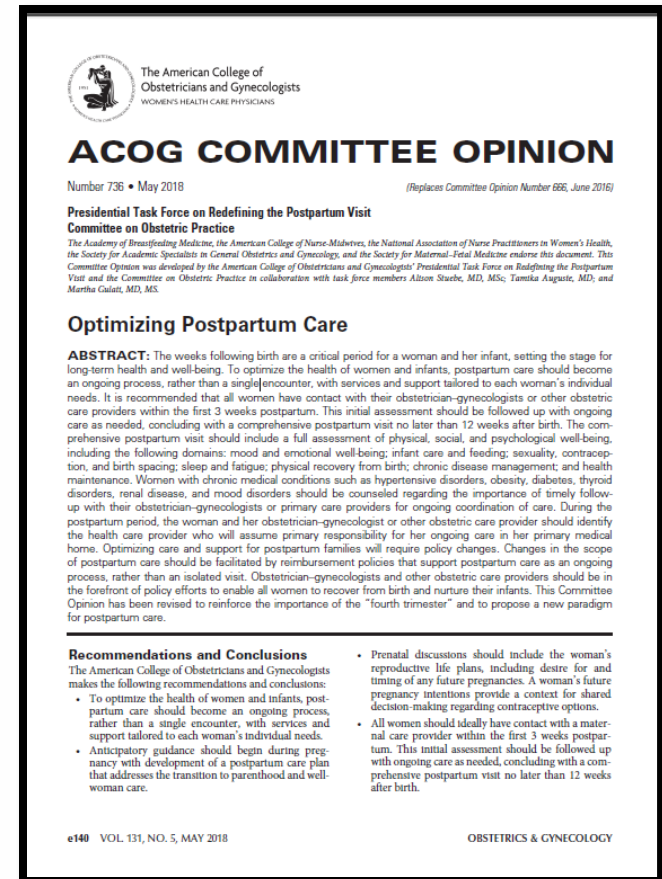
- Pathway for hospitals that do not provide contraception to participate in increasing access to early postpartum care
- Goal universal early postpartum visit at 2 wks
- ACOG committee opinion #736 and MMRC Report



Redefining Postpartum Care

ACOG Committee Opinion #736:

- To optimize the health of women and infants, postpartum care should become an ongoing process, rather than a single encounter
- All women should ideally have contact with maternal care provider within the first 3 weeks postpartum
 - ☐ Blood pressure checks
 - ☐ Breastfeeding support
 - ☐ Mental health well-being
 - ☐ Contraception
- Initial assessment should be followed up with ongoing care as needed
- Conclude with a comprehensive postpartum visit NO LATER than 12 after birth



ILPQC Maternal Hypertension Initiative

Aim: Reduce the rate of severe morbidities in women with severe preeclampsia, eclampsia, or preeclampsia superimposed on pre-existing hypertension by 20% by December 2017

Approach: 4 key goals

1. Reduce time to treatment
2. Improve postpartum patient education
3. Improve postpartum patient follow up
4. Improve provider & RN debrief



- 110 hospital teams - May 2016 kick off to December 2017
- 106 Hospitals submitted data for over 17,000 women who experienced severe maternal HTN across the initiative
- Sustainability started January 2018
- 86 teams have submitted sustainability data

Critical Pathways to Poor Outcomes



Maternal Death



Near Miss ICU Admission



Serious Morbidity

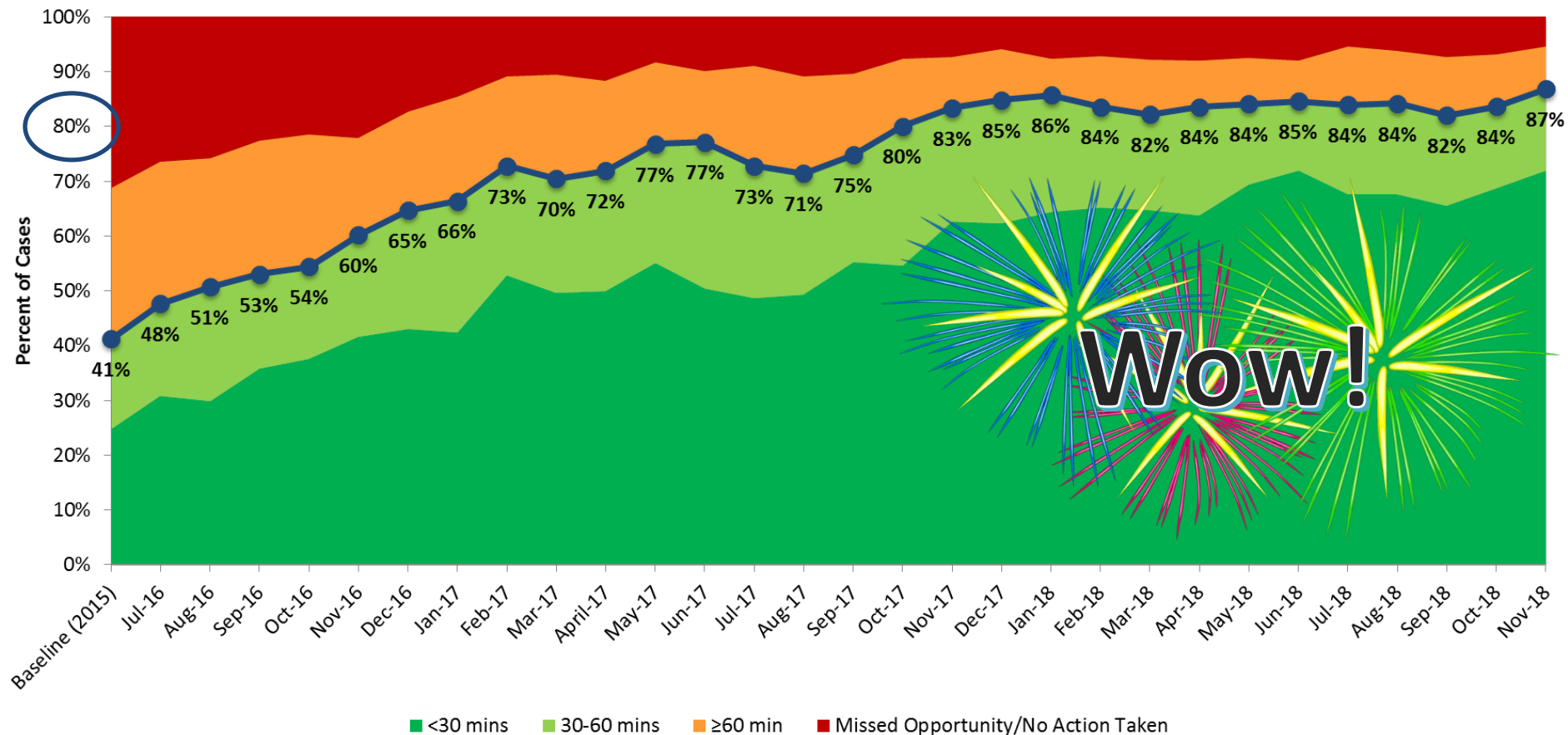
- Clinical Symptoms Not Recognized
- Delayed Diagnosis
- Delayed Treatment
- Assumption Delivery Fixes Problem
- Discharge without timely Follow-up

Project Aims

By December 2017, for all women with confirmed severe maternal HTN across participating hospitals:	Goal
Increase the proportion of women treated for severe HTN in < 60 minutes	≥ 80%
Increase the proportion of women receiving preeclampsia education at discharge	≥ 80%
Increase the proportion of women with follow-up appointments scheduled within 10 day of discharge	≥ 80%
Increase the proportion of cases with provider / nurse debriefs	≥ 50%
Reduce the rate of severe maternal morbidity (SMM)	↓ 20%

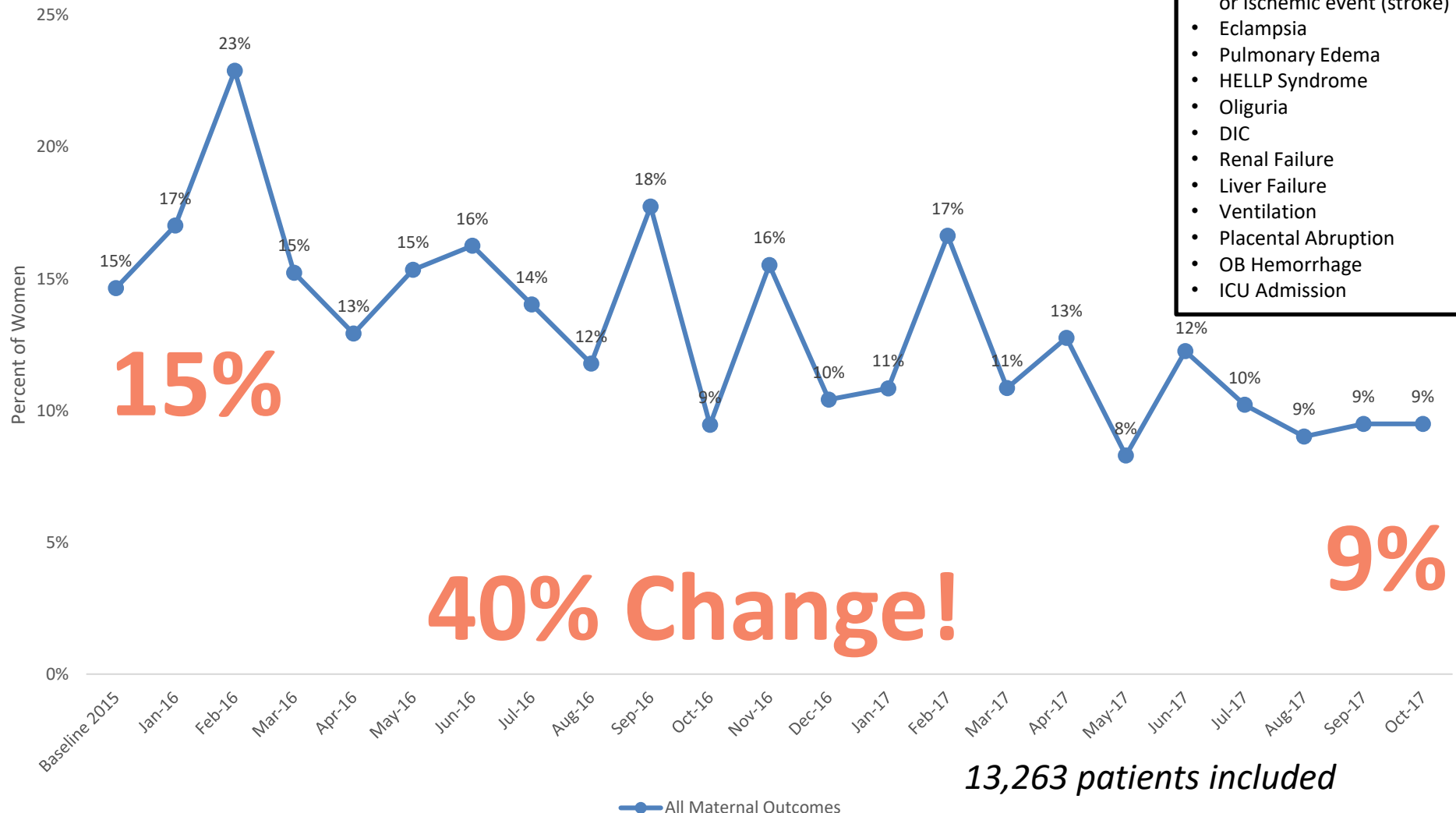
Maternal Hypertension Data: Time to Treatment

