

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

THE AIM BULLETIN



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ON MATERNAL HEALTH **AIM**

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Welcome to The AIM Bulletin! The monthly update on all things AIM.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- [Improving Health Care Response to Maternal Venous Thromboembolism Toolkit](#) just released by CMQCC.
- [Jeanne Mahoney, RN, BSN, Barbara O'Brien, MSN, MPH and LaWanna Halstead, RN, MBA](#) conducted a AIM 101 Webinar for the American Hospital Association. Informing their hospitals about what AIM is and how they can become involved.

NATIONAL COLLABORATIVE ON MATERNAL OUD

- The Collaborative is well on its way to having deliverables for the OUD toolkit. The next couple of weeks will focus on compiling all of the work the 4 work groups have been doing to make one final product.

UPDATE ON AIM STATES

Illinois

- ILPQC abstract with results from HTN bundle implementation: [Reducing time to treatment for severe maternal hypertension through statewide quality improvement.](#)

Michigan

- MI AIM Risk Management Webinar, February 2018

- Michigan would like to highlight the following hospitals that have submitted MI AIM Data:

[1.\) Sparrow Carson Hospital](#), [2.\) Sparrow Hospital](#), [3.\) Bronson Methodist Hospital](#), [4.\) Oaklawn Hospital](#), [5.\) Beaumont Grosse Point](#), [6.\) Hillsdale Hospital](#)

Texas

- Texas Department of State Health Services held an "AIM Implementation Workgroup" Webinar to guide and facilitate the implementation of AIM Bundles throughout Texas.
- Texas AIM Kickoff is scheduled for Monday, June 4, 2018. More details to come.

Utah

- Utah's OB HEM bundle implementation results in Green Journal: [Telemedicine to Improve Maternal Safety: A Statewide Survey of Hospitals in an Obstetric Hemorrhage Collaboration.](#)

West Virginia

- West Virginia held their AIM Kickoff Meeting on Monday, March 26th. It was a working meeting and all involved are enthusiastic about AIM and the next steps for the state.

HALF OF MATERNAL DEATHS ARE PREVENTABLE.
SAVE LIVES BY TEAMING UP WITH AIM.

NEW PARTNERS

As of the end of March, we have one new Partner organization:

- The National Preconception Health and Health Care Initiative (PCHHC)

AIM IN THE NEWS

- OBG Management, March 2018: "Factors critical to reducing US maternal mortality and morbidity"
- NPR, March 2018: "Many Women Come Close To Death In Childbirth"
- New Green Journal Publication, March 2018: "National Partnership for Maternal Safety: Consensus Bundle on Safe Reduction of Primary Cesarean Births—Supporting Intended Vaginal Births"

SAFETY ACTION SERIES

- The Council for Patient Safety will be holding a safety action series called "Recognizing Opioid Use Disorder During Pregnancy: Effective Screening Methods for OUD and its Co-Morbidities" on Wednesday, April 18, 2018 at 2 PM EDT.
- If interested, please [click here](#) to register.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- **Black Maternal Health Week (BMHW)**
Wednesday, April 11 - Tuesday, April 17, 2018
- **Quarterly AIM Partner Meeting**
Wednesday, April 18, 2018
8:30 AM - 4:00 PM EDT
ACOG Headquarters
- **Georgia AIM Kickoff Meeting**
Friday, April 20, 2018
9:00 AM - 3:30 PM EDT
Navicent Health - Eversole Auditorium
- **ACOG Annual Clinical & Scientific Meeting**
Friday, April 27 - Monday, April 30, 2018
Austin, TX
- **HRSA Global Maternal Mortality & Morbidity Summit**
Tuesday, June 19 - Thursday, June 21, 2018



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