

Learning Forum

June 2024



Name and Agency/Hospital in the CHAT



KPQC Virtual Fall Conference

Save the Date:

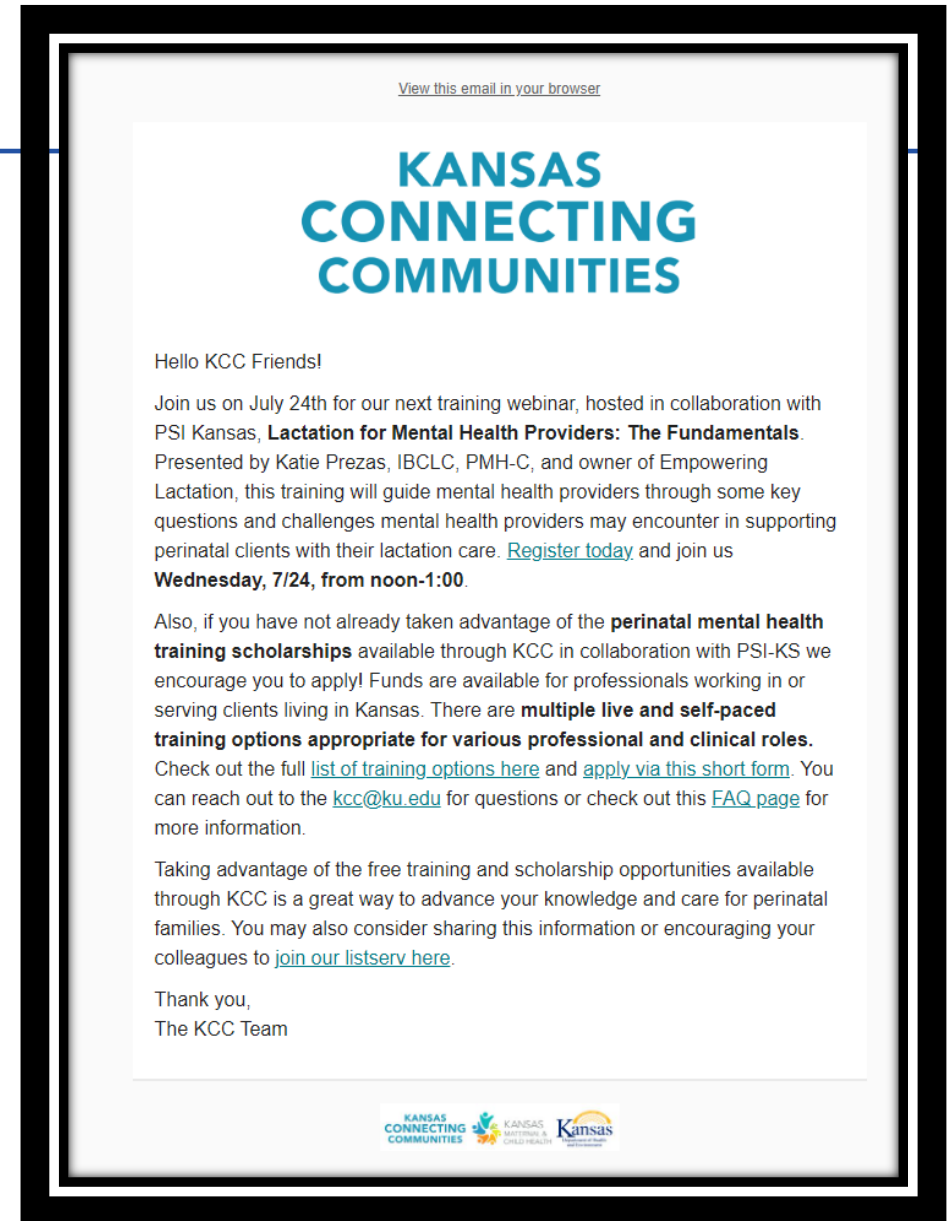
Date: October 22, 2024

Time: 9:00-12:00

MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON!

Rapid Response

1. KCC Training opportunities
2. ALL hospitals (FTI Champs, Admin from non-enrolled Hospitals)-
 - Next safety bundle input:
http://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSct6OuEAZp-d9pwKkd_RJddQPEW9VWeQKGO6ywnZdIfhuIurA/viewform?usp=sf_link
3. SMM Case Review template



Severe Maternal Morbidity

AIM/ACOG Case Review templates

AIM Learning Session(s)- invite email can be sent. Notify Terrah or Kari asap!



SMM Review Form

Abstraction		
Abstraction Date	Abstructor Name	
Name of Facility for Chart Review		
Admission Date	Discharge Date	
Peripartum Transport <input type="checkbox"/> To Facility (Specify) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> From Facility (Specify) _____		
MR # or Patient ID	Date SMM Identified	
Case Identified for Review By (Select All that Apply) <input type="checkbox"/> ICD-10 Dx Code <input type="checkbox"/> ICD-10 Procedure Code <input type="checkbox"/> ICU Admission <input type="checkbox"/> Patient and Family Advocacy <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare Team Request <input type="checkbox"/> Per Institution Policy or Guidelines (e.g., conditions list) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Write-In) _____		
Reason(s) for Chart Review (Select All that Apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Hemorrhage Complications <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac Complications <input type="checkbox"/> Renal Complications <input type="checkbox"/> Sepsis Complications <input type="checkbox"/> Other Obstetric Complications (Write-In) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Other Medical Complications (Write-In) _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to Specify (Write-In) _____		
Timing of SMM-Related Care (Select All that Apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Antepartum <input type="checkbox"/> Intrapartum <input type="checkbox"/> Postpartum (after 8 hours) <input type="checkbox"/> Readmission		
Patient Characteristics		
Age	Weight at Admission	Height
Obesity Class		Specify Race
Race (Select All that Apply) <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Not Documented		
Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Not Documented		
Payer Source (Select All that Apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid <input type="checkbox"/> Medicare <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Accountable Care Organization/Managed Care Organization <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Write-In) _____		

Session 1: Introduction to SMM Review Form: The When and Why

[Registration Link](#)

Session Date & Time: July 30, 2024, from 2PM-3PM EST

Session 2: Chart Abstraction Best Practices for SMM Review: The How

[Registration Link](#)

Session Date & Time: TBD

Session 3: Lessons Learned from SMM Chart Review

[Registration Link](#)

Session Date & Time: August 22, 2024, from 12PM-1PM EST

Session 4: Integrating Equity into SMM Chart Review

[Registration Link](#)

Session Date & Time: August 29, 2024, from 12PM-1PM EST

FTI Project: Updates on Completion steps



Rapid Response

How do I submit “completion” documentation
for FTI Projects

NOT Qhi!

Part VII: Community Resource List

FTI Goal: Updated list and date of
Implementation

FTI Goal:

Create a Community Resource List

Create and maintain the following list, which should be specific to your community:

- ✓ OB Practices
- ✓ Pediatric Practices
- ✓ Breastfeeding
- ✓ Care Coordinator Services (OB Navigator, CHWs, Home Visitors, etc)
 - Housing, Transportation, Insurance, Navigation Services
- ✓ WIC
- ✓ Health Department (MCH)
- ✓ Federally Qualified Health Center
- ✓ Home Visitor Programs
- ✓ Behavioral Health Agencies
- ✓ Patient Support Networks (Douglas, CHWs, Churches, etc)

McPherson: FTI Champ **Jacqueline Disque**



RESOURCES FOR OUR FAMILIES

WOMEN'S CARE & BIRTH CENTER AT MCPHERSON CENTER FOR HEALTH

- Breastfeeding evaluations
- Repeat newborn screening
- Repeat hearing screening
- Weight checks on newborn

Knowing where to turn when you need extra support or knowledge shouldn't be a difficult task. We hope that this Resource Guide provides you with easy access to organizations that may be able to provide answers to your questions.