ILPQC: Maternal Hypertension Initiative
Percent of Cases with New Onset Severe Hypertension Treated in <30, 30-60, ≥60 minutes or
Not Treated
All Hospitals, 2016-2018

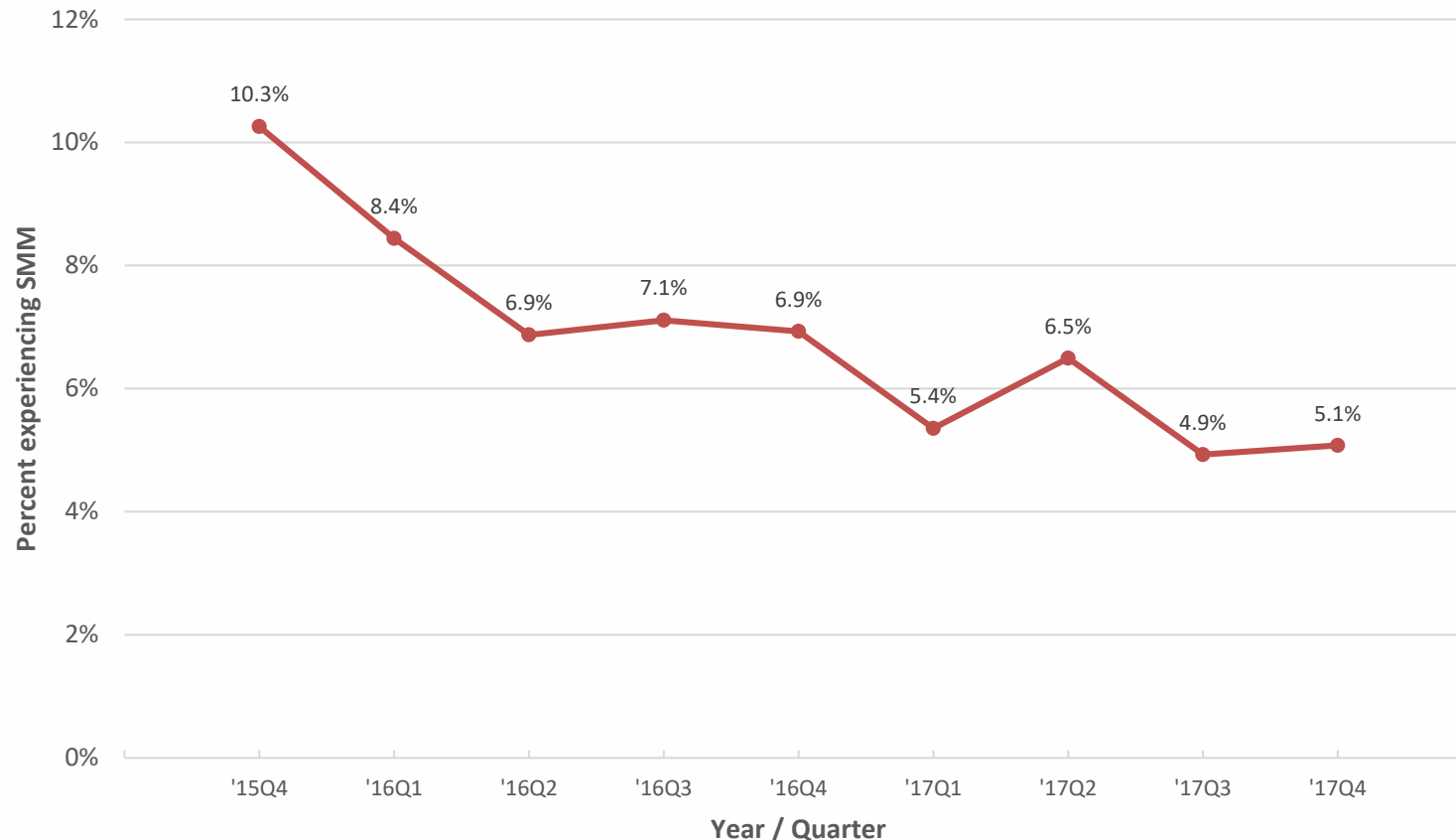


Maternal Hypertension Outcome Data: Severe Maternal Morbidity

ILQPC: Women with New Onset HTN with Severe Maternal Morbidity
All Hospitals, 2016-2017



Severe Maternal Morbidity Rate Deliveries with Hypertension, Hospital Discharge Data, All Illinois Hospitals



Between 2015-Q4 and 2017-Q4, the SMM rate among women experiencing hypertension at delivery was cut in half.

ILPQC Support Strategies

Hospital Teams Report Most Helpful

- ILPQC Hypertension Toolkit Binder
- Reviewing ILPQC Data Reports with Team
- AIM/ACOG Online E-Module Education
- May 2017 Face to Face Meeting
- Team Talks on monthly webinar



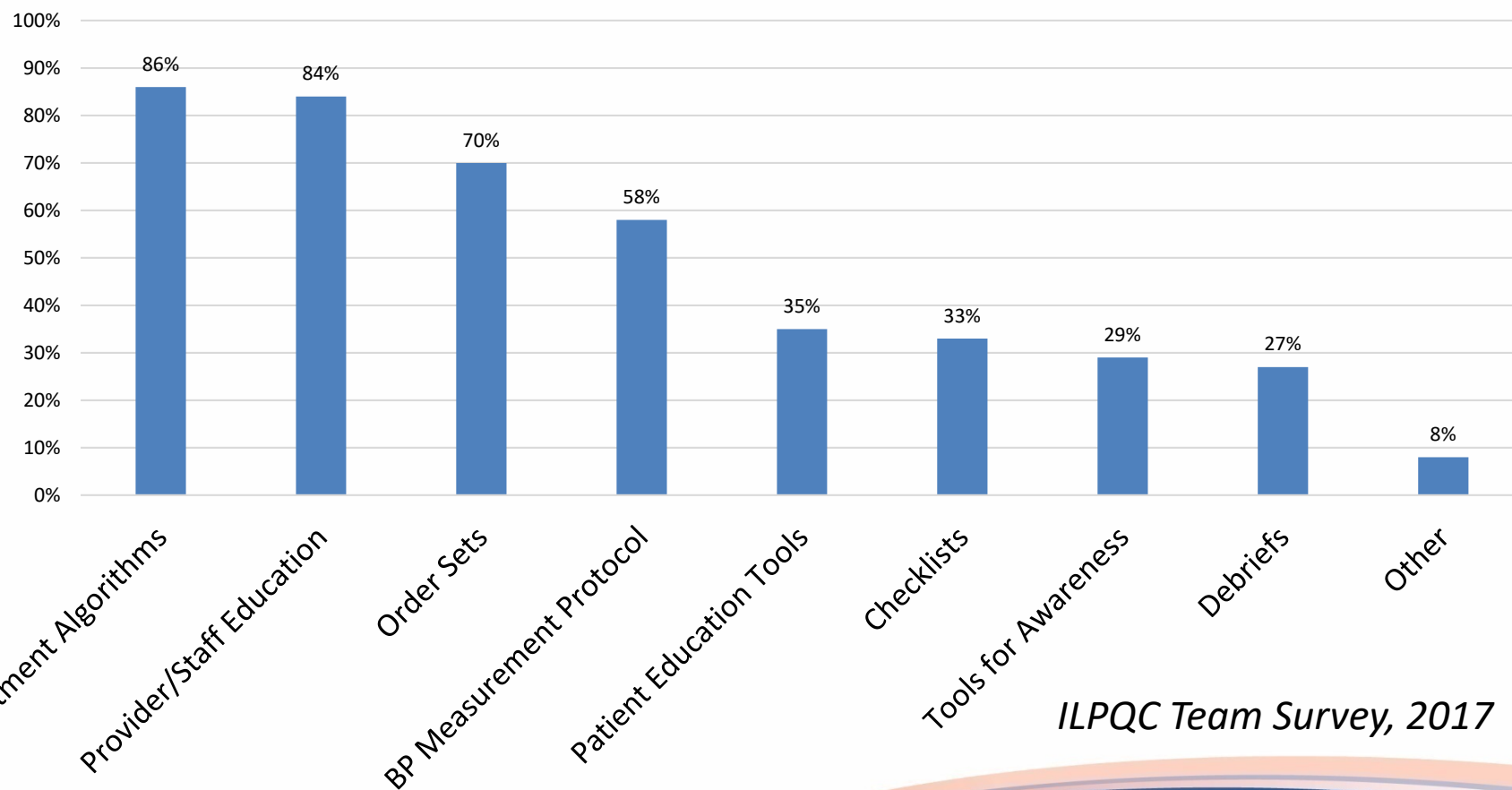
Additional QI Training Requested

- Teamwork for Quality Improvement/TeamSTEPPS
- IHA's Model for Improvement

ILPQC Team Survey, 2017

Reducing Time To Treatment

Elements of Maternal Hypertensive Bundle Most Effective in Reducing Time to Treatment



