



Massachusetts Perinatal Quality Collaborative



Substance Abuse Call Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, January 12th

Call Details

Dial in number: 866 638 1558

Conference Code: 4514607766

Participants:

Ron Iverson, Gail Walker, Lily Awad, Linda Jablonski, Colleen Labelle, Katherine Callaghan, Kelley Saia, Debra Bercuvitz, Munish Gupta, Julia Ready, Fifi Diop, Carolyn-Castro Donlan, Jack Mourad.

TOPIC	ACTION	RESPONSIBLE
Introductions	Participants Introduced, SA toolkit Draft Outline, Partnership	All
Goal of Substance Abuse Sub-Committee	Help provide providers of all types a toolkit/guideline as they take care of patients who with substance abuse issues during prenatal, intrapartum, and post-partum.	Ron Iverson
Community Participation Candidates	The MPQC would like to get actual patients involved and engaged in the creation of a toolkit or guideline. A couple of names have been identified and Ron Iverson has reached out to these patients. Jewish Family Centers will also provide patients that want to get involved. The group reiterates the need for patient input and the patients are very interested. There are plenty of participants and those that are selected will be on the upcoming meeting conference calls.	
Toolkit production	<p>Carolyn-Castro Donlan has worked for the bureau for almost two decades and currently acts as an independent consultant. She will help with the creation of the Substance Abuse Toolkit. She has written and aided in the creation of many toolkits and is excited to be on board.</p> <p>Colleen Labelle has sent out the SA toolkit draft and the group commented on the structure and the shape that this toolkit will soon form. The group would like to see this document remain as a useable and efficient document. There must be a coordination and partnership with other organizations to ensure that we do not reinvent what is already out there. There is a need to include the development of protocols and where to refer/resource guides.</p> <p>The group will send Colleen Labelle content and information so that this outline will start to provide substance. The group agrees that the document should remain a 'living document' and that every institution/hospital that will use the toolkit must tailor the content and information to their practice.</p>	All

Next Steps	Colleen Labelle as well as MPQC Substance Abuse Committee members will reach out to individuals in order to provide this document with substance. Ron Iverson will meet with MCPAP for Moms for further collaboration and partnership.	
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