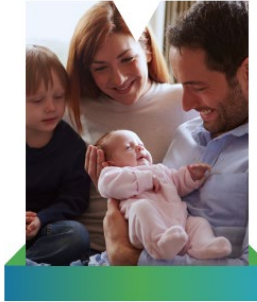
The resources in this guide may be offered in McPherson County, Reno County, Rice County, and Saline County. For other counties, please contact your local Health Department or primary care provider's office.

CONTACT US

McPherson Hospital, Inc.
1000 Hospital Drive
McPherson, KS 67460
620-241-2250

Women's Care and Birth Center
620-241-2251, Ext. 236

mcpersoncenterforhealth.org



PATIENT INFORMATION RESOURCES FOR PRENATAL & POSTPARTUM FAMILIES

Empowering your growing family.



MCPHERSON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT 620-241-1753

McPherson County Health Department has created a resource guide for the community. It can be accessed at www.mcpersonresources.com. While the resources are targeted for low income or limited resource families, many other services are provided by the health department including:

- Lactation consults
- WIC enrollment and recertification
- Immunizations
- Family planning

*Many of these services may be offered at nearby county health departments as well.

CHILDBIRTH CLASSES

Becoming A Mom childbirth education classes are offered through the Saline County Health Department. The classes are held both in person at McPherson Center for Health and virtually. **You can register by calling 785-826-6600**

MENTAL HEALTH, SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND DOMESTIC ABUSE RESOURCES

- **National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI):** Call 800-950-6264 or text "Helpline" to 62640. In a crisis, call or text 988
- **Prairie View Crisis Line:** 800-362-0180
- **New Hope Shelter, Newton, KS:** serving homeless men, women, and children. 316-283-7711
- **Safe Hope Hotline for domestic abuse:** 800-487-0510 or www.safehope.net
- **Omega Project:** women and children's short term shelter, men and women's long term sober living. 620-241-1371 or visit www.omegaprojectks.com

Get the support you need; help IS available, and you are not alone.



Other Support Options

- **Journey Well:** provides supportive care for pregnancy, birth, lactation, and adoption, including a monthly support group. Connect on Facebook @Journey Well.
- **Pregnancy Service Center:** free and confidential services with weekly visits to the McPherson County Health Department. Call 785-823-1484.
- **Kansas Children's Service League:** providing parenting support, resources for new moms and young families with home visiting services available. www.kcsl.orgor call 316-833-1988
- **McKids:** providing services to support the growth and development of children and their families. Call 620-241-9400
- **Early Childhood Center and Headstart:** Serving students who are 3 and 4 years old during the school year. Call 620-241-9590 or visit www.418earlychildhood.weebly.com

Part V

Comprehensive PP Visit Template

**To include the “Standardized Discharge Summary”

FTI Goal

Every FTI Site shares out with all clinics/agencies seeing Postpartum patients

Example of wording:

As part of our continued work with the state and national maternal health initiative (Fourth Trimester Initiative), we were asked to share information with all postpartum care providers in our community. Please find attached new updates to the Postpartum Standardized Discharge Summary, as well as the criteria now recommended for the Comprehensive Postpartum Visit. Please reach out with further questions, and our hospital will continue to work towards improving the communication, documentation, and referral portions of this criteria prior to discharge.

ACOG: *Standardized Discharge Summary*

Should include:

- ✓ Patient Name and age
- ✓ Support person contact information
- ✓ Gravida/para status
- ✓ Birth information:
 - ✓ Date and type of birth
 - ✓ Gestational age at birth
 - ✓ Relevant maternal conditions and complications
- ✓ Name, contact information and appointments for relevant providers, including OB/GYN specialists, mental health provider, etc.
- ✓ Positive screening for medical risk factors, mental health, and substance use
- ✓ Medications and supplements at time of discharge
- ✓ Unmet actual and potential SSDOH needs
- ✓ Suggested community services and supports
- ✓ Need for specific postpartum testing such as glucose testing or CBC

AIM PPDT “Postpartum Discharge Element
Implementation Details” (2021)

Comprehensive Postpartum Visit (template)

Should include:

- Screening for social and structural drivers of health and postpartum risk factors including mental health and substance use disorders
 - Provide linkage to needed referrals and services and/or provision of treatment as needed
- Assessment of physical recovery from birth and pregnancy-associated conditions
- Assessment of chronic diseases (pre-pregnancy onset or enduring from pregnancy-onset conditions)
 - Provide management or referral to primary or specialist care
- Establish care congruent with the patient's reproductive life plan
 - Provide access to highly effective methods of contraception, if desired
- Transition to ongoing well-person care including provision of or scheduling of indicated health maintenance services with transition to appropriate provider as needed

Comprehensive PP Visit (template, cont'd)

Box 1. Components of Postpartum Care

Mood and emotional well-being

- Screen for postpartum depression and anxiety with a validated instrument^{1,2}
- Provide guidance regarding local resources for mentoring and support
- Screen for tobacco use; counsel regarding relapse risk in postpartum period³
- Screen for substance use disorder and refer as indicated⁴
- Follow-up on preexisting mental health disorders, refer for or confirm attendance at mental health-related appointments, and titrate medications as appropriate for the postpartum period

Infant care and feeding

- Assess comfort and confidence with caring for newborn, including
 - feeding method
 - child care strategy if returning to work or school
 - ensuring infant has a pediatric medical home
 - ensuring that all caregivers are immunized⁵
- Assess comfort and confidence with breastfeeding, including
 - breastfeeding-associated pain⁶
 - guidance on logistics of and legal rights to milk expression if returning to work or school^{7,8}
 - guidance regarding return to fertility while lactating; pregnancy is unlikely if menses have not returned, infant is less than 6 months old, and infant is fully or nearly fully breastfeeding with no interval of more than 4–6 hours between breastfeeding sessions⁹
 - review theoretical concerns regarding hormonal contraception and breastfeeding, within the context of each woman's desire to breastfeed and her risk of unplanned pregnancy⁷
- Assess material needs, such as stable housing, utilities, food, and diapers, with referral to resources as needed

Sexuality, contraception, and birth spacing

- Provide guidance regarding sexuality, management of dyspareunia, and resumption of intercourse
- Assess desire for future pregnancies and reproductive life plan¹⁰
- Explain the rationale for avoiding an interpregnancy interval of less than 6 months and discuss the risks and benefits of repeat pregnancy sooner than 18 months
- Review recommendations for prevention of recurrent pregnancy complications, such as 17 α -hydroxyprogesterone caproate to reduce risk of recurrent preterm birth, or aspirin to reduce risk of preeclampsia
- Select a contraceptive method that reflects patient's stated needs and preferences, with same-day placement of LARC, if desired¹¹

Box 1. Components of Postpartum Care (continued)

Sleep and fatigue

- Discuss coping options for fatigue and sleep disruption
- Engage family and friends in assisting with care responsibilities

Physical recovery from birth

- Assess presence of perineal or cesarean incision pain; provide guidance regarding normal versus prolonged recovery¹²
- Assess for presence of urinary and fecal continence, with referral to physical therapy or urogynecology as indicated^{13,14}
- Provide actionable guidance regarding resumption of physical activity and attainment of healthy weight¹⁵

Chronic disease management

- Discuss pregnancy complications, if any, and their implications for future childbearing and long-term maternal health, including ASCVD
- Perform glucose screening for women with GDM: a fasting plasma glucose test or 75 g, 2-hour oral glucose tolerance test¹⁶
- Review medication selection and dose outside of pregnancy, including consideration of whether the patient is breastfeeding, using a reliable resource such as LactMed
- Refer for follow-up care with primary care or subspecialist health care providers, as indicated

Health maintenance

- Review vaccination history and provide indicated immunizations, including completing series initiated antepartum or postpartum¹⁷
- Perform well-woman screening, including Pap test and pelvic examination, as indicated¹⁸

