

MIHP Biweekly Update

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Maternal Infant Health Program

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Meet The Team: Kelsey Cleveland



Hi, my name is Kelsey Cleveland. I began my career as an Administrative Assistant in the healthcare industry, where I provided support to management and colleagues, as well as those seeking health services. After 15 years, I made the decision to prioritize my role as a mom to my three daughters. During this period, I wanted to contribute to both my family and community, so I have been a regular volunteer at my children's schools for the last six years.

In my spare time, I enjoy gardening, family beach days at Lake Michigan, and stand-up comedy shows with my husband.

I'm excited to start the next chapter of my career contributing to MIHU's mission and success!

MDHHS Documentation Requirement Reminder



Please note this MDHHS documentation reminder sent September 7, 2023.

All Providers,

As a reminder, all Medicaid-reimbursed services are subject to review for conformity with accepted medical practice and Medicaid coverage and limitations. The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) conducts post-payment reviews to verify services, providers, settings, and appropriate billing. Providers must, upon request from authorized agents of the state or federal government, make available for examination and photocopying all medical records, quality assurance documents, financial records, administrative records, and other documents and records that must be maintained. Providers must maintain, in English and a legible manner, written or electronic records necessary to fully disclose and document the extent of services provided to beneficiaries. The records are to be retained for a period of not less than seven years from the date of service, regardless of a change in ownership or termination of participation in Medicaid for any reason.

Thank You

Mark Your Calendar: September COP Webinar

The next Community of Practice (COP) webinar will be on Wednesday, September 27th from 1:00pm – 2:30pm. Suzette Burkitt-Wesolek BSN, RN, MIHP Quality Improvement Specialist, will share information and lessons learned from the Quality Assessment conducted with local MIHP throughout 2021-2023.

[Click HERE to register for "Quality Assessments Update, Lessons Learned & Next Steps."](#)

New! Online Breastfeeding Course

MIHP is pleased to announce that a new breastfeeding online training course is now available! The newly released online course is titled "*Breastfeeding for Professionals Working with Families.*" This course is available via the [MiHealth](#) training website.

This new course is required training for **any new MIHP staff hired on or after October 1st, 2023**. For staff who have already completed the previous breastfeeding courses (*Breastfeeding 1: Helping Mothers Choose Breastfeeding & Breastfeeding 3: Helping Mothers Continue Breastfeeding*) they are not required to complete the new course. However, providers and partners are certainly welcome and encouraged to complete the course in efforts for continual education. Completing the course results in a total of 1.0 Nursing contact hours & 1.0 Social Work clock hours.

MIHP providers will notice an update to the MIHP Provider Training page as a result of the newly released training. The new "*Breastfeeding for Professionals Working with Families,*" course will be added to the required mihealth training website list. The previous breastfeeding courses "*Breastfeeding 1: Helping Mothers Choose Breastfeeding*" & "*Breastfeeding 3: Helping Mothers Continue Breastfeeding*" will be removed from the required Institute for the Advancement of Family Support Professionals training list and placed at the bottom of the page under the Additional Trainings and Resources tab.

Infant Products Recalled



TOMY recalls Boon Flair and Flair Elite highchairs due to fall hazard. The bolts used to secure the seat of the recalled highchair to the pedestal base can become loose and allow the seat to detach, posing a fall hazard. Consumers should stop using the recalled highchairs immediately and contact TOMY for a free repair kit. You can contact TOMY:

Toll-free at 866-725-4407 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. CT Monday through Friday.

Online at <https://recall.tomy.com>.

Restwell Mattress recalls Room & Board Natural Organic Latex and Latex and Spring Crib Mattresses. The recalled crib mattresses fail to comply with multiple provisions of the Federal Safety Standard for Crib Mattresses, including the firmness test and missing warnings and labels. Consumers should immediately stop using the crib mattresses and contact Room & Board to receive a full refund. You can contact Room & Board:



- Toll-free at 800-301-9720 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. CT Monday through Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. CT Saturday and Sunday.
- Via email at shop@roomandboard.com.
- Online at www.restwellmattress.com/recall.



Preparing for the Upcoming Respiratory Virus Season: Recommendations for Influenza, COVID-19, and RSV Vaccines for Older Adults

Overview

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) is preparing for co-circulating influenza virus, SARS-CoV-2, and respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) this fall and winter. Vaccines can provide life-saving protection against all three viral respiratory diseases. CDC recommends these vaccines for older adults, who are at a higher risk of severe illness from these diseases. Clinicians play a vital role in ensuring that older adults protect themselves by encouraging them to stay up to date on influenza, COVID-19, and RSV vaccinations.

During this COCA Call, CDC presenters will provide updates about the latest recommendations and clinical considerations for administering influenza, COVID-19, and RSV vaccines to adults 60 years and older and discuss resources and communication strategies that may help facilitate older adult vaccination.

If you are unable to attend the live COCA Call, the recording will be available for viewing on the [COCA Call webpage](#) a few hours after the live event ends.

The slide set will be available on the day of the call on the [COCA Call webpage](#) under Call Materials.

