

## Periscope Outreach Lessons Learned

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## Tactics that have Worked

#### Face time with Perinatal Psychiatrist

Providers must vet expertise

#### **Target Medical Hubs**

- offer didactic to residency programs: OB/GYN, Family Medicine, Psychiatry
- Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs)

#### Statewide Conferences

- ACOG, perinatal associations, lactation conferences, midwives associations, psychiatric conferences
- Offer didactics and formal educational opportunities
- Vendor table

#### Attend regularly scheduled meetings

Grand Rounds, staff meetings

Top down, bottom up

#### Use connections

- Peer to peer support groups
- Advisory council members

# Focus on your Frame: Our Program Makes your Job Easier

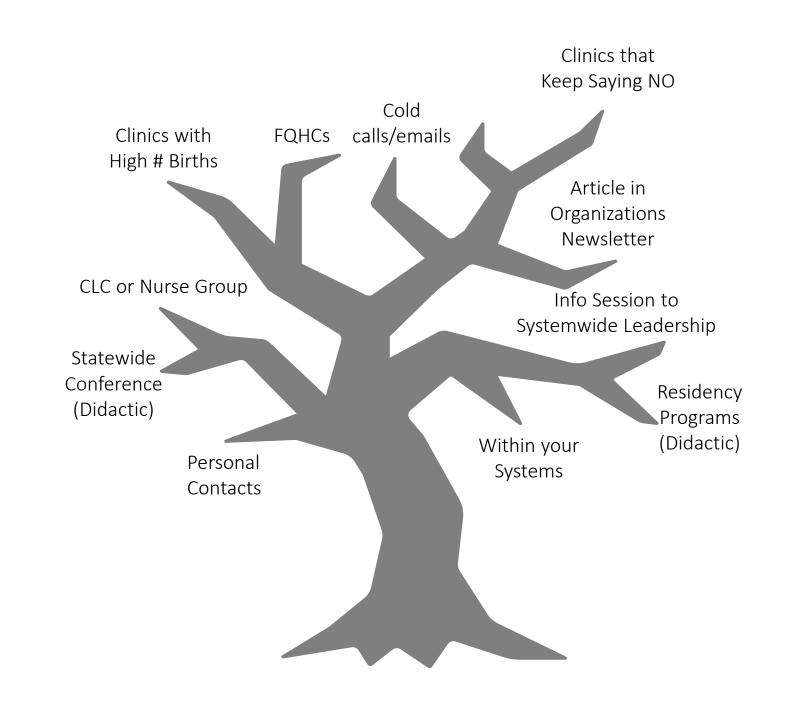
Framing the access program as a benefit to the clinic

Ensure you're not looking to "steal" patients

Make it clear there is no cost associated with the program – for providers and patients

Put yourself in their shoes – what would make you hesitate and address that in your correspondence

## Start with Low Hanging Fruit



## Top Down and Bottom Up Simultaneously



**Provider level**: Prescribers, Nurses, Lactation Consultants, trainees, etc.

E-mails

One-on-one meetings

**Grand Rounds** 

Staff meetings

Conference presentations

#### **System Leadership**

E-mails

One-on-one meetings

Attend large meetings



## Multiple Approaches Builds Notoriety

Conference Presentation

Now has patient who is struggling

Saw on social media

Got email from program directly

Heard local news story

Colleague mentioned it

## Don't Say No Because a Group is 'too small'

2 hour drive didactic to OB clinic



1 attendee during the live session



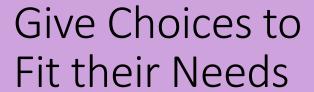
3 years later....

That 1 provider has called >20 times
Plus another 'Super User' from the same clinic