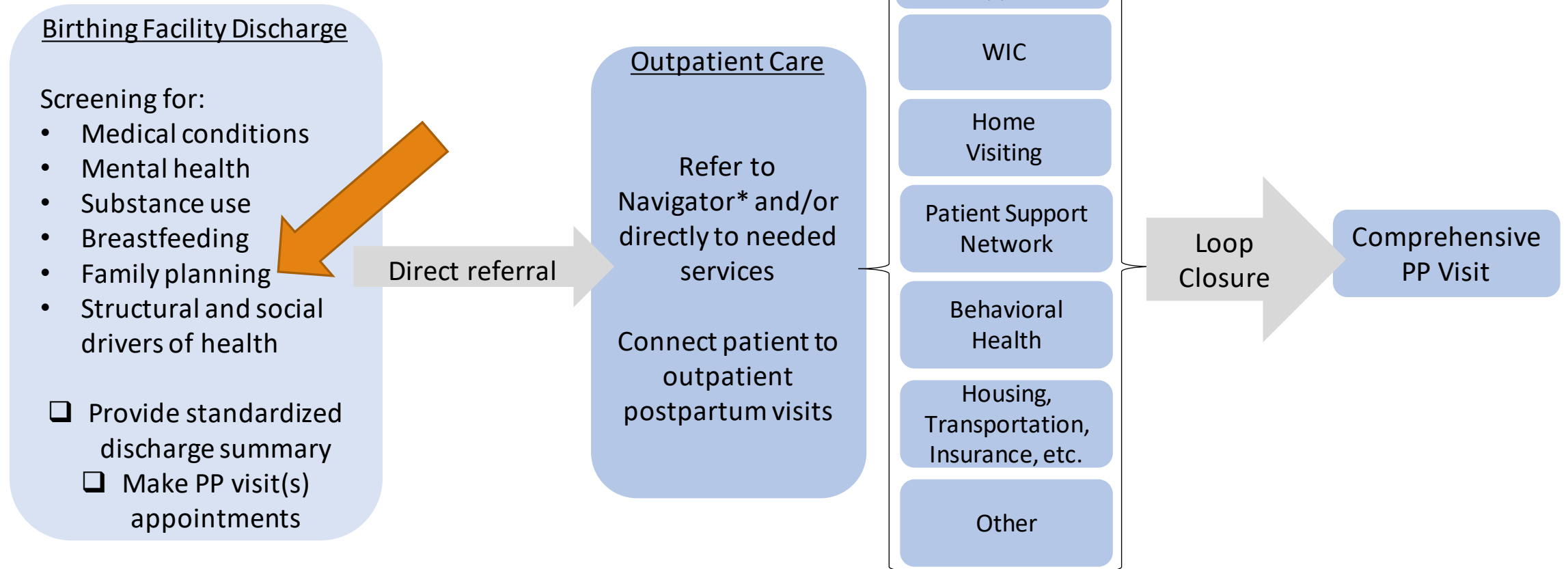
FEATURED Presentation

FTI: *Family Planning Immediately Postpartum*

Recognition & Prevention — Every Patient

Recognition Element	Key Points
Reproductive Life Planning	Considerations may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Using shared medical decision-making• Congruence with patient's goals and values• Contraceptive options• Birth spacing and pregnancy intention• Chest or breastfeeding• Other health and parenting choices as prioritized by the postpartum patient

The NEW Postpartum Model



Why immediate postpartum LARC?

Up to 40 –60% of women do not return for a postpartum visit due to:

- Childcare obligations
- Unable to get off work
- Unstable housing
- Lack of transportation
- Communication or language barrier
- Lack of insurance coverage or potential expiration of Medicaid eligibility.

40–57% of women report having unprotected intercourse before the routine 6–week postpartum visit

Featured Speaker

Dr. Cara Busenhart, CNM, PhD, FACNM
Family Planning immediately after a delivery



FTI Goal:















Screening question prior to discharge for ALL Postpartum patients:

“Do you plan to become pregnant again in the next year?”

OR

“What are your plans for pregnancy or contraception?”

Handouts should also be available on your unit

	Method		How to make your method most effective
More effective Less than 1 pregnancy per 100 women in 1 year Category 1			After procedure, little or nothing to do or remember Vasectomy: Use another method for first 3 months
	Implant	Vasectomy	
			
	Tubal occlusion	IUD	
1-7 pregnancies per 100 women in 1 year Category 2			Injectable: Get repeat injections on time Pills: Take a pill each day Patch, ring: Keep in place, change on time
	Injectable	Pill	
			FABMs: abstain or use a backup contraceptive method on fertile days Fertility awareness-based methods Note: Multiple FABMs exist. As a group they span categories 2 and 3.
	Patch	Ring	
			
	Male condom	Diaphragm	
			Spermicide Use correctly every time you have sex
	Vaginal pH regulators	Cervical cap	
Less effective More than 8 pregnancies per 100 women in one year Category 3			
	Sponge	Female condom	
No method 85 pregnancies per 100 women in one year	No method		















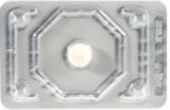


Resources & websites should also be readily available and in Discharge literature

Example: Bedsider.org

https://www.bedsider.org/birth-control

Explore birth control options

Filter by: Most effective Party ready STI prevention Hormone Free Easy to hide Do Me Now

 IUD	 Implant (Nexplanon)	 Birth control shot	 Birth control patch	 Birth control pill	 Sterilization
 "Not right now"	 Condom	 Birth control ring	 Diaphragm	 Birth control sponge	 Internal condom
 Spermicide	 Cervical cap	 Emergency contraception	 Withdrawal	 Fertility awareness	

[compare methods](#)

Family Planning: LARC inpatient codes

KMAP GENERAL BULLETIN 22311

Long-Acting Reversible Contraceptive Billing Allowance – Post Partum

Effective with dates of service on and after January 1, 2023, long-acting reversible contraceptives (LARCs), both IUDs and implants, are no longer included in the Diagnosis Related Group (DRG) rate. A hospital will bill the Medicaid fiscal agent or the Managed Care Organization (MCO) and be reimbursed on a fee-for-service basis. The LARC must be billed separately than the inpatient claim on a UB04 Form with type of bill 131 or 851 using the acute hospital National Provider Identifier (NPI). The professional provider or surgeon will bill on a CMS 1500 Form utilizing procedure code 58300 or procedure code 11981.

Currently active J-codes for LARCs are as follows:

J7296	J7297	J7298	J7300	J7301	J7307
-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------

An exception to the inpatient/outpatient claims edits for same day billing will be allowed for the LARC procedure code.

Note: The effective date of the policy is January 1, 2023. The implementation of State policy by the KanCare managed care organizations (MCOs) may vary from the date noted in the Kansas Medical Assistance Program (KMAP) bulletins. The **KanCare Open Claims Resolution Log** on the KMAP [Bulletins](#) page documents the MCO system status for policy implementation and any associated reprocessing completion dates once the policy is implemented.



Dr. Cara Busenhart is a Clinical Associate Professor and the Program Director for Midwifery Education at the University of Kansas School of Nursing. While she has provided care to women across the lifespan in private practice, at an academic health center, and in safety net clinics, Cara has focused much of the last decade (or more) to developing the next generation of health care providers—through educational program administration, teaching, and now as a HRSA-funded project director on multiple grants to improve maternal-child health in rural and urban underserved communities. Cara is also the Past Chair of the KPQC. For fun, Cara hosts a podcast with her best friend and colleague, Dr. Missi Stec—it is The EngagED Midwife podcast and is available on most podcast apps.

FAMILY PLANNING AND REPRODUCTIVE LIFE PLANNING

The background features a series of overlapping, semi-transparent shapes. On the right side, there is a vertical stack of five teal-colored ovals. To the right of these ovals and extending towards the bottom right corner are several larger, overlapping shapes in a reddish-brown color, some of which resemble stylized petals or leaves.