ILPQC Team Survey, 2017

Achieving Initiative Goals with Team Recognition



ILPQC Quality Improvement Recognition Awards

GOLD

- ✓ Structure Measures
- +
- ✓ All 4 Process Measure goals met

SILVER

- ✓ Structure Measures
- +
- ✓ 3 of the 4 Process Measure goals met

BRONZE

- ✓ Structure Measures
- +
- ✓ 2 of the 4 Process Measure goals met



Award Criteria for IL Maternal Hypertension Hospital Teams:

Structure Measures:

- ❧ Severe Maternal HTN Policies in place in all units (Implementation Checklist question 1 A-C)
 - ❧ Standard protocols for early warning signs, updated diagnostic criteria, monitoring and treatment of severe preeclampsia/eclampsia on L&D, Antepartum/Postpartum, Triage
- ❧ Provider & Nursing education: ≥80% of providers and nurses educated (AIM Quarterly Measures questions 2 A,B and 3 A,B)

Process Measures:

- ❧ Time to treatment ≤60 minutes: ≥80% of cases
- ❧ Debrief: ≥30% of cases
- ❧ Discharge education: ≥70% of cases
- ❧ Follow-up appointments scheduled within 10 days of discharge: ≥70% of cases

Hypertension Sustainability



Compliance Monitoring in ILPQC Data System



- ☐ Time to treatment severe HTN < 60 minutes
- ☐ Magnesium provided
- ☐ Early follow up for BP check within 7-10 days
- ☐ Patient discharge education

“The Last Person You’d Expect to Die in Childbirth”

Propublica/NPR May 12 2017

<https://www.propublica.org/article/die-in-childbirth-maternal-death-rate-health-care-system>

Quality Matters: every patient, every provider, every nurse, every unit every time.



Lauren Bloomstein: 33 year old healthy NICU nurse, wife, mom, severe HTN in labor, preeclampsia not diagnosed, severe HTN not treated, stroked and support withdrawn 20 hours after delivery.

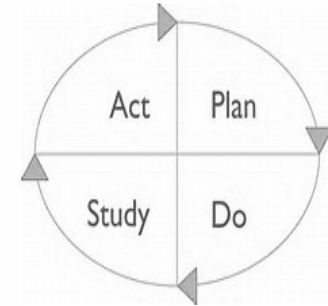
Our Goals for 2019



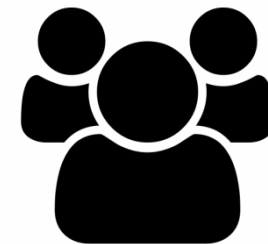
Ensure MNO & IPLARC initiative success for every hospital



Support strong hospital QI teams and expand QI capacity



Expand Immediate postpartum LARC for all IL hospitals



Support QI sustainability and compliance monitoring

Expand and engage stakeholders, patient/families, hospital teams for ongoing collaboration

Conclusion



- ILPQC is a collaborative of hospital teams working together to improve care and outcomes for IL moms and babies
- The collaborative is the teams of providers / nurses/patients and stakeholders who drive the initiatives with input from all
- ILPQC provides opportunities for collaborative learning, rapid response data and QI support
- Teams provide the magic of collaboration, belief in the importance of data, commitment to evidence based practice and the drive to do better together

Questions?

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Additional Slides



**ILPQC Mothers and Newborns
affected by Opioids (MNO)-**

OB Initiative

Jan 2018 – Dec 2019

MNO-OB TOOLKIT

WEB VERSION AVAILABLE

WWW.ILPQC.ORG

OB Toolkit Sections

- Introduction
- Initiative Resources
- Mothers and Newborns Affected by Opioids Slide Set
- National Guidance: ACOG Committee Opinions

Screening & Linkage to Care

- Screening and assessment of pregnant women with OUD
- Screening, Brief Intervention, Referral to Treatment (SBIRT)
- Improve Linkage to Addiction Care

Optimizing Clinical Care for Pregnant/Postpartum Women with OUD

- Example Protocols/Best Practice Recommendations/Checklists for Prenatal-Intrapartum-Postpartum Care of Women with OUD
- Counseling & Prescribing Naloxone/Narcan
- Additional Resources to Optimize Care of Women with OUD
- Education Materials for Pregnant Women with OUD

OB Toolkit Sections (cont.)

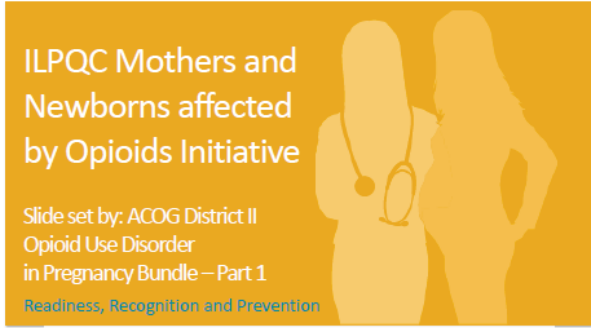


Prevention of OUD

- Patient and Provider Education for OUD Prevention
 - Patient education for all pregnant women
 - Provider/nursing/staff education on OUD
- Clinical guidelines/strategies to reduce opioid over prescribing postpartum
- Overview of new Illinois state law on ILPMP lookup

ILPQC MNO Slide Set

- ILPQC Mothers and Newborns affected by Opioids Initiative Slides set from ACOG District II*
- Tool to increase cumulative proportion of providers, nurses, and staff educated on OUD care protocols



ILPQC Mothers and Newborns affected by Opioids Initiative

Slide set by: ACOG District II
Opioid Use Disorder
in Pregnancy Bundle – Part 1
Readiness, Recognition and Prevention

April 2018

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- This education is not exclusive to maternal opioid use disorder (OUD). The management approaches outlined within may also be effective in helping women with other substance use disorders.
- Each clinical setting must take into account the resources available within its own institution and community. Practices and institutions are strongly encouraged to review their existing policies and procedures for OUD in pregnancy management and modify them if necessary to maximize safe patient care.

<https://www.acog.org/About-ACOG/Districts/District-II/Opoid-Use-Disorder-in-Pregnancy>

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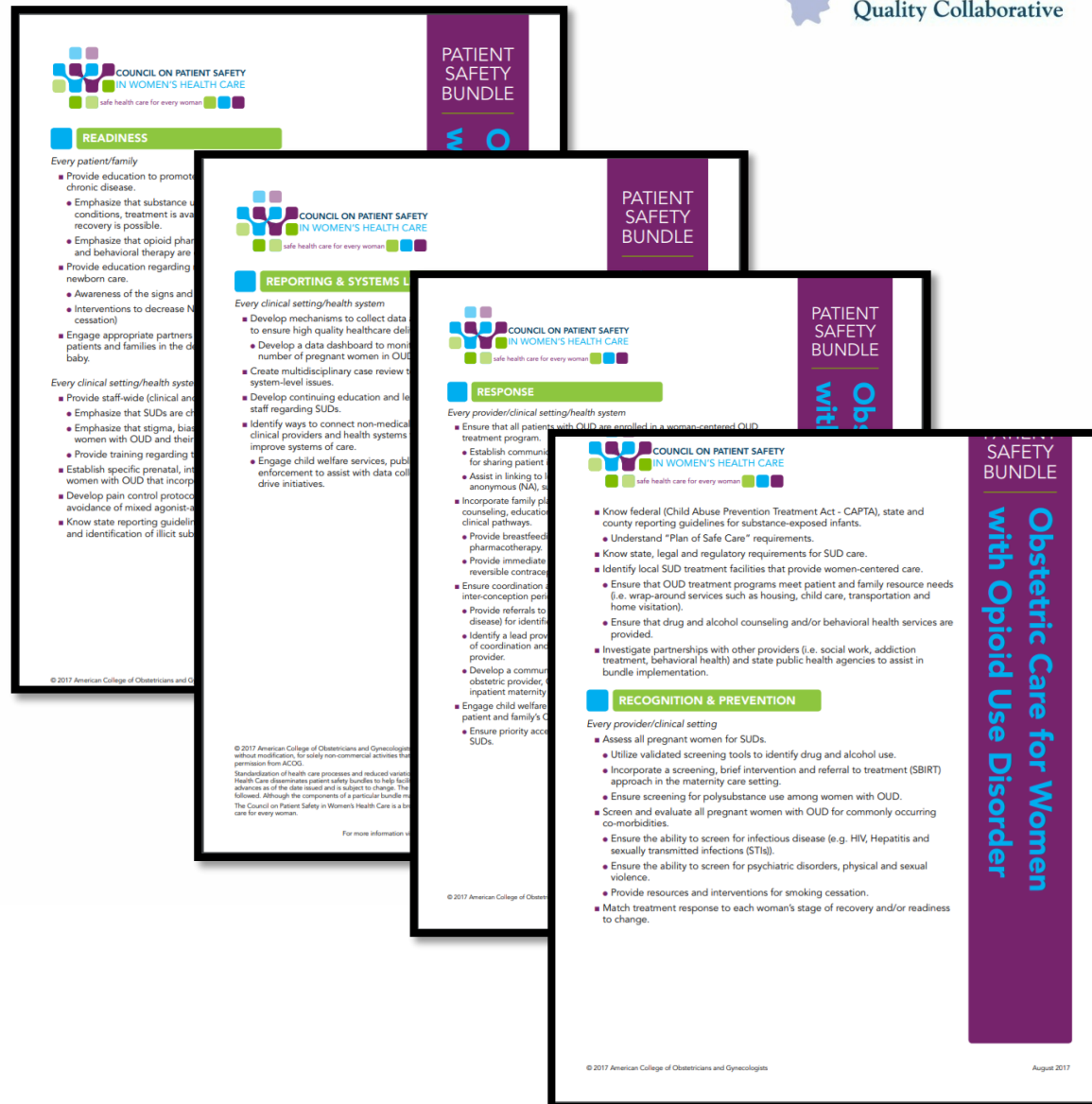
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National Guidance: AIM Bundle

- Obstetric Care for Women with Opioid Use Disorder Bundle and Resources Listing*




ACOG Committee Opinion

- ACOG Committee Opinion #711: Opioid Use and Opioid Use Disorder in Pregnancy*



The American College of
Obstetricians and Gynecologists
WOMEN'S HEALTH CARE PHYSICIANS



ASAM American Society of
Addiction Medicine

ACOG COMMITTEE OPINION

Number 711 • August 2017 (Replaces Committee Opinion Number 524, May 2012)

Committee on Obstetric Practice
American Society of Addiction Medicine

The Society of Maternal-Fetal Medicine endorses this document. This Committee Opinion was developed by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists' Committee on Obstetric Practice in collaboration with committee members Maria A. Mascola, MD, MPH; Ann E. Borders, MD, MSc, MPH; and the American Society of Addiction Medicine member Mishka Terplan, MD, MPH.

