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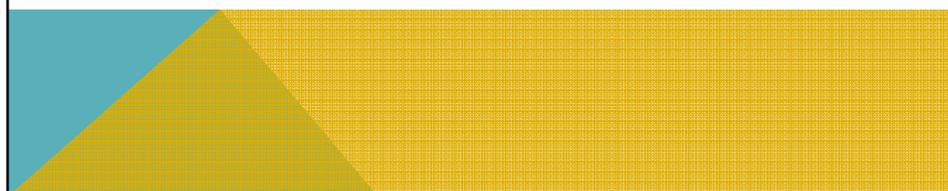
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WORKGROUP PURPOSE

Purpose: To explore educational and training tools needed for effective perinatal regionalization.

To determine communication methods between hospitals.

Perinatal Guideline Recommendations that apply:

10. Educate medical providers about the needs of NICU graduates.
16. Convene an annual conference or meeting with representatives from all Levels of Care to review and provide education regarding the guidelines and areas for improvement in the care to obstetric patients, neonatal and pediatric care.

CONSIDERATIONS GIVEN

Professional discipline CE license requirements

Regional center staff provision of education

Community education

Public education campaign

Use of technology

WORK GROUP #4 RECOMMENDATIONS

➤ CONDUCT ANNUAL TRAINING STATEWIDE

- Provide education on MI's Perinatal System of Care
- Share purpose, and proposed communication plan
- Recommendations for identifying topics
- Level III hospital regional hub to have a training role with supported coordinator activity and data collection.
- Promote uniform knowledge base statewide

CONDUCT ANNUAL TRAINING STATEWIDE

RECOMMENDATION #1

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Share proposed training structure

- Sharing simulation models
- On-site training
- Regional schedule offered locally
- MI Perinatal Website
- Referencing standardized education modules
- Provide CE credits for minimal charge

Establish a statewide Education/Leadership Oversight Committee

RECOMMENDATION #2

➤ Establish a Web Portal/Resource Library

- Communication methods should leverage tech and be available statewide.
- The state web portal should include:
 - Quality standards for all hospitals (Perinatal Guidelines)
 - Professional publications
 - Discussion Board
 - Notices of education, conferences & meetings
 - Funding resources for conference attendance, specialty certification, specialized training
 - A Wish List for future trainings

ESTABLISH A WEB PORTAL/RESOURCE LIBRARY

RECOMMENDATION #2

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Resources and professional publications should include links to standards like:

- NICHD
- WHO (Breastfeeding)
- Perinatal Guidelines (AAP, ACOG)
- Assoc. of Women's, Obstetrics and Neonatal Nursing
- CDC
- Nat. Assoc. of Neonatal Nurses
- NICU University Guidelines
- IBCLC, Amer. Nursing Assoc., others

Market the portal via nursing licensure renewal

RECOMMENDATION #3

➤ Define Level III hospital training responsibility

- Ed. Leadership/Oversight Committee will serve as statewide resource with rep. from all regions.
- Base annual education goals on quality.
- Designated hospitals responsible for hosting/coordinating training for birthing hospitals in their area, using a Maternal Child Nurse Coordinator as point of contact.
- Position function proposed.

RECOMMENDATION #4

➤ Use guiding principles of education, training & communication.

- Communication strategy should be varied and assure statewide access.
- Identify metrics that reflect the effectiveness of the training/education component.
 - Capture baseline data
 - Connect to quality measures
 - Collect widgets - #'s trained, portal hits, website feedback
 - Use training model approach with on line surveying

USE GUIDING PRINCIPLES OF EDUCATION, TRAINING & COMMUNICATION

RECOMMENDATION #4

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- Conduct a needs assessment and survey hospital training at first statewide meeting.
- Get feedback at every training on line; include feedback questions in the CME survey.
- Vaccine data may also be a good metric.

REGIONAL MATERNAL CHILD NURSE COORDINATOR

Why is this position needed?

- To serve as the point of contact in designated Level III hospitals for regional/referring hospitals when they identify a need, want to discuss a referral issue, or want to contribute to the education/training plan for the region and/or state.
- To also serve as the regional point of contact for MDCH about perinatal system of care issues.

REGIONAL MATERNAL CHILD NURSE COORDINATOR

What are the responsibilities of the position?

- Facilitate the yearly review and planning of perinatal training and education for the region.
- Coordinate education within the region.
- Provide input for education topics/needs for statewide training/education opportunities and contribute to the annual statewide conference agenda.
- Serve as the regional resource for information, guidelines and resources for women, infant and children's health.

REGIONAL MATERNAL CHILD NURSE COORDINATOR

What qualifications are required?

- Licensed as a Registered Nurse in the state of Michigan.
- 3 years of experience in hospital perinatal care.