Cara A. Busenhardt, PhD, APRN, CNM, FACNM
Past Chair, Kansas Perinatal Quality Collaborative



AGENDA

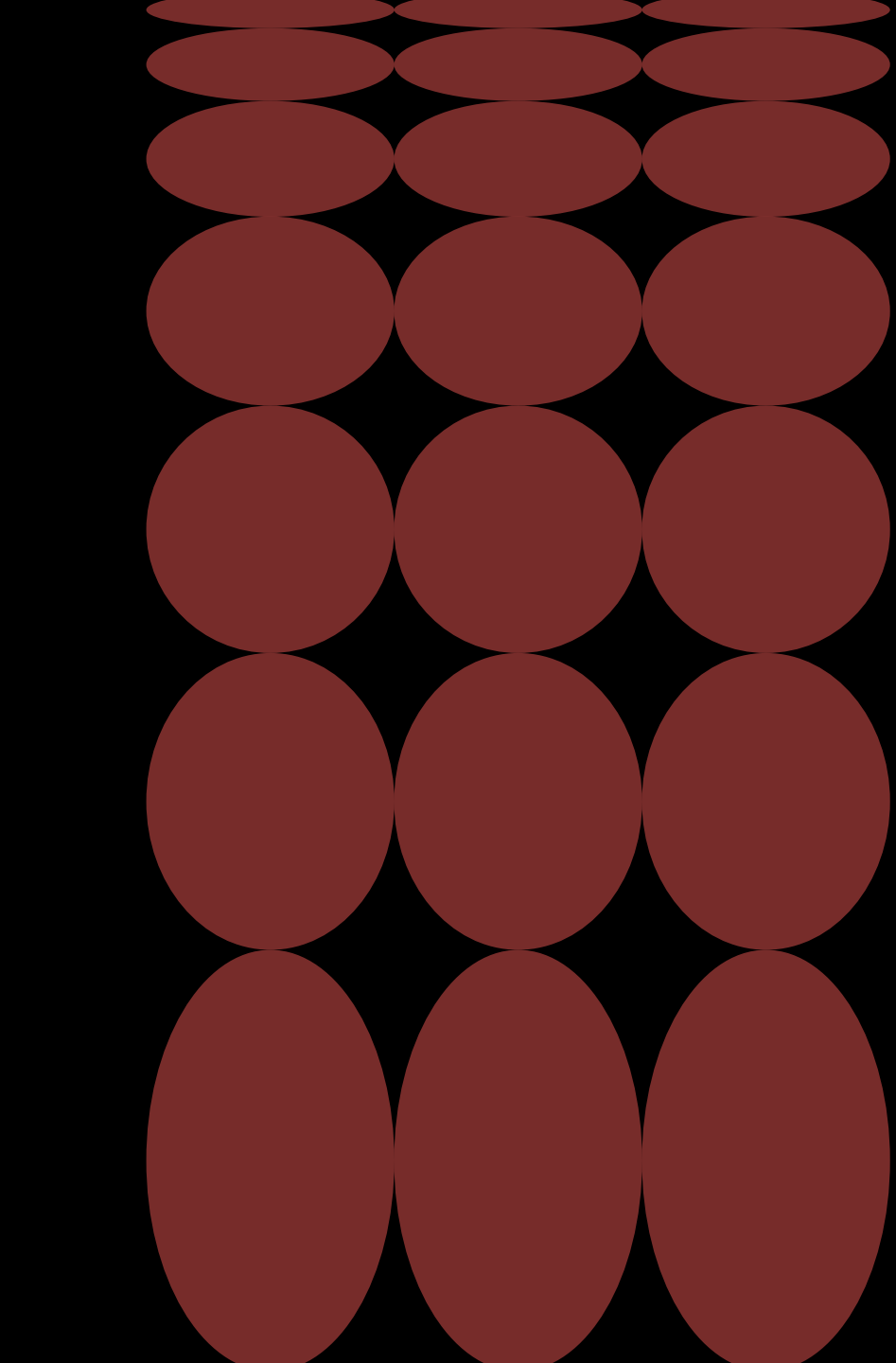
FAMILY PLANNING & REPRODUCTIVE LIFE PLAN

PATIENT-CENTERED COUNSELING

CONTRACEPTIVE OPTIONS

RESOURCES





WHAT DOES IT
MEAN TO PLAN
YOUR FAMILY AND
REPRODUCTIVE
LIFE?

EMPOWERMENT AND ENGAGEMENT IN CARE

FAMILY PLANNING

Dictionary

Definitions from [Oxford Languages](#) · [Learn more](#)



fam·i·ly plan·ning

/,fam(ə)lē 'planiNG/

noun


the practice of controlling the number of children in a family and the intervals between their births, particularly by means of artificial contraception or voluntary sterilization.

"family-planning clinics"

REPRODUCTIVE LIFE PLAN

AI Overview

Learn more 

A reproductive life plan (RLP) is a set of personal goals and a plan for achieving them regarding whether and when to have children. RLPs are based on an individual's values, resources, and current life circumstances. They can help people make one of the most important decisions of their lives, and can also help reduce unintended pregnancies. 

ONE KEY QUESTION

Preconception Counseling

Contraceptive Counseling

Recommend Early Entry to Prenatal Care

Medication Review for Safety in Pregnancy

Offer Preconception and Contraceptive Care

Make a Plan for Follow-Up

Medication Review for Safety in Pregnancy

Offer Pre-conception and Contraceptive Care

Make a Plan for Follow-Up

Assess for Current Contraceptive Use and Satisfaction

Initiate New Method or Continue Current Contraceptive Method

Review Safe Sex Practices

Make a Plan for Follow-Up

Yes

I'd be okay with it

I'm unsure

No

Would you like to become pregnant in the next year?

Reproductive Health & Wellness Program

Reproductive Life Plan



ONE KEY QUESTION...

Do plan to become pregnant within the next year?

PLANNING FOR A FAMILY

Do you have children now?

If yes, do you want more children?

Do you know about safe spacing (time between pregnancies)?

Are you now using a birth control?

YOUR HEALTH HISTORY

Things that may cause a problem if you want to become pregnant:

Do you smoke or use vapors?

Do you drink alcohol?

Do you use street drugs or prescription drugs for fun?

Do you take a multivitamin with folic acid every day?

Do you have more than one partner or many partners?

Do you have a primary care provider?

Do you see them for any conditions?

Do you eat too much or not eat enough?

Do you take any special medications every day?

HEALTH HISTORY FOR YOU, YOUR PARTNER AND YOUR FAMILY

It is important to know your health history before you become pregnant. Sometimes what your family or partner has can affect you, your family or unborn baby.

Are your vaccines up to date?

Do any of the following apply to you?

A baby born 4 weeks early or weighing less than 5 pounds

Have you had a baby that died before 1st birthday?

High blood pressure in pregnancy

Diabetes in pregnancy

A baby with a heart defect

Two or more miscarriages

Stillborn baby

Continued on reverse side...

Reproductive Life Plan, continued

EMOTIONAL HEALTH

Things that can cause a problem if you want to be a parent or have a healthy relationship:

Do you often feel sad?

Do you often feel overwhelmed?

Do you feel safe at home?

Does anyone force you to have sex when you don't want to?

LIFE GOALS

What is important to you?

Family

Good health

Education

Career or job

Healthy relationships

Eating healthy

Being more active

Having good preconception health and wellness

Making my own choices about my health

Having health insurance coverage

Practice safe sex (use a condom)

Having that crucial conversation about birth control

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

I want more information about...

Birth control methods

Stop smoking

Alcohol/drug abuse

Eating Healthy or losing weight

Being more active or exercising

Physical/emotional abuse

Depression or sadness

Sexually transmitted infections

Health insurance coverage



QUESTIONS?