Opioid Use and Opioid Use Disorder in Pregnancy

ABSTRACT: Opioid use in pregnancy has escalated dramatically in recent years, paralleling the epidemic observed in the general population. To combat the opioid epidemic, all health care providers need to take an active role. Pregnancy provides an important opportunity to identify and treat women with substance use disorders. Substance use disorders affect women across all racial and ethnic groups and all socioeconomic groups, and affect women in rural, urban, and suburban populations. Therefore, it is essential that screening be universal. Screening for substance use should be a part of comprehensive obstetric care and should be done at the first prenatal visit in partnership with the pregnant woman. Patients who use opioids during pregnancy represent a diverse group, and it is important to recognize and differentiate between opioid use in the context of medical care, opioid misuse, and untreated opioid use disorder. Multidisciplinary long-term follow-up should include medical, developmental, and social support. Infants born to women who used opioids during pregnancy should be monitored for neonatal abstinence syndrome by a pediatric care provider. Early universal screening, brief intervention (such as engaging a patient in a short conversation, providing feedback and advice), and referral for treatment of pregnant women with opioid use and opioid use disorder improve maternal and infant outcomes. In general, a coordinated multidisciplinary approach without criminal sanctions has the best chance of helping infants and families.

Recommendations and Conclusions

The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG) makes the following recommendations and conclusions:

- Early universal screening, brief intervention (such as engaging the patient in a short conversation, providing feedback and advice), and referral for treatment of pregnant women with opioid use and opioid use disorder improve maternal and infant outcomes.
- Screening for substance use should be part of comprehensive obstetric care and should be done at the first prenatal visit in partnership with the pregnant woman. Screening based only on factors, such as poor adherence to prenatal care or prior adverse pregnancy outcome, can lead to missed cases, and may add to stereotyping and stigma. Therefore, it is essential that screening be universal.
- Routine screening should rely on validated screening tools, such as questionnaires, including 4Ps, NIDA Quick Screen, and CRAFFT (for women 26 years or younger).
- For chronic pain, practice goals include strategies to avoid or minimize the use of opioids for pain management, highlighting alternative pain therapies such as nonpharmacologic (eg, exercise, physical therapy, behavioral approaches), and nonopioid pharmacologic treatments.

Example Screening Tools

- NIDA Quick Screen
- 5 P's Screening Tool & Follow-Up Questions*
- Institute for Health and Recovery Integrated Screening Tool*

The NIDA Quick Screen | National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) <https://www.drugabuse.gov/publications/resource-guide-screening-for-drug-use-in-general-medical-settings>

NIH National Institute on Drug Abuse
Advancing Addiction Science

Home » Publications » Resource Guide: Screening for Drug Use in General Medical Settings » The NIDA Quick Screen

Resource Guide: Screening for Drug Use in General Medical Settings

The NIDA Quick Screen

Step 1: ASK about *past year* drug use

The NIDA Quick Screen and NIDA-modified ASSIST are appropriate for patients age 18 and older. You may deliver it as an interview and record patient responses, or read the questions and have the patient fill out responses on a written questionnaire. It is recommended that the clinician administering the screening review the sample script to introduce the screening process and offers helpful language for introducing what can be a sensitive topic for patients.

Introduce yourself and establish rapport.

Before you begin the interview, please read the _____

High Risk
Score ≥ 27

- ✓ Provide feedback on the screening results
- ✓ **Advise, Assess, and Assist**
- ✓ Arrange referral
- ✓ Offer continuing support

Moderate Risk
Score 4–26

- ✓ Provide feedback
- ✓ **Advise, Assess, and Assist**
- ✓ Consider referral based on clinical judgment
- ✓ Offer continuing support

Lower Risk

- ✓ Provide feedback
- ✓ Reinforce abstinence

The 5Ps Prenatal Substance Abuse Screen For Alcohol and Drugs

The 5Ps is an effective tool of engagement for use with pregnant women who may use alcohol or drugs. This screening tool poses questions related to substance use by women's *parents, peers, partner*, during her *pregnancy* and in her *past*. These are non-confrontational questions that elicit genuine responses which can be useful in evaluating the need for a more complete assessment and possible treatment for substance abuse.

- Advise the client responses are confidential.
- A single "YES" to any of these questions indicates further assessment is needed.

1. Did any of your *Parents* have problems with alcohol or drug use?
___ No ___ Yes
2. Do any of your friends (*Peers*) have problems with alcohol or drug use?
___ No ___ Yes
3. Does your *Partner* have a problem with alcohol or drug use?
___ No ___ Yes
4. Before you were pregnant did you have problems with alcohol or drug use? (*Past*)
___ No ___ Yes
5. In the past month, did you drink beer, wine or liquor, or use other drugs? (*Pregnancy*)
___ No ___ Yes

Staff Signature: _____ Date: _____

Interpreter Used: ☐ No ☐ Yes Interpreter Name: _____

Institute for Health and Recovery Integrated Screening Tool

Women's health can be affected by emotional problems, alcohol, tobacco, other drug use, and domestic violence. Women's health is also affected when those same problems are present in people close to us. By "alcohol," we mean beer, wine, wine coolers, or liquor.

Screening Question	YES	NO
Parents Did any of your parents have a problem with alcohol or other drug use?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Peers Do any of your friends have a problem with alcohol or other drug use?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Partner Does your partner have a problem with alcohol or other drug use?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Violence Are you feeling at all unsafe in any way in your relationship with your current partner?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Emotional Health Over the last few weeks, has worry, anxiety, depression, or sadness made it difficult for you to do your work, get along with people, or take care of things at home?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Past In the past, have you had difficulties in your life due to alcohol or other drugs, including prescription medications?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Present In the past month, have you drunk any alcohol or used other drugs? 1. How many days per month do you drink? ____ 2. How many drinks on any given day? ____ 3. How often did you have 4 or more drinks per day in the last month?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Smoking Have you smoked any cigarettes in the past three months?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Review Risk Review Domestic Violence Resources Review Substance Use Consider Mental Health Evaluation

Advise for Brief Intervention

Did you State your medical concern?	Y	N	NA
Did you Advise to abstain or reduce use?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you Check patient's reaction?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Did you Refer for further assessment?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

At Risk Drinking	
Non-Pregnant	Pregnant/ Planning Pregnancy
>7 drinks / week	Any Use is Risky Drinking
>3 drinks / day	

SBIRT

- Helping Women Get Treatment: Screening and diagnosis of OUD Overview*
- Screening for Substance Use using SBIRT Framework*
- Example process flow map for SBIRT at Initial OB Visit*
- Example protocol for Women who Endorse or Screen Positive for OUD
- Example Algorithm/Process Flow



Mapping Local Resources

- ILPQC Mapping Tool to map local resources*
- IDPH Opioid Use Treatment Resources for Pregnant Women with Medicaid in Illinois

ILPQC Mapping Tool
Local Opioid Use Disorder Treatment Resource Document

This worksheet can be used to organize key contacts and treatment resources closest to your practice.

Hotlines

- Illinois Opioid Assistance and Recovery Hotline (OARS): 1-833-2FINDHELP (234-6343)
- Illinois Women's Health Hotline: 1-888-522-1282
- SAMHSA Treatment Hotline: 1-800-662-HELP (4357)

Methadone Maintenance Provider

Program Name:

Contact Information:

Helpful Tips for Successful Referral:

Buprenorphine Provider

Program Name:

Contact Information:

Helpful Tips for Successful Referral:

Behavioral Health Provider- Outpatient

Program Name:

Contact Information:

Helpful Tips for Successful Referral:

Behavioral Health Provider- Intensive Outpatient Treatment/Partial Hospitalization

Program Name:

Contact Information:


Helpful Tips for Successful Referral:


Peer Recovery Support/Addiction Support Programs

Program Name:


Contact Information:

Helpful Tips for Successful Referral:

 **adapted from tool developed by Northern New England Perinatal Quality Improvement Network**


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ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
Opioid Use Treatment Resources for
Pregnant Women with Medicaid in
Illinois
Last Reviewed: 5/1/18

** To make additions/subtractions to this manual please contact
the IDPH Women's Health Line at 1-888-522-1282**

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Prenatal-Intrapartum- Postpartum Care

- Example Best Practice Recommendations for Prenatal/Intrapartum/Postpartum Care Complicated by Substance Use Disorders*
- Example Checklist for Providers for Prenatal/Intrapartum/Postpartum Care for Pregnant women with substance use disorders*
- Example Checklist to optimize prenatal care for women with OUD, Chart template



Counseling & Prescribing Naloxone/Narcan

- AMA Opioid Task Force Prescribing Naloxone One-Pager*
- Naloxone Rescue Kit Consultation Checklist*
- Narcan Nasal Spray- Quick Start Guide

**NARCAN®**
(naloxone HCl)
NASAL SPRAY

QUICK START GUIDE
Opioid Overdose Response Instructions


Use NARCAN® (naloxone hydrochloride) Nasal Spray for known or suspected opioid overdose in adults and children.
Important: For use in the nose only.
Do not remove or test the NARCAN Nasal Spray until ready to use.

