Oklahoma Spotlight on Excellence in Perinatal Care

The Oklahoma Perinatal Quality Improvement Collaborative (OPQIC) seeks to reward hospitals that are creating a culture of excellence in perinatal care for Oklahoma mothers and newborns. Oklahoma birthing hospitals meeting certain criteria will be recognized as “Spotlight Hospitals” at the 3rd annual OPQIC summit on September 16, 2016. The criteria will be based on participation in and outcomes of quality improvement initiatives that are available to all birthing hospitals. They will change on a yearly basis as focus areas for improvements evolve. As activities progress, criteria will become more stringent and will be based on process, structure and outcomes measures, if available. Spotlight Hospitals will be rewarded and recognized at the Summit and on the OPQIC website. Contact opqic@ouhsc.org with questions.

2016 Spotlight Hospital Criteria

Criteria will be evaluated as of August 31, 2016.

- Hospital Compare
  1) PC-01 rate on Hospital Compare at or below the National Average

- Every Mother Counts/Alliance for Innovation in Maternal Health (AIM)
  1) Current Q2 2016 data complete (AIM Data Portal)
  2) Hemorrhage and Hypertension protocol in place (AIM Data Portal)
  3) QBL rate of at least 50% for birth or timely treatment of at least 50% of women presenting with severe hypertension (AIM Data Portal