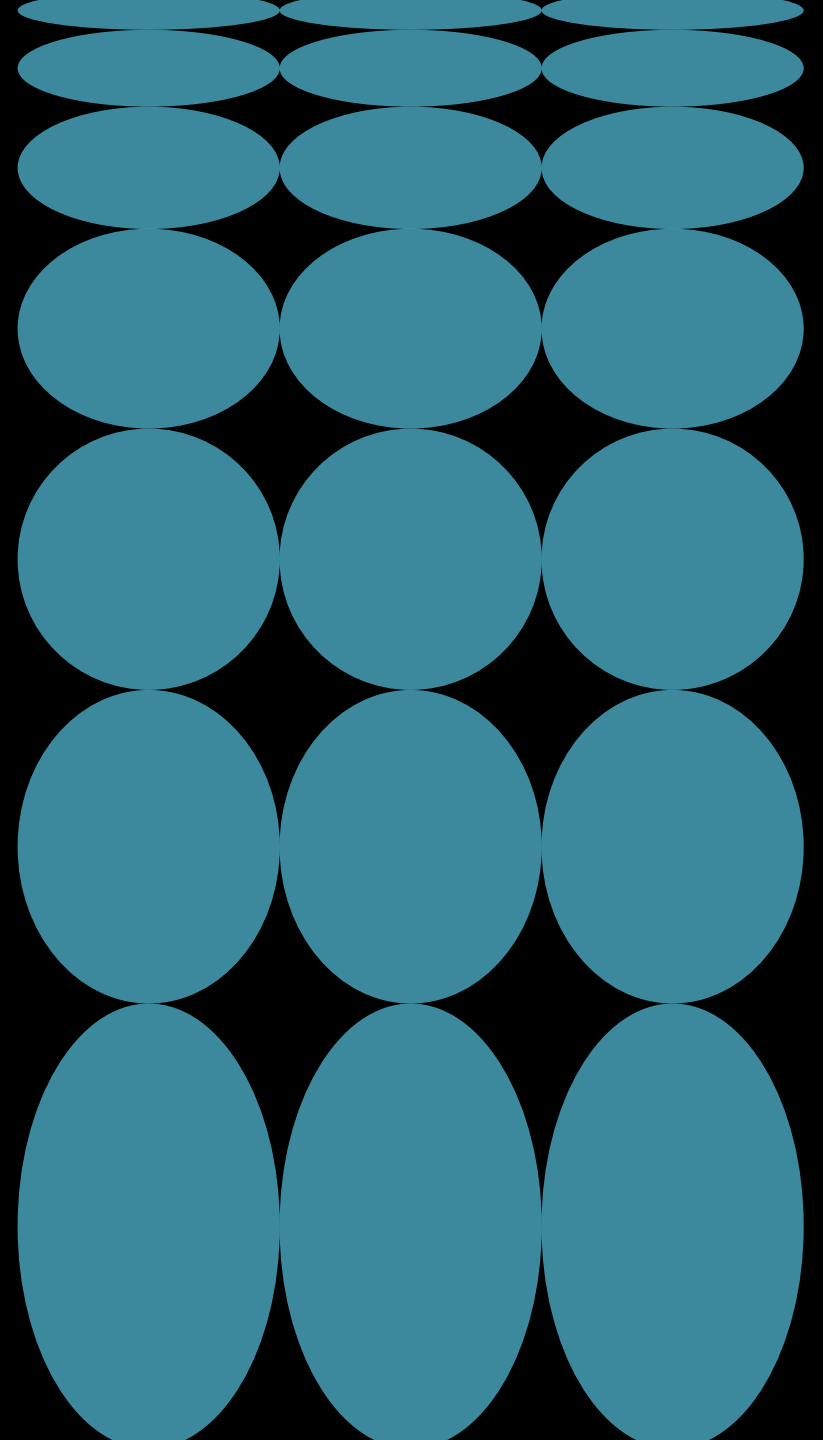
Contact the Women's Health &
Family Planning Center at
Columbus Public Health: 614-645-1850

WHEN SHOULD WE ADDRESS FAMILY PLANNING?

1. SEEKS CONTRACEPTIVE SERVICES
2. PRESENTS FOR STI/STD TESTING
3. PRESENTS FOR PREGNANCY TESTING
4. PRESENTS FOR WELL-PERSON CARE
5. **AFTER PREGNANCY LOSS OR TERMINATION**
6. **PRENATAL CARE: MID-PREGNANCY TO EARLY 3RD TRIMESTER**
7. **PRENATAL CARE: NEAR TERM**
8. **POSTPARTUM: PRIOR TO DISCHARGE FROM BIRTHING FACILITY**
9. **POSTPARTUM: OFFICE VISIT**

PATIENT- CENTERED COUNSELING

OFFERING AND EMPOWERING CHOICE



FOCUS ON THE PATIENT/CLIENT, NOT THE PROVIDER

Client-Centered Reproductive Goals & Counseling Flow Chart



The PATH questions are one client-centered approach to assess Parenthood/Pregnancy Attitude, Timing, and How important is pregnancy prevention. PATH can be used with clients of any gender, sexual orientation, or age. PATH is designed to facilitate listening and efficient client-centered conversations about preconception care, contraception, and fertility as appropriate.



QUESTION 1

Do you think you might like to have (more) children at some point?