1 Identify Opioid Overdose and Check for Response

Ask person if he or she is okay and shout name.
Shake shoulders and firmly rub the middle of their chest.
Check for signs of an opioid overdose:

- Will not wake up or respond to your voice or touch
- Breathing is very slow, irregular, or has stopped
- Center part of their eye is very small, sometimes called "pinpoint pupils"

Lay the person on their back to receive a dose of NARCAN Nasal Spray.



2 Give NARCAN Nasal Spray


REMOVE NARCAN Nasal Spray from the box.
Peel back the tab with the circle to open the NARCAN Nasal Spray.

HOLD the NARCAN Nasal Spray with your thumb on the bottom of the plunger and your first and middle fingers on either side of the nozzle.

Gently insert the tip of the nozzle into either nostril.

- Tilt the person's head back and provide support under the neck with your hand. Gently insert the tip of the nozzle into one nostril, until your fingers on either side of the nozzle are against the bottom of the person's nose.

Press the plunger firmly to give the dose of NARCAN Nasal Spray.
• Remove the NARCAN Nasal Spray from the nostril after giving the dose.



3 Call for emergency medical help, Evaluate, and Support


Get emergency medical help right away.


Move the person on their side (recovery position) after giving NARCAN Nasal Spray.

Watch the person closely.

If the person does not respond by waking up, to voice or touch, or breathing normally another dose may be given. NARCAN Nasal Spray may be dosed every 2 to 3 minutes, if available.

Repeat Step 2 using a new NARCAN Nasal Spray to give another dose in the other nostril. If additional NARCAN Nasal Sprays are available, repeat step 2 every 2 to 3 minutes until the person responds or emergency medical help is received.





For more information about NARCAN Nasal Spray go to www.narcannasalspray.com, or call 1-844-4NARCAN (1-844-412-7226). You are encouraged to report negative side effects of prescription drugs to the FDA. Visit www.fda.gov/medwatch, or call 1-800-FDA-1088.

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Other Resources to Optimize Care for Women with OUD

- Breastfeeding Guidelines for Women with a Substance Use Disorder*

Breastfeeding Guidelines for Women with a Substance Use Disorder

- Medical Contraindications to Breastfeeding:
 - Maternal HIV infection
 - Maternal HTLV infection
 - Infant Galactosemia
 - Mom taking certain medications where risk of morbidity outweighs benefits of breastmilk feeding (i.e., cancer chemotherapy, radioactive isotopes, antimetabolites, antiretroviral medications)
 - Maternal Substance Use with Significant Risk to Infant in Breastfeeding and:
 - Mother expresses an intent to continue substance use, AND/OR
 - Mother refuses substance use treatment

General Guidelines for Infant Feeding

- Recommend, encourage, and support breastfeeding if no Medical Contraindications to Breastfeeding exist. Provide information regarding benefits of breast/breastmilk-feeding if mother indicates preference for formula feeding.
- Encourage mothers to spend time in skin-to-skin contact to facilitate bonding, maternal-infant physiologic transitions, and infant feeding.
- Provide education, assessment, and support based upon mother's preference for infant nutrition after discussion of breastfeeding benefits.
 - Advise mothers to
 - i. Skin-to-skin
 - ii. When hungry
 - Ensure effective, frequent feeding
 - Provide lactation consultation
 - Ensure infant is demonstrating adequate feeding
 - Infants 35 weeks and older
 - Infants show signs of feeding
 - After this time
 - Preterm
 - Preterm
 - Full term
 - If weight gain is not adequate
 - Reassess infant
 - Optimize feeding
 - When adding formula
 - Consider
 - Assess
 - Only



Education Materials for Pregnant Women with OUD

- Pregnancy and MAT one-pager
- Are you in treatment or recovery
- NAS What you need to know one-pager
- NAS Booklet

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Prescription Pain Medicine, Opioids, and Pregnancy: What All Pregnant Women Need to Know

What are opioids?

Opioids are a class of drugs that includes prescription pain relievers such as oxycodone and hydrocodone, the illegal drug heroin, and dangerous synthetic opioids such as fentanyl, carfentanil, and other analogues. Opioids work in the brain to reduce pain and can also produce feelings of relaxation and euphoria.

Prescribed opioids include:

- Buprenorphine (Belbuca, Buprenex, Butrans)
- Codeine
- Fentanyl (Actiq, Duragesic, Sublimaze)
- Hydrocodone (Lorcet, Lortab, Norco, Vicodin)
- Hydromorphone (Dalauid, Exalgo)
- Meperidine (Demerol)
- Methadone (Dolophine, Methadose)
- Morphine (Astramorph, Avinza, Duramorph, Roxanol)
- Oxycodone (OxyContin, Percodan, Percocet)
- Oxymorphone (Opana)
- Tramadol (ConZip, Ryzolt, Ultram)

Your doctor may prescribe an opioid for you if you've had surgery, dental work, an injury, or after you deliver your baby. Prescription opioids are important pain medications that can provide relief for acute or chronic pain. Unfortunately, they can also be prescribed inappropriately and misused. Misuse or chronic use of prescription opioids increases the risk of developing opioid use disorder (OUD) and may lead to overdose. If you take opioids during pregnancy they can also cause serious problems for your baby.

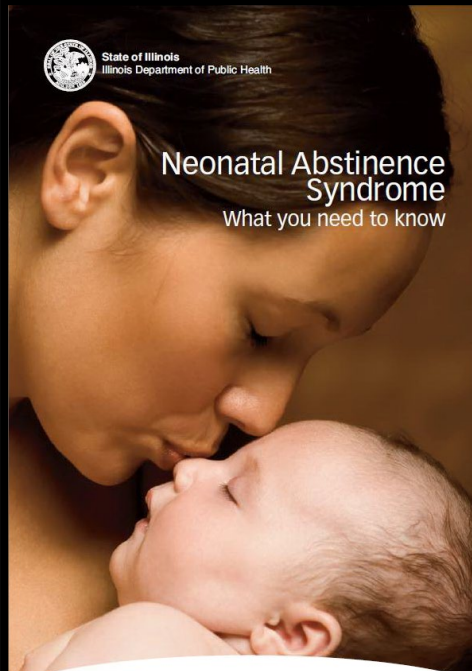
What is opioid use disorder?

Opioid can be dangerous and addictive. Symptoms of opioid use disorder include developing a need for higher doses in order to feel the same effect; using more than the amount of the drug that is prescribed; taking non-prescribed opioids such as heroin; having work, school, or family problems caused by your opioid use; feeling a strong urge or desire ("craving") to use the drug; and experiencing painful withdrawal symptoms if you abruptly stop taking opioids. Taking higher doses of opioids or using opioids for extended periods of time increases the risk of developing OUD.



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Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome What you need to know




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Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS): What You Need to Know



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You are the treatment!**

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Patient and Provider Education for OUD Prevention

- Pain Medication, Opioids and Pregnancy ILPQC Handout*
- Pause Before You Prescribe- ILPQC Handout*

II PAUSE BEFORE YOU PRESCRIBE

Prescription drug dependency is harming mothers and their infants at alarming rates. You can be part of the solution.

Retail pharmacy prescriptions for opioids, such as the pain medicines hydrocodone and oxycodone, have more than doubled since 1998, with nearly a quarter of a billion prescriptions written in 2012.¹ Nationally, the number of pregnant women using opioids has increased nearly fivefold from 2000 to 2009,² while the rate of NAS has increased nearly fourfold from 2000 to 2012.³

Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS), also known as neonatal withdrawal, is a set of distressing physical symptoms in infants born to mothers who took opioids or other drugs during pregnancy.

The symptoms for NAS can range from mild to severe and may include:


- Feeding difficulties
- Tremors and irritability
- Vomiting and diarrhea
- Low birth weight
- Breathing problems
- Excessive crying

"Five years ago, I rarely saw babies with neonatal withdrawal. Now, I treat a baby with NAS on a near daily basis. By partnering with women of reproductive age to carefully manage pain, physicians can be part of the solution."

— JUSTIN JOSEPHSEN, MD
ILPQC NEONATAL CLINICAL LEAD

"One of the most heartbreaking periods of my life was the six weeks when my daughter was in the neonatal intensive care unit—and realizing that my using was what put her there. Doctors should talk to women about risks of pain meds so that they can avoid this kind of heartbreak."


— TRACY



A Public Health Epidemic

- Every 25 minutes, an infant is born with NAS in the United States.⁴
- In Illinois, infants with NAS stay 11 days longer and have total charges for hospital care nearly \$18 million higher than infants born without NAS.⁵
- There was a 116% increase in maternal opioid use and a 53% increase in the NAS rate in Illinois between 2011 and 2015/2016.

