RCH NICU’s Experience Implementing Maternal Postpartum Mood Disorder (PPMD) Screening & Referral
A Quality Improvement Initiative

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Date: April 22, 2014
Time: 4:00 – 6:00 pm
Location: St. Charles Bend
East Dining Room

Cost: No charge

Desired Outcomes:
- Increase knowledge of the rationale for implementing maternal PPMD screening and referral within the NICU context.
- Discuss staff and provider education and develop “Buy In” necessary to support maternal PPMD screening and referral in the NICU.
- Develop system for screening moms in the NICU.
- Develop algorithm for referrals based on maternal PPMC screening results.
- Develop team skilled in using PPMD screening tool and providing referrals.
- Hard-wire reporting of PPMD screening and referral into charting system in a HIPAA compliant matter.
- Standardize process for including maternal PPMD screening and referral information in Provider Hand-Offs.
- Audit practice as part of quality improvement process.

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Target Audience: Providers and Staff who care for Neonatal patients and their families

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Maternal Postpartum Mood Disorder Screening, Referral & Documentation in the NICU or other Pediatric Context – Partnership with Oregon Pediatric Society for Quality Improvement

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Time: 12:00 – 2:00 pm
Location: St. Charles Bend
Conference Room C/D
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Desired Outcomes:
• Increase knowledge of Maternal Post-Partum Mood Disorders (PPMD).
• Increase awareness the impact of Post-Partum Mood Disorders on children and families.
• Discuss PPMD screening tools and referral resources.
• Describe the rational for PPMD screening and referral in the NICU and other Pediatric contexts.
• Outline how RCH NICU implemented Standardized Maternal PPMD screening, referral and documentation.
• Discuss PPMD screening and referral in your NICU or Pediatric practice.

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