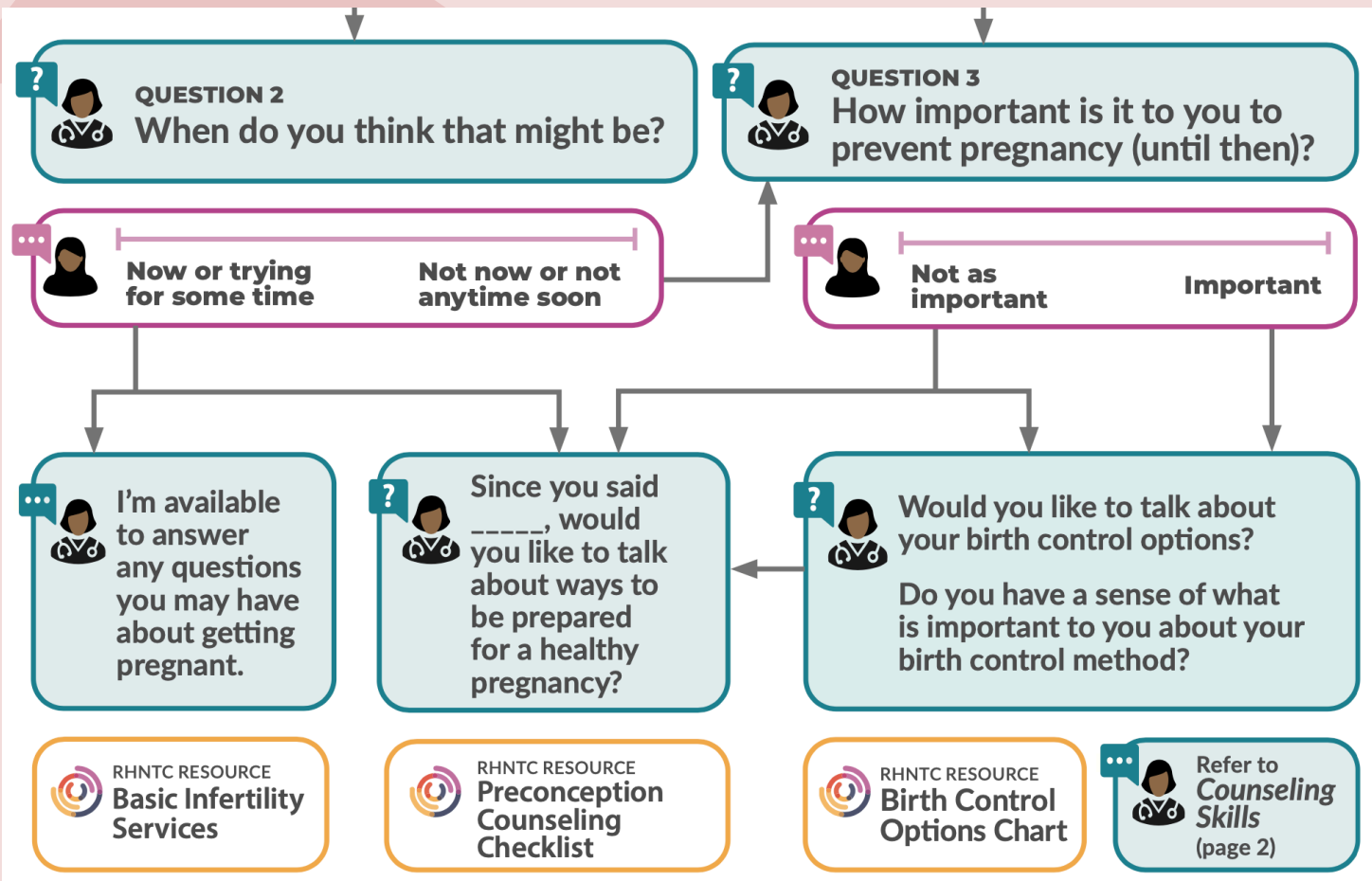


YES

NOT SURE

NO





- **WOULD YOU LIKE TO TALK ABOUT YOUR BIRTH CONTROL OPTIONS?**
- **DO YOU HAVE A SENSE OF WHAT IS IMPORTANT TO YOU ABOUT YOUR BIRTH CONTROL METHOD?**

DECISION AID

Reflect on: What is important to you about your contraception?

To help you select the method that is best for you right now, consider what you want and need from it. There are many attributes of the method that may matter to you. For example:

how easy it is to start and stop	how easy it is to use	how often you have to use it	where on your body it goes	is it safe to use postpartum
how it affects your period or cramps	how it affects acne	how it affects your weight	how well it prevents pregnancy	if your partner is involved in using it
does it treat symptoms of endometriosis	does it affect your risk of vaginal infections	privacy from partner, parent, roommate, etc.	how quickly you can get pregnant once stopped	how to store the method or supplies
does it contain hormones	does it prevent STIs	how much it costs	does it affect sexual pleasure	<i>many more...</i>

Postpartum Contraception (Birth Control) Guide

Key

No hormones

Progestin hormone

Progestin and estrogen hormones

How often to use/take/change

Can start using right after delivery

In-person visit to start

May be able to start during delivery stay before going home

Shot

12-14 weeks

Once stopped, fertility return may be delayed.

Arm Implant

3-5 years

Plastic rod placed just beneath skin.

Hormonal IUD

3-8 years

Can be emergency contraception.

Copper IUD

10-12 years

Can be emergency contraception.

Sterilization

once

Either partner can be sterilized.

Permanent

Prescription to start

May be able to fill prescription while pregnant

Progestin-Only Pills

daily

Good bridge to estrogen-containing methods.

Phexxi® Vaginal Gel

before sex

May act as a lubricant to help with dryness.

Ella® Emergency Contraception

after sex

Works best for BMI <35.

Plan your contraception before you deliver

It is possible to get pregnant 25 days after giving birth. It is helpful to talk to your provider about your contraception options during a prenatal visit and to leave the hospital after delivery with a contraception plan.

All methods are safe to use while breast/chestfeeding in terms of parent and infant health, initiation, milk quality and quantity.

Start on your own

Plan B® Emergency Contraception

after sex

Works best for BMI <26.

Pulling Out

during sex

Requires partner control.

Condoms
External or Internal

before sex

Can prevent sexually transmitted infections.

Spermicide

before sex

May act as a lubricant to help with dryness.

Breast/Chestfeeding as Contraception

4 hours

Must follow instructions perfectly:

- Must be exclusively nursing - no pumping, formula, or other beverages or food.
- Must nurse at least every 4 hours during the day and 6 hours at night.
- Must be within 6 months of delivery.
- Must not have had your period return.

Scan for

- This guide
- Information sheets on each method
- A general contraception guide



Must wait to start using until 6 weeks after delivery


Prescription to start

Diaphragm or Cervical Cap




Must refit at 6 weeks. Use with spermicide.

Combined Hormonal Pills



Estrogen can increase risk of blood clots before 6 weeks postpartum. Start after breast/chestfeeding is well established.

Patch



Vaginal Ring



Start on your own

Vaginal Sponge



Must wait for cervix to shrink at 6 weeks.

Notes

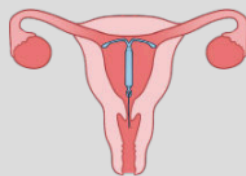
Fertility Awareness Methods

These methods should be used with caution because your postpartum cycles may be too irregular to be able to predict fertility.

Timing IUD Insertion

Some hospitals can provide an IUD immediately after you deliver in the hospital before you go home. You can also get an IUD at a future visit, like your 6 week postpartum visit.

- Both times are equally safe and effective at preventing pregnancy.
- It may be more convenient to get an IUD during delivery so you have one less thing to think about when caring for a newborn and you may be able to avoid an additional visit to the clinic.
- It may be less painful to get an IUD inserted during the delivery stay, especially if you had an epidural. If you get an IUD later, you can ask for numbing to help with pain.
- With an IUD insertion there is a risk of expulsion, which is not harmful, but may be uncomfortable. Inserted during your delivery stay, the risk of IUD expulsion is 8-25%, depending on cesarean or vaginal delivery. Inserted in the clinic, the risk of IUD expulsion is 2-5%.



On average* out of 100 people, this many will get pregnant in a year using this method

No contraception (average fertility)	85	
Cervical cap (with spermicide)	29	
Vaginal sponge	27	
Spermicide	21	
Internal condom	21	
Pulling out	20	
Diaphragm (with spermicide)	17	
Phexxi® gel	14	
External condom	13	
Progestin-only pills	7	
Combined pills	7	
Patch	7	
Vaginal ring	7	
Shot	4	
Breast/chestfeeding	2	
Sterilization	1	
Copper IUD	0.8	
Hormonal IUD	0.2	
Arm implant	0.1	

*Some methods are harder to use than others. 'Average' or 'typical use' pregnancy rates consider the chances of user error.

US MEDICAL ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

BOX K1. Categories for Classifying Hormonal Contraceptives and IUDs

- 1 = A condition for which there is no restriction for the use of the contraceptive method.
 2 = A condition for which the advantages of using the method generally outweigh the theoretical or proven risks.
 3 = A condition for which the theoretical or proven risks usually outweigh the advantages of using the method.
 4 = A condition that represents an unacceptable health risk if the contraceptive method is used.

	Function						
Postabortion	a) First trimester	1*	1*	1*	1*	1*	1*
	b) Second trimester	2*	2*	1*	1*	1*	1*
	c) Immediate postseptic abortion	4	4	1*	1*	1*	1*
Postpartum (nonbreastfeeding women)	a) <21 days			1	1	1	4
	b) 21 days to 42 days						
	i) With other risk factors for VTE			1	1	1	3*
	ii) Without other risk factors for VTE			1	1	1	2
	c) >42 days			1	1	1	1
Postpartum (in breastfeeding or non-breastfeeding women, including cesarean delivery)	a) <10 minutes after delivery of the placenta						
	i) Breastfeeding	1*	2*				
	ii) Nonbreastfeeding	1*	1*				
	b) 10 minutes after delivery of the placenta to <4 weeks	2*	2*				
	c) ≥4 weeks	1*	1*				

Condition	Cu-IUD	LNG-IUD	Implants	DMPA	POP	CHCs
Personal Characteristics And Reproductive History						
Pregnancy	4*	4*	NA*	NA*	NA*	NA*
Age	Menarche to <20 years: 2	Menarche to <20 years: 2	Menarche to <18 years: 1	Menarche to <18 years: 2	Menarche to <18 years: 1	Menarche to <40 years: 1
	≥20 years: 1	≥20 years: 1	18–45 years: 1	18–45 years: 1	18–45 years: 1	≥40 years: 2
			>45 years: 1	>45 years: 2	>45 years: 1	
Parity						
a. Nulliparous	2	2	1	1	1	1
b. Parous	1	1	1	1	1	1
Breastfeeding						
a. <21 days postpartum			2*	2*	2*	4*
b. 21 to <30 days postpartum						
i. With other risk factors for VTE (e.g., age ≥35 years, previous VTE)			2*	2*	2*	3*

