

PA PQC

Pennsylvania Perinatal Quality Collaborative

PA PQC Virtual Session
April 8, 2026

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Learning Objectives

- Discuss team successes and challenges in implementing Maternal Sepsis interventions

Agenda

1. Welcome — Lisa Boyd, PA PQC Data Manager and QI Coach, Jewish Healthcare Foundation

2. Peer-to-Peer Sharing — facilitated by Karena Moran, PhD, PA PQC QI Coach Improvement Optimization Advisor, Geisinger Health & NEPaPQC

3. Wrap-up & Next Steps — Lisa Boyd, PA PQC Data Manager and QI Coach, Jewish Healthcare Foundation

Milestone Submission Reminders

- Submission window for Q1 2026 is now open, through April 30th
- QI Report Out for Sepsis – Poster instead of usual report narrative
- New process for Data submission
 - No more LifeQI
 - Everything is in a single survey link for [Sepsis](#) and [Safe Sleep](#)
 - There are no Q1 2026 sustaining survey or data submissions for NAS or OUD
 - Strongly recommend using [initiative worksheets](#) to collect responses before submitting via link
 - [Slides](#) with screen shots and [recording](#) of process walkthrough available on PQC website under Events → Session Materials → March 11th, 2026

Peer-to-peer Sharing

KARENA MORAN, PHD, PA PQC QI COACH IMPROVEMENT
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Wrap-Up

LISA BOYD, PA PQC DATA MANAGER AND QI COACH,
JEWISH HEALTHCARE FOUNDATION

Upcoming Virtual Sessions

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No virtual sessions this month – register and join us at our in-person Annual Meeting in Altoona!

JUNE 10

Initiative Overview for 2026-2027
Implementation Period

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m

Zoom





PA Maternal Health Symposium

Register Today!

May 19-20, 2026

Blair County

Convention Center

One Convention Center Drive

Altoona, PA 16602



Registration deadline: May 7

Please note our **updated start time of 7:30am on Wednesday, May 20 (Day 2)** for check-in and breakfast

The PA PQC Annual Meeting is an in-person event, there is no option to attend virtually.

Learn about the
Initiatives

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The PA PQC provides quality improvement support to healthcare teams to improve the standard of care for pregnant and postpartum people and babies.

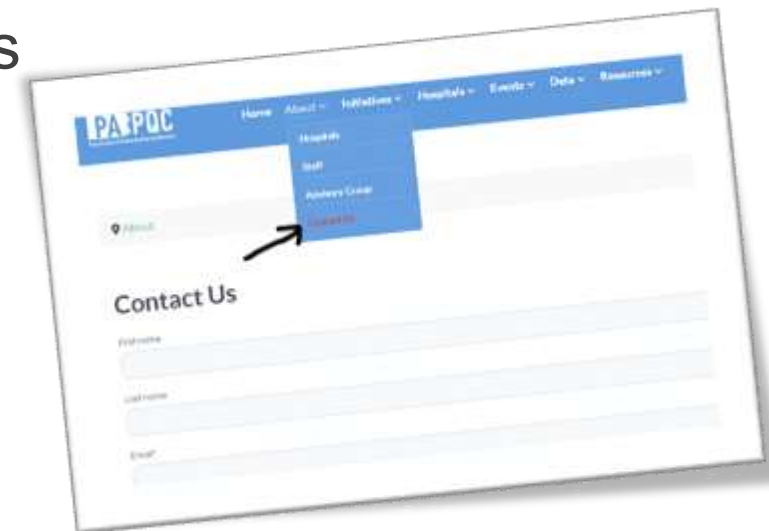
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<https://www.papqc.org/>

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- Please reach out to your coach to provide them updated contact info. for anyone at your site who is involved in the PA PQC.
- If you haven't gotten a newsletter or PA PQC emails in a while, check to make sure you are subscribed to our newsletter with your updated email address.
- You can always reach us [here](#)



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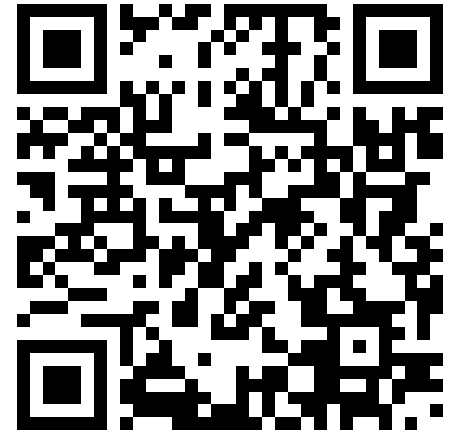


Hadar Re'em
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QI Coach, Jewish
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Credentialing Guidelines:

PLEASE complete the electronic evaluations by Wednesday, April 15th: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/5D8JTSM>

1. Please indicate on the evaluation which CEUs you are requesting: CME, CNE or Social Worker credits.
2. The UPMC Center for Continuing Education will follow up with you, via email, after Wednesday, April 15th to notify you about how you can claim your credits.
 - To prepare, we recommend you create an account with UPMC CCE via this website <https://cce.upmc.com>.



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