Maternal Antenatal Opioid Use Rate per 1,000 Deliveries (■) and Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Rate per 1,000 births (■), Illinois 2011–2016

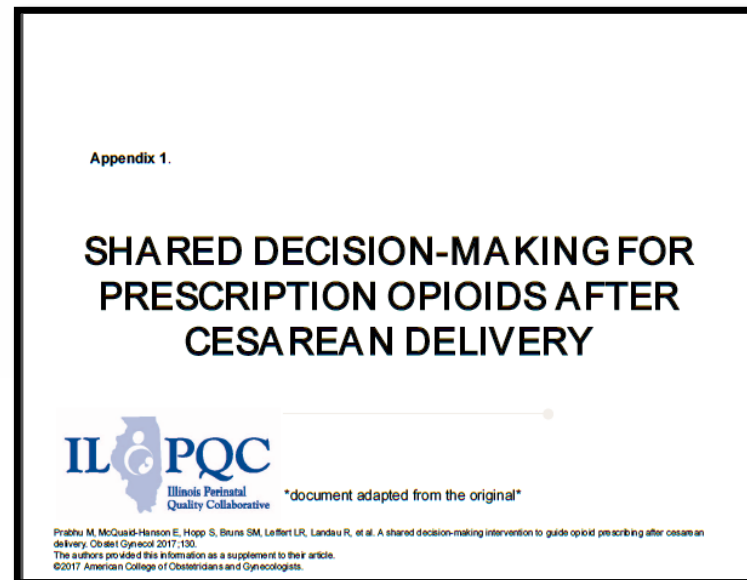
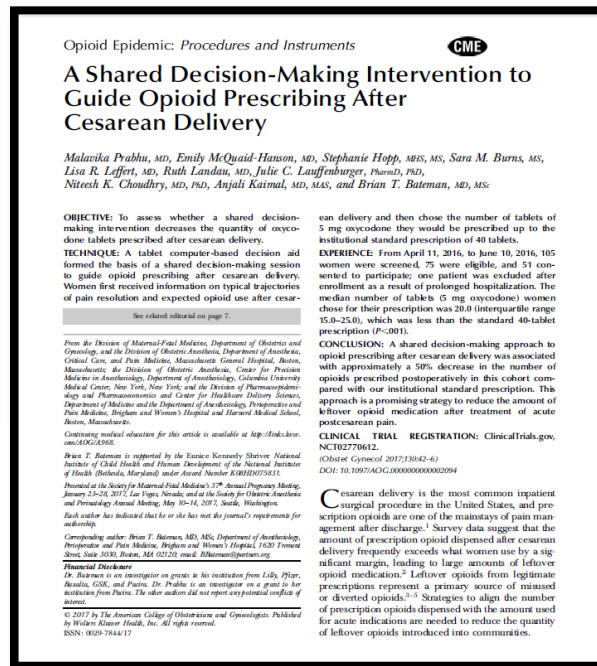


Year	MAOU Rate per 1,000 Deliveries	NAS Rate per 1,000 Births
2011	1.5	1.0
2012	1.8	1.2
2013	2.0	1.5
2014	2.2	1.8
2015	2.4	2.0
2016	2.5	2.0

Source: Illinois Department of Public Health.
Note: 2016 data not available for maternal antenatal opiate use.

Reduce Opioid Over Prescribing Postpartum

- A Shared Decision-Making Intervention to Guide Opioid Prescribing After Cesarean Delivery –article and PowerPoint tool*
- Example Enhanced Recovery after Surgery (ERAS) Pathway for Cesarean*



Offer Responsive QI Services to Hospital Teams 2018



- HTN – *112 teams*
 - 4 sustainability webinars
 - 1 QI topic call on sustainability plans
- IPLARC – *17 wave 1 teams*
 - 8 webinars
 - 3 QI topic calls
 - 2 state wide IPLARC provider trainings (Springfield, Chicago)
- MNO – *100 OB teams, 88 Neo teams*
 - OB: 11 webinars, 2 QI topic calls (+3 scheduled)
 - Neo: 8 webinars, 2 QI topic calls
 - 3 Buprenorphine provider trainings (Springfield, Champagne, Chicago) with 70 OB providers trained
- OB Advisory Workgroup – 10 webinars
- Neo Advisory Workgroup – 8 webinars

Effective Steps to Implement Education Program

ILPQC Team Survey, 2017



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Effective Steps to Implement Standard Protocols



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New Order Project Treatment Board HTN OB Providers Policy
Medical Algorithms Order Sets Available Education
Instructions Staff EPIC Protocols Posters Meetings Room
Department

We reiterate what the goal is at physician OB department meetings and work closely with OB chair to promote an overall culture of safety where the chain of command is used and event reporting is done to determine trends.

We have updated policies and created a protocol for management of severe HTN that is posted in all rooms with other visual aides.

We use common order set for all units. ED knows that they have the full support of the OB unit and can call at anytime for us to facilitate the treatment of possible patient

Barriers to Implementing Standard Protocols

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Needed Documentation HTN Low Education Blood Pressure Staff
Treat Order Sets Protocol Provider Resistance
Physician ICU Patients Slow Getting Turnover Medication

We had a delay in making order sets available because we needed various committee approvals and the IT build.

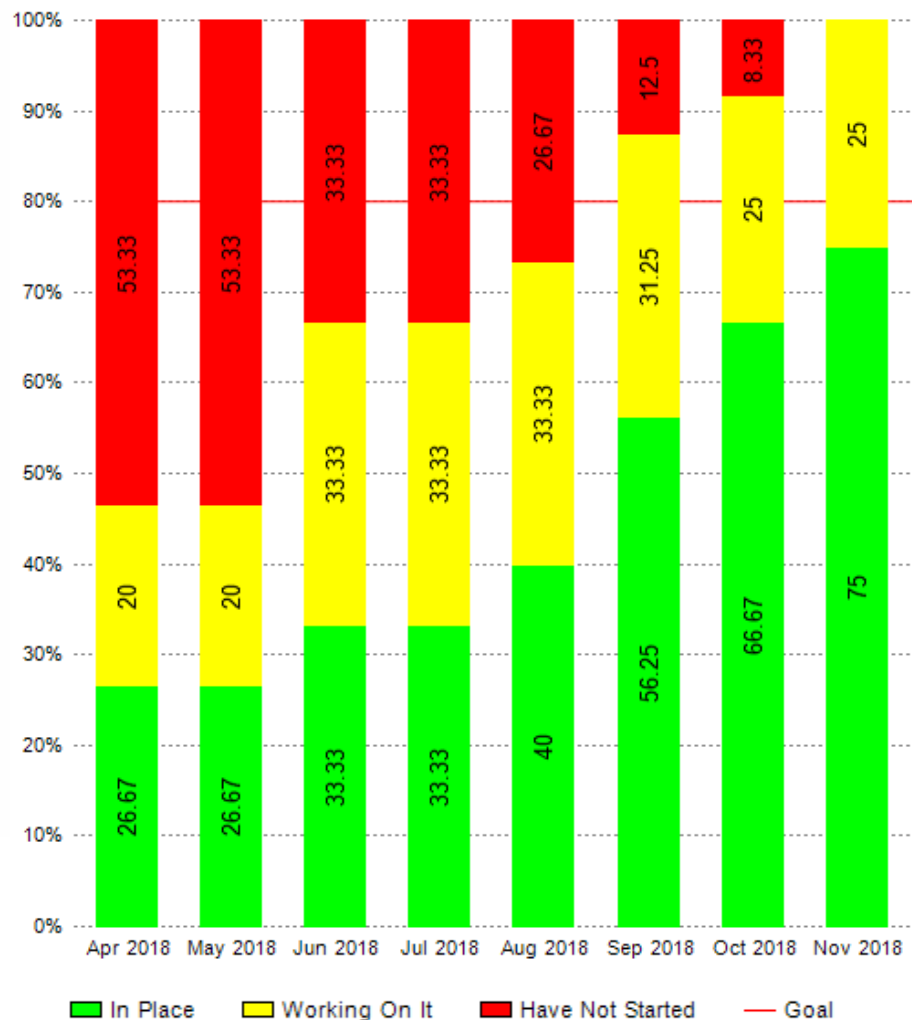
It's hard to develop mechanisms to trigger the memory of providers and staff for a condition they are rarely exposed to in practice.

We have lack of support/buy in from private physicians. Resistance from some who do not want to follow protocol-want to do things their own way

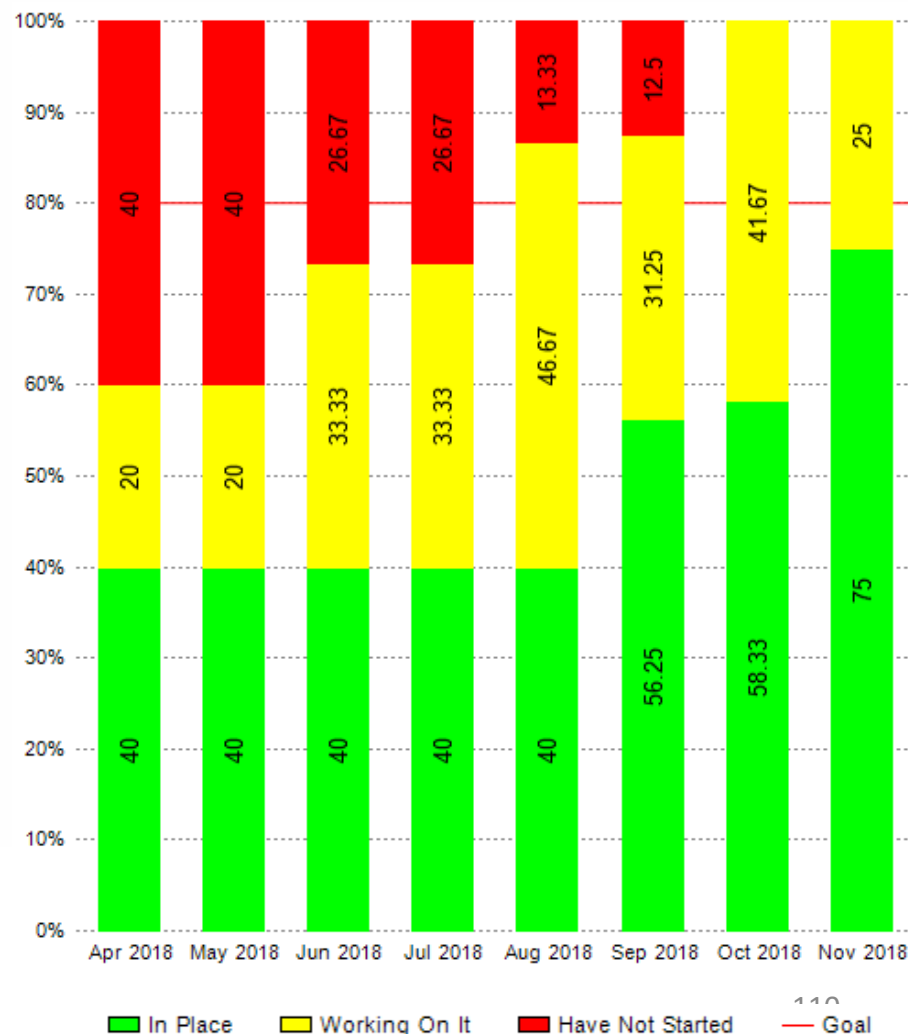
We experience high turnover in the ED and face resistance to treat BPs in the ED.