Condition	Cu-IUD	LNG-IUD	Implants	DMPA	POP	CHCs
d. >42 days postpartum			1*	1*	1*	2*
Postpartum (nonbreastfeeding women)						
a. <21 days postpartum			1	1	1	4
b. 21–42 days postpartum						
i. With other risk			1	1	1	3*
Postpartum (including cesarean delivery)						
a. <10 minutes after delivery of the placenta						
i. Breastfeeding	1*	2*				
ii. Nonbreastfeeding	1*	1*				
b. 10 minutes after delivery of the placenta to <4 weeks (breastfeeding or nonbreastfeeding)	2*	2*				
c. ≥4 weeks (breastfeeding or nonbreastfeeding)	1*	1*				
d. Postpartum sepsis	4	4				
Postabortion						
a. First trimester	1*	1*	1*	1*	1*	1*
b. Second trimester	2*	2*	1*	1*	1*	1*
c. Immediate postseptic abortion	4	4	1*	1*	1*	1*



OPTIONS

PERMANENT, LONG-ACTING, NON-
HORMONAL, ETC.

[HTTPS://PICCK.ORG/RESOURCE/CONTRACEPTION-GUIDE-CONTRACEPTION- INFORMATION-SHEETS-AND-POSTPARTUM-CONTRACEPTION-GUIDE/](https://picck.org/resource/contraception-guide-contraception-information-sheets-and-postpartum-contraception-guide/)

Method Information Sheets

- English Set
 - Breast/Chestfeeding as Contraception Information Sheet
 - Combined Pills Information Sheet
 - Condoms Information Sheet
 - Copper IUD Information Sheet
 - Diaphragm and Cervical Cap Information Sheet
 - Emergency Contraception Information Sheet
 - Fertility Awareness Methods Information Sheet
 - Hormonal IUD Information Sheet
 - Implant Information Sheet
 - Patch Information Sheet
 - Phexxi Information Sheet
 - Progestin Pills Information Sheet
 - Pulling Out Information Sheet
 - Ring Information Sheet
 - Shot Information Sheet
 - Spermicide, including Sponge Information Sheet
 - Sterilization Information Sheet
- Spanish Set
 - Breast/Chestfeeding as Contraception Information Sheet
 - Combine Pills Information Sheet
 - Condoms Information Sheet

- METHOD SHEETS AVAILABLE IN:
 - ENGLISH
 - SPANISH
 - CHINESE
 - PORTUGUESE
 - HAITIAN CREOLE
 - VIETNAMESE
 - ARABIC

PERMANENT METHODS



STERILIZATION

Vasectomy

Bilateral tubal
ligation or
salpingectomy

TUBAL PROCEDURES

NEARLY HALF OF ALL STERILIZATION PROCEDURES PERFORMED IN THE US ARE IN THE IMMEDIATE POSTPARTUM PERIOD; OTHERWISE—INTERVAL PROCEDURES ARE DONE AT ANY OTHER TIME

STERILIZATION IS PERFORMED LAPAROSCOPICALLY OR THROUGH A MINI-LAPAROTOMY--
OCCLUDING THE TUBES WITH CLIPS, BANDS, OR ELECTROCAUTERY

WHILE POSTPARTUM STERILIZATION WAS TYPICALLY ACCOMPLISHED VIA PARTIAL SALPINGECTOMY
THROUGH A MINI-LAPAROTOMY

45

COMPLETE **BILATERAL SALPINGECTOMY HAS BECOME THE STERILIZATION PROCEDURE OF CHOICE**
DURING INTERVAL AND POSTPARTUM PROCEDURES BECAUSE IT DECREASES THE RISK OF EPITHELIAL
OVARIAN CANCER AND POST-STERILIZATION CONTRACEPTIVE FAILURE COMPARED WITH
TRADITIONAL STERILIZATION TECHNIQUES WITHOUT INCREASING SURGICAL RISK

LONG-ACTING REVERSIBLE METHODS



HIGHLY EFFECTIVE AND REVERSIBLE—THE USER CAN CHANGE THEIR MIND AT ANY TIME AFTER INSERTION



Intrauterine device/system



Implantable rod

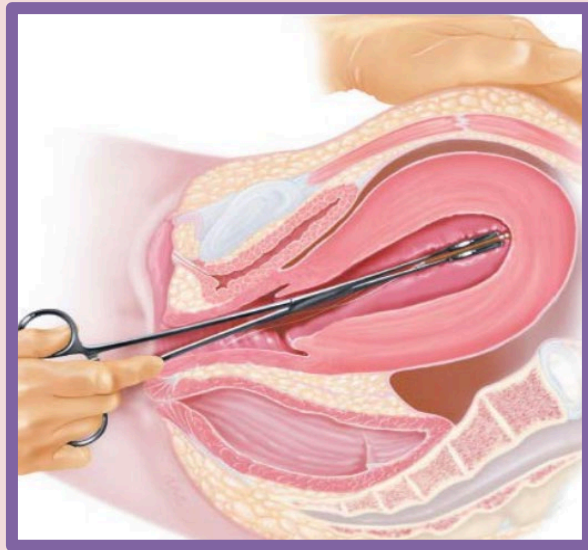


Injectable hormone

INTRAUTERINE DEVICES/SYSTEMS

IUD comparison					
Brand name	Paragard	Liletta	Mirena	Kyleena	Skyla
Years effective	12	8	8	5	3
Can it be used as EC?	✓	✓	✓	✗	✗
Total LNG dose (mg)	--	52	52	19.5	13.5
Daily LNG dose (mcg/day)	--	20	20	17.5	14
Size (mm)	32 x 36	32 x 32	32 x 32	28 x 30	28 x 30
String color	White	Blue	Brown	Blue	Brown
Silver ring?	✗	✗	✗	✓	✓

POSTPARTUM IUD/IUS



Post-placental: within 15
minutes



Interval: 6-12 weeks

RESOURCES: SAMPLE PROTOCOLS, DOCUMENTATION TEMPLATES





POSTPARTUM NEXPLANON™

MAY BE INSERTED AT ANY TIME, INCLUDING
IMMEDIATELY POSTPARTUM

IF DONE BEFORE DISCHARGE, IS TYPICALLY DONE ON
DAY 1 OR 2 POSTPARTUM

IF INSERTED WITHIN 21 DAYS OF BIRTH, NO NEED FOR
BACKUP METHOD



POSTPARTUM DEPO PROVERA™

MAY BE GIVEN WITHIN 5 DAYS OF BIRTH IF NOT
BREASTFEEDING

MAY BE GIVEN AT 6 WEEKS POSTPARTUM IF
BREASTFEEDING (CDC AND FDA)

NON-HORMONAL METHODS



Natural family planning

- Lactational Amenorrhea
- Standard Days

Barrier methods

- Male condoms (external)
- Female condoms (internal)

Spermicides

- Nonoxonyl-9
- Phexxi™

TRADITIONAL HORMONAL METHODS



PROGESTIN-ONLY OR COMBINATION OF ESTROGEN AND PROGESTIN



Pills



Patch



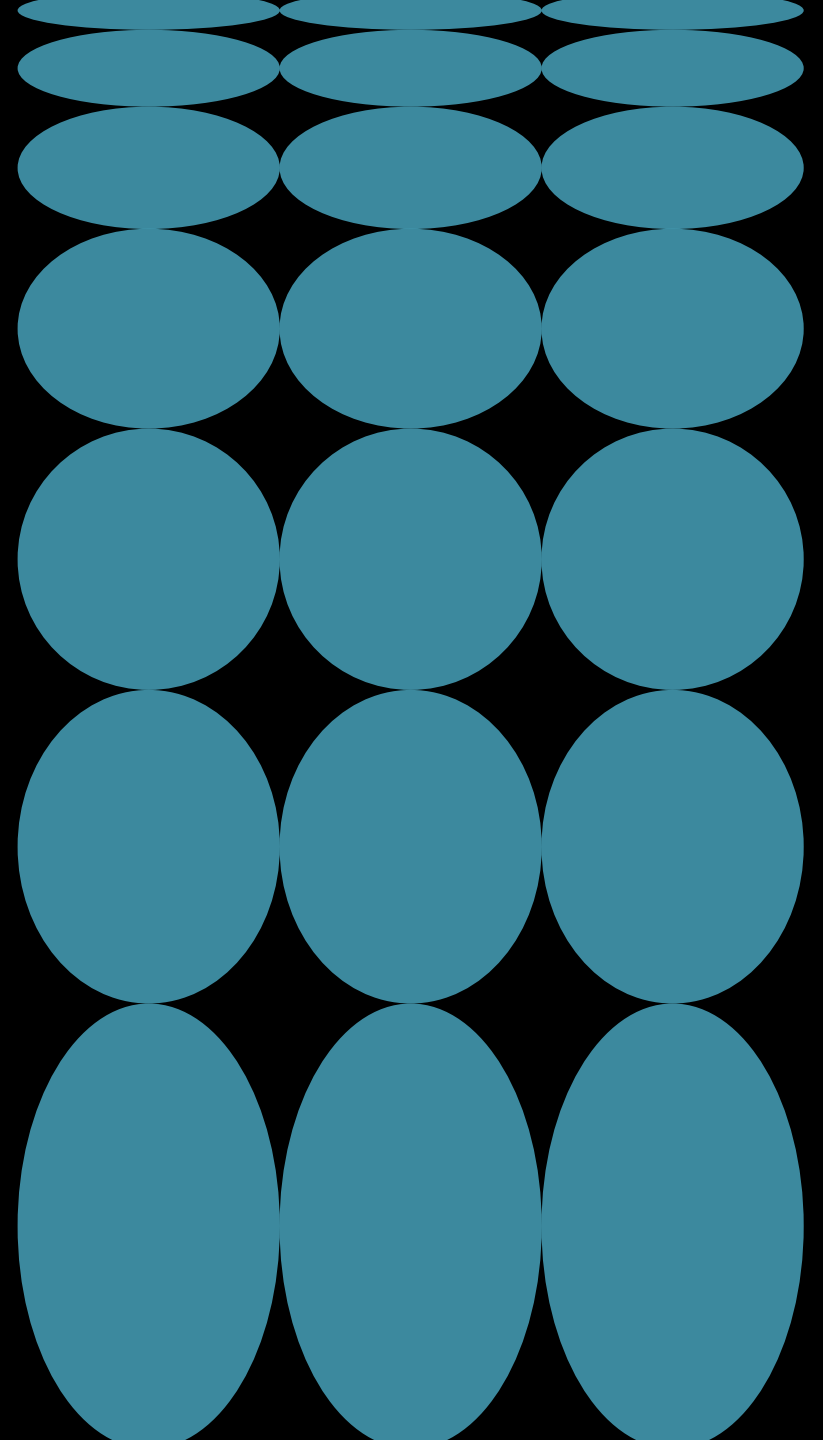
Ring



IN GENERAL, OKAY TO BEGIN THESE METHODS AT 6
WEEKS POSTPARTUM (BREASTFEEDING AND NOT
BREASTFEEDING)

**CONCERN FOR CLOTTING (PE AND/OR DVT DUE
TO HORMONE LEVELS DURING PREGNANCY AND IN
THE IMMEDIATE POSTPARTUM)

RESOURCES





[HTTPS://PICCK.ORG/](https://picck.org/) (NO LONGER UPDATED SINCE 2023, BUT
MAY USE AS APPROPRIATE)

[HTTPS://WWW.BEDSIDER.ORG/](https://www.bedsider.org/) (EXCELLENT PATIENT RESOURCE,
REMINDERS, AND COMPARISONS)

[HTTPS://PCAINITIATIVE.ACOG.ORG/RESOURCE-LIBRARY/ACOG-
RESOURCES/](https://pcainitiative.acog.org/resource-library/acog-resources/) (POSTPARTUM CONTRACEPTIVE ACCESS INITIATIVE;
ACOG GUIDANCE AND PROVIDER RESOURCES)

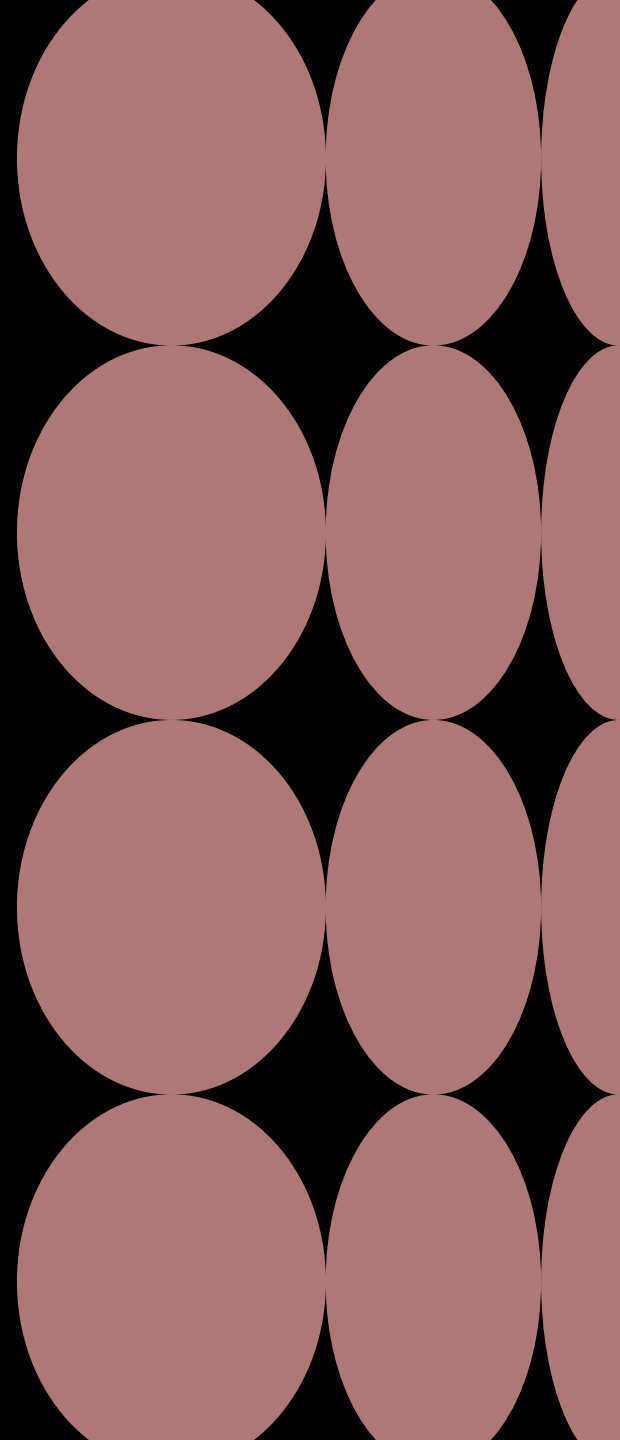
[HTTPS://WWW.REPRODUCTIVEACCESS.ORG/CONTRACEPTION/](https://www.reproductiveaccess.org/contraception/)
(EXCELLENT PATIENT TEACHING AIDS)



THANK
YOU

CARA BUSENHART

CBUSENHART@KUMC.EDU



NO July Learning Forum!

Learning Forum

Dr. Cara Busenhart, CNM, FACNM

Family Planning immediately after a delivery