[Free Continuing Education \(CE\)](#) will be offered for this COCA Call.

Registration is not required

Date: Tuesday, September 19, 2023

Time: 2:00 PM – 3:00 PM ET

Webinar Link:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1606020154?pwd=RTV5Z1Y5dlR6aVXbFplb0JzR0dDQT09>

Webinar ID: 160 602 0154

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Please click here for additional details.

National Hispanic Heritage Month Social Media Immunizations Toolkit

Every year, **National Hispanic Heritage Month** is observed from September 15 to October 15. This year, the Montgomery County (Pennsylvania) Immunization Coalition (MCIC) will focus on bringing attention to the importance of staying up to date on all recommended vaccines. MCIC worked with partner organizations to create bilingual social media images and messages that you can use on your social media platforms to encourage communities to stay up to date on all recommended vaccines during National Hispanic Heritage Month. The coalition is happy to share these resources nationally.

Direct Links to Social Media Images: [English1](#), [English2](#), [Spanish1](#), [Spanish2](#)

You can also find the toolkit with social media images and sample text on the MCIC [webpage](#).

Webinar Recording Available: Birth Trauma and Maternal Mental Health

The Maternal Mental Health Leadership Alliance recently hosted a webinar on Birth Trauma and Maternal Mental Health. In this webinar, three experts share research, clinical perspectives, and personal experience with birth trauma and its intersection with maternal mental health. The webinar recording [is available here on their website](#). Also on their website is a new fact sheet related to this topic.

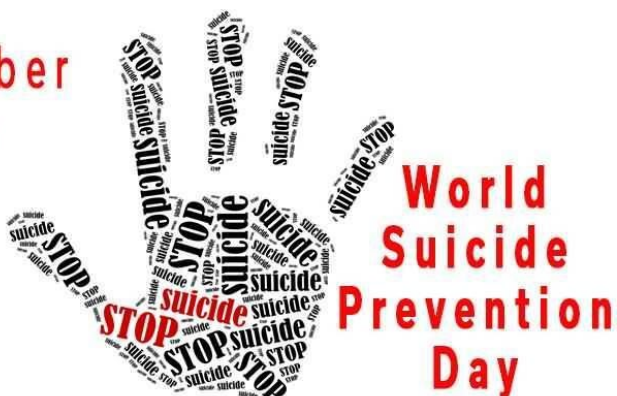
This is the first in a 4-part webinar series: Delving Into Maternal Mental Health. This series is designed to explore four different experiences mothers and birthing people face and their intersection with maternal mental health. [Learn more about this series](#).

Upcoming State of Michigan (SOM) Holidays

November 10
November 23 and 24
December 22 and 25
December 29

September Awareness Months & Holidays for Cause

September
10th



World Suicide Prevention Day 2023

“Creating Hope Through Action”

Suicide is a major public health problem with far-reaching social, emotional and economic consequences. It is estimated that there are currently more than 700 000 suicides per year worldwide, and we know that each suicide profoundly affects many more people.

“Creating Hope Through Action” is the triennial theme for the World Suicide Prevention Day from 2021-2023. This theme serves as a powerful call to action and reminder that there is an alternative to suicide and that through our actions we can encourage hope and strengthen prevention.

By creating hope through action, we can signal to people experiencing suicidal thoughts that there is hope and that we care and want to support them. It also suggests that our actions, no matter how big or small, may provide hope to those who are struggling.

Lastly, it serves as a reminder that suicide prevention is a public health priority and urgent action is required to make sure suicide mortality rates are reduced. WHO will continue to work with its partners to support countries to take concrete measures in this direction.

[World Suicide Prevention Day \(WSPD\)](#) was established in 2003 by the [International Association for Suicide Prevention](#) in conjunction with the World Health Organization (WHO). The 10 September each year aims to focus attention on the issue, reduces stigma and raises awareness among organizations, governments, and the public, giving a singular message that suicides are preventable.

[Click here for the full article and additional resources.](#)

National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month	September 1
Blood Cancer Awareness Month	September 1
National Food Bank Day	1st Friday
International Literacy Day	September 8
R U OK Day	September 9
World Suicide Prevention Day	September 10
Hispanic Heritage Month	September 15
International Day of Peace	September 21
International Day of Sign Language	September 23
National Public Lands Day	4th Saturday

Previously Released MIHP Updates

To review any previously released MIHP Weekly Updates, they can be found by [visiting the MIHP webpage Michigan.gov/MIHP](http://michigan.gov/MIHP).

Bi-Weekly Update Topic Submission

If you have suggestions for topics to be addressed in future additions of the MIHP Weekly Update, [please submit your ideas here](#).

MDHHS Publications

[Sign up here to receive program updates and communications.](#)

Coordinator Directory

Please click here to access the most recent Coordinator Directory. [MIHP Coordinator Directory](#)

Our communication for the Maternal Infant Health Program has been streamlined to a single email address and phone number. Please forward all emails to MIHP@michigan.gov. For further assistance, contact the state office @ **1-833-MI4-MIHP (1-833-644-6447)**. Thank you.