IPLARC on Formulary

Percent of Hospitals with Inpatient
IUDs Available on Hospital Formulary



Percent of Hospitals with Inpatient
Implants Available on Hospital Formulary



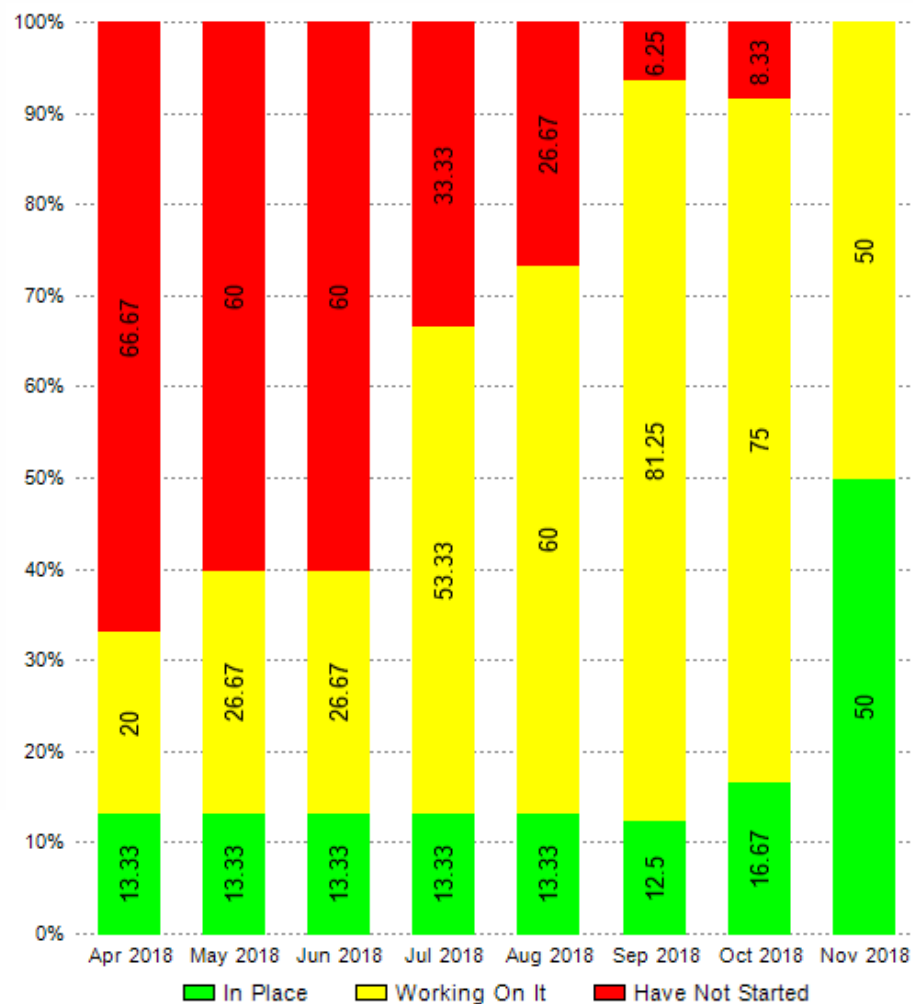
IPLARC on L&D/ Postpartum

Percent of Hospitals with LARC Devices on L&D or Postpartum Unit

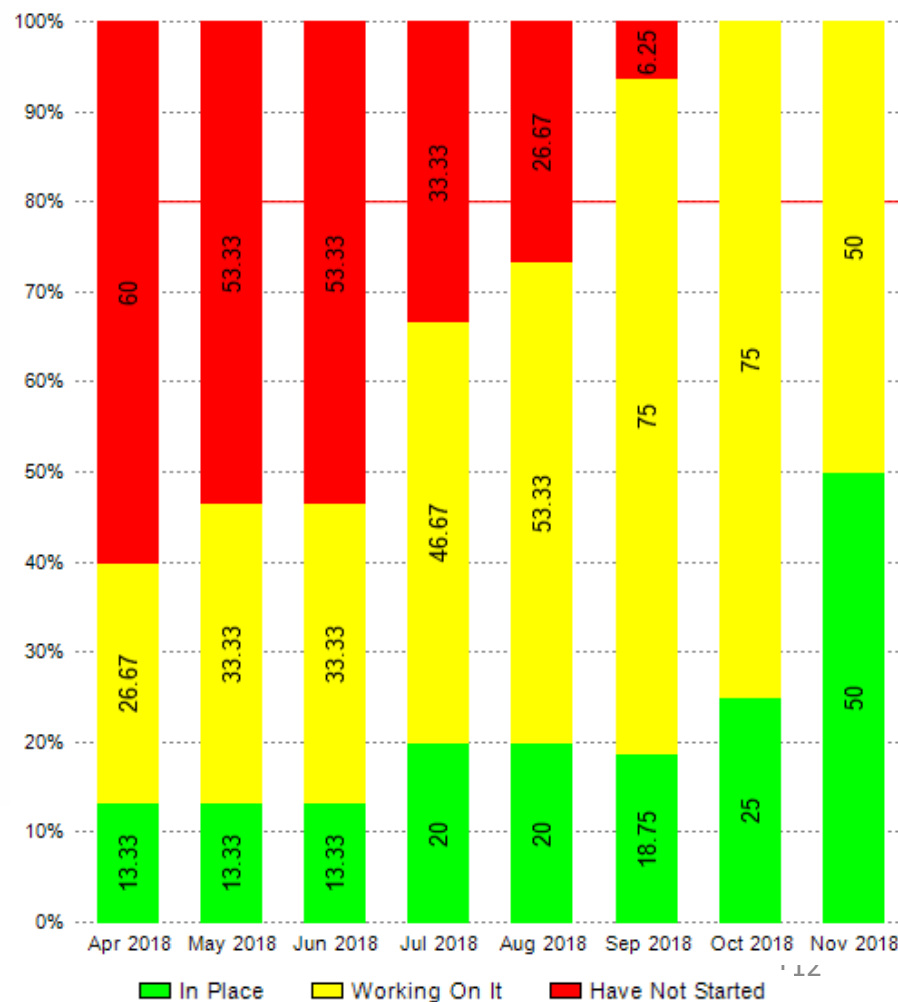


IPLARC Protocols in Place

Percent of Hospitals with Immediate
Postpartum Protocols in Place and Process
Flows in Place for IUDs