10 total unique users from the clinic



Didactic + brief information session

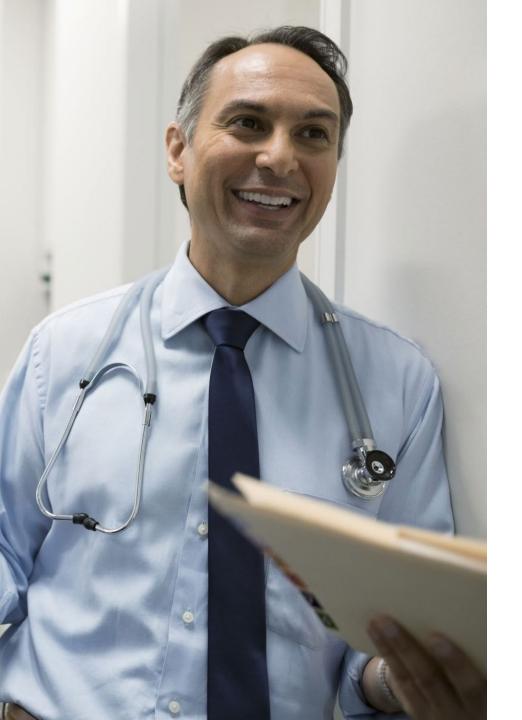




Information session alone



Ask to come to an existing meeting time



# Vetting Psychiatry is Key to Utilization

Health care providers will not use a service they do not trust

## Education Bolsters Action

#### Aurora West Allis Women's Pavilion Example

2017 -2019
9 encounters
5 unique providers
Didactic
on
2/20/2020
Post-Didactic
54 encounters
24 unique providers

so many patients with psychiatric problems peripartum and so difficult to get them in with a psych provider in a timely fashion. This service is so great and I am very grateful for it!



OB/GYN Frequent Utilizer from Aurora West Allis Women's Pavilion



#### Triage

- Provider contacts Periscope and speaks to triage
  - · Less than 5 minutes



#### Provider to Perinatal Psychiatrist Consultation

- Perinatal psychiatrist returns providers call
  - Average return call time: 6 minutes, mode: 2 minutes
- Two providers have case base discussion
  - Average 8-10 minute conversation



#### Provider Discusses with Patient

- Provider discusses treatment options with their patient
- Typically patients remain in the care of the inquiring provider

## Tell them What to Expect

Clear expectations of how the consultation will take place

Use case examples from real consultations

Highlight your strong points

- Response time
- Provider testimonials

Frame it as a benefit to them

- Saves time
- Improves patient outcomes

## Don't Give Up on High Birth Clinics

Clinic with highest annual number of births in Wisconsin

Turned down 4+ times

- VP of OB introduction failed
- Peer to peer support group introduction failed
- Cold emails and calls to clinic staff failed
- Warm handoff to midwife failed

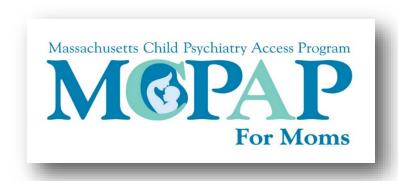
Nurse heard presentation at a Statewide nursing conference by evaluation partner and reached out to us – success!

## Thank you.

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## MCPAP for Moms: Clinician and Practice Engagement



# We used a proactive approach with purposeful engagement and tracking

**Dedicated efforts** 

Tracked engagement and enrollment

Direct outreach (F2F vs. remote)

Went to where the providers were

**Engaged at conferences (presentations & tabling)** 

### We created an inventory and knew our denominator

**State agencies** 

**Board of Registration in Medicine** 

Birth hospital privileges

'Yellow Pages'

Google



## We created a practice inventory

Massachusetts Hospitals and OB Practices								
Hospital	Location & Region	Affiliated Practices	Practice Location	Contact	Births (2012 Data) Total: 72,828	Enrolled	Trainings/ Grand Rounds	Region MD Assigned
Cambridge Health Alliance	Cambridge (Boston)				1,311		November 2016	
		Malden Community Health Center (Family Medicine that does OB)	Cambridge	Phone: 781-338-0500				Boston, Leena
		Somerville/Union Square (Family Medicine that does OB)	Cambridge	Phone: 617-665-3370				Boston, Leena
Fairview Hospital	Great Barrington (Western)				153			
		Community Health Programs & Great Barrington OBGYN	Great Barrington	Practice Manager: Jeannette Phone: 413-528-1470		PENDING	Non-response Dec. 2015	Western, Carolyn
Good Samaritan Medical Center	Brockton (Southeast)			Phone: 508-427-3700	883		Sept. 2015	
		Vikas <u>Merchia</u>	Brockton	Phone: 508-897-4790		ACOG		Southeast, Leena
		<u>Zwi</u> Hoch	Brockton	Phone: 508-251-9624		ACOG		Southeast, Leena
Holy Family Hospital & Medical Center	Methuen (Northeast)			Contact: Sherrill Davis E-mail: sdavis@pediatricspro.c om Contact: Leonard Sarapas E-mail: Isarapas@comcast.net	1,029		Oct. 2015	
		Javed Siddiqui, MD	Methuen	Phone: 978-689-0033		ACOG		Northeast, Carolyn