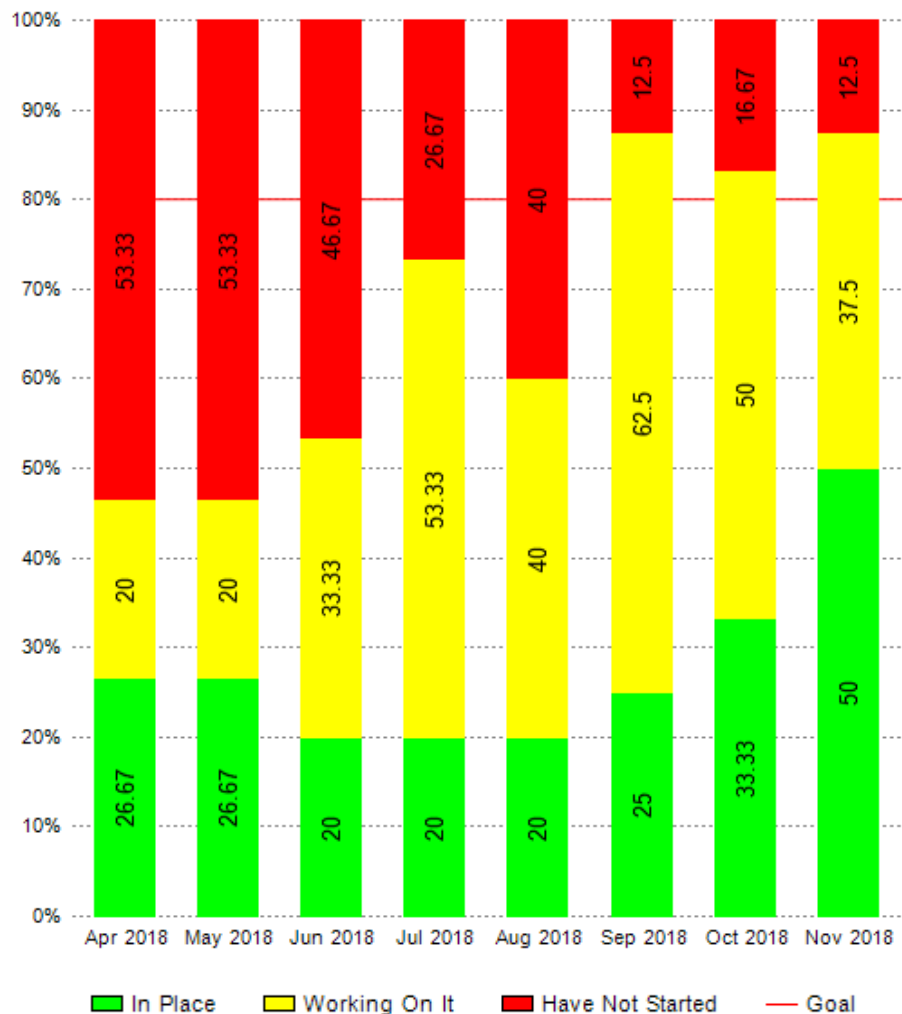


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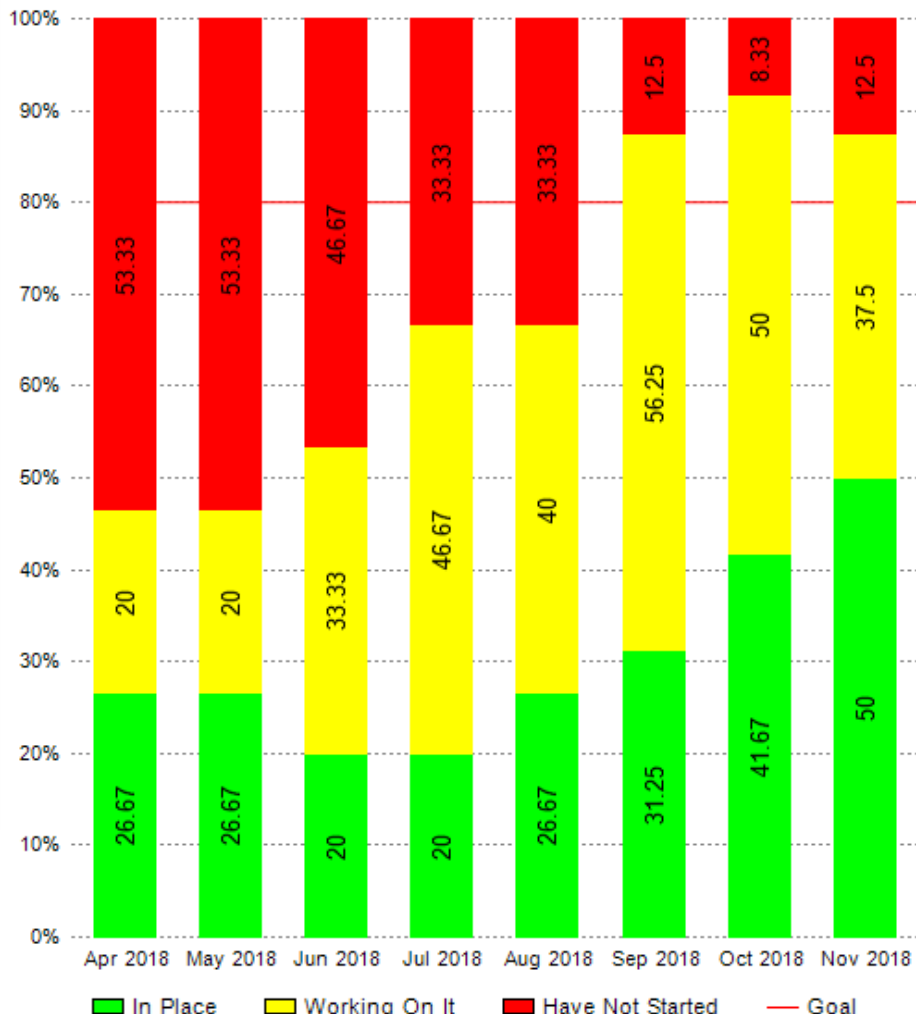


IPLARC Billing Codes

Percent of Hospitals with Billing Codes
Implemented for IUDs

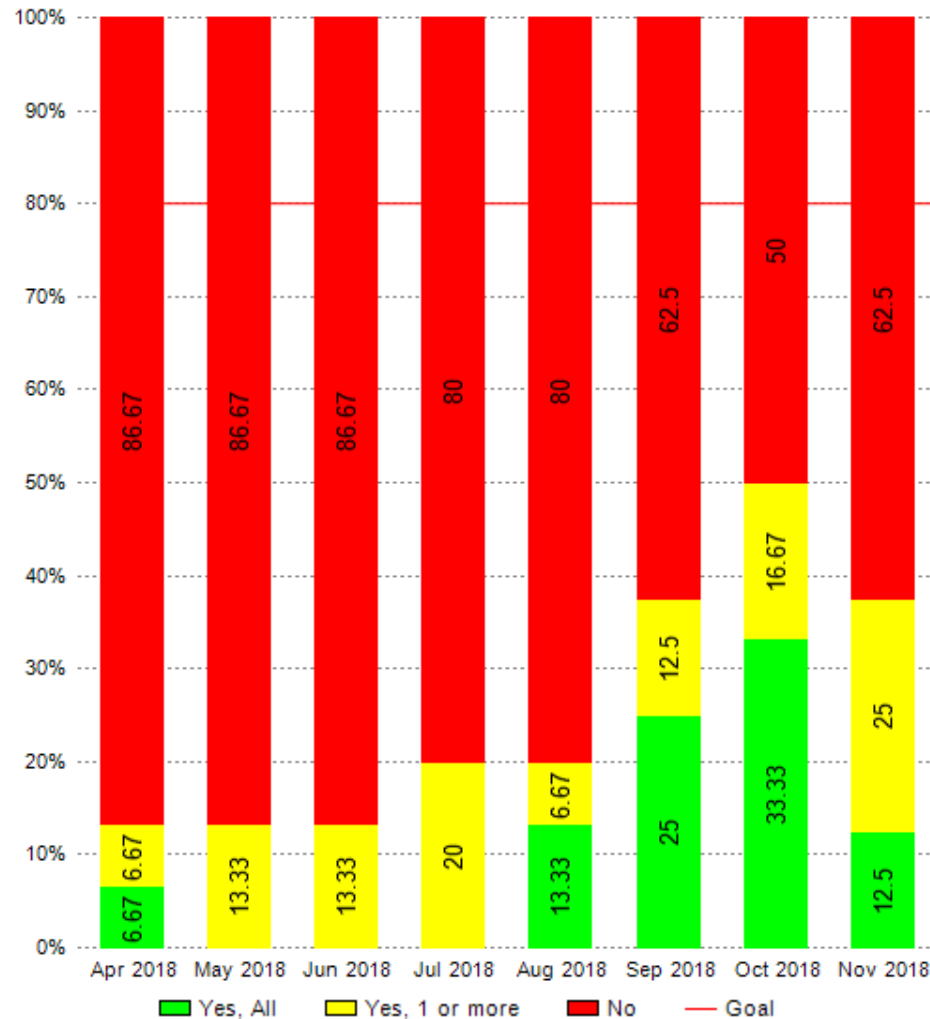


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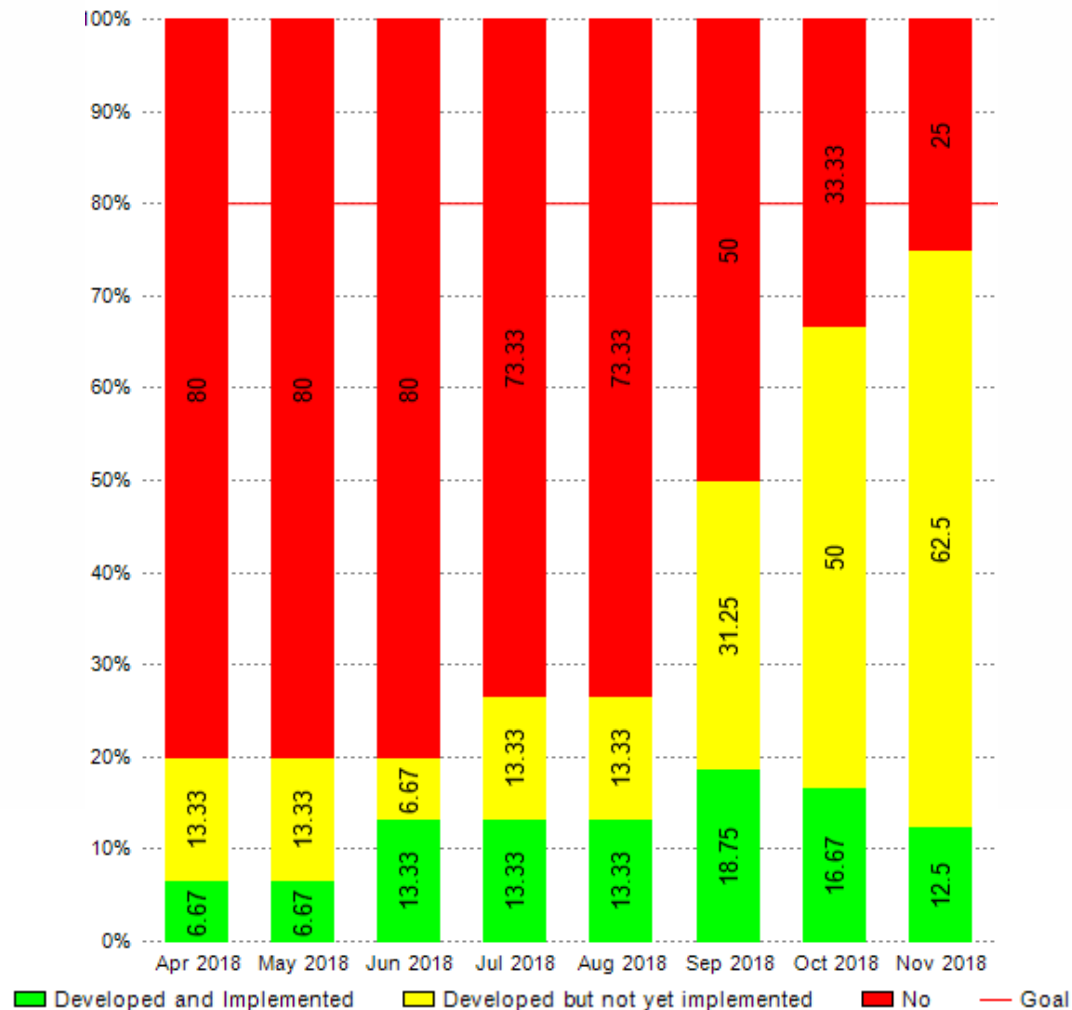
IPLARC Standardized Patient Education at Prenatal Sites

Percent of Hospitals that have Provided Standardized Education Materials and Counseling Protocols to Affiliated Prenatal Care Sites



IPLARC Inpatient Patient Education & Counseling Protocols

Percent of Hospitals with Standardized Education Materials and Counseling Protocols during Delivery Admission



IT/EMR Revisions In Place

Percent of Hospitals with IT/EMR Revisions for Tracking and Documentation of
Immediate Postpartum LARC