## We tracked engagement and enrollment

Created a systematic way to document any practicelevel activity for engagement and enrollment

**Documented for every practice:** 

**Called** 

**Visited** 

Surveyed

**Trained** 

**Enrolled** 

This all became data over the denominator

This was all reportable as encounters

## **Outreach team and roles (2014)**

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**Medical Director** 

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#### **3 Resource and Referral Specialists**

Liz Spinosa, LMHC, Lead R&R Specialist

Alyssa Kratze, MPH

Quilana Rivera, BA

## Accountability among team was critical

**Dedicated time** 

**Clear expectations** 

Strategic assignment of practices

Goal setting and regular monitoring of progress

Follow up

## Clinicians valued a clear enrollment process

What do practices have to do to enroll?

What does it mean to be an enrolled practice?

Can unenrolled practices engage with program? Yes, this is an opportunity to engage them



## Clear messaging about services was needed

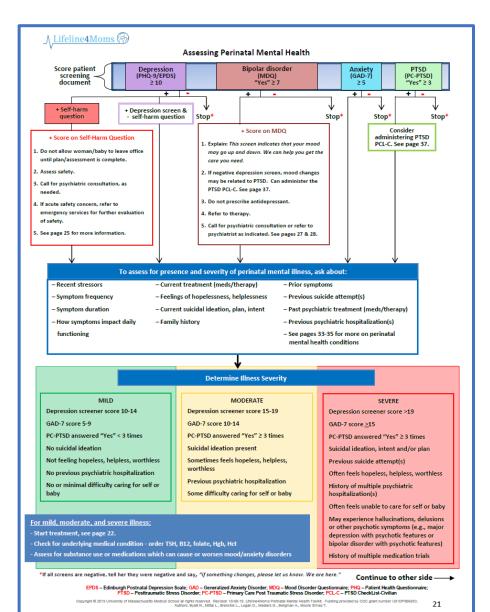
**Face to Face** 

**Webinars** 

**Toolkits** 

**Websites** 

Other resources



Massachusetts Child Psychiatry Access Program
For Moms

Contact number for providers: 855-Mom-MCPAP (855-666-6272)

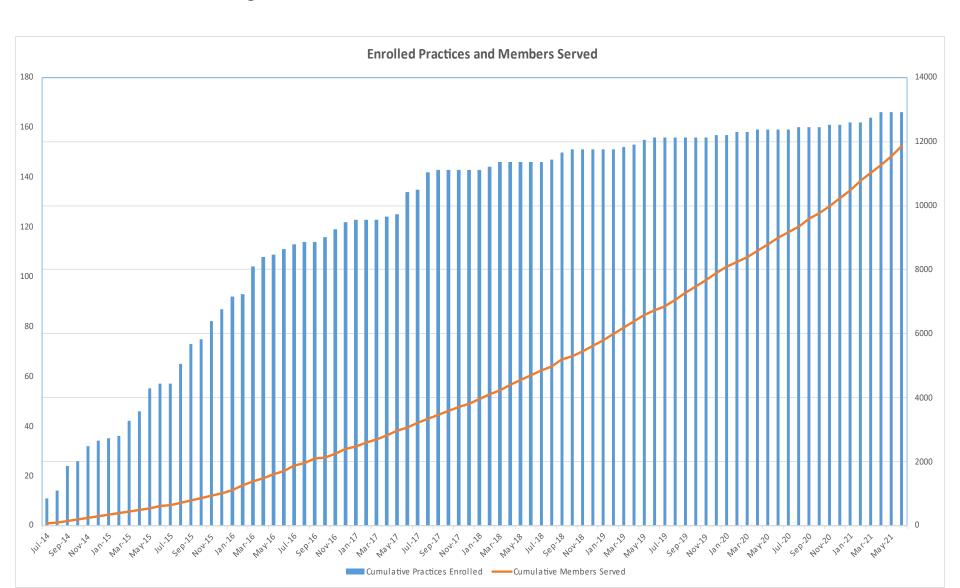
Google Custom Search

Promoting Maternal Mental Health During and After Pregnancy





# Calls were directly correlated with the number of practices enrolled



# Enrollment, training, & utilization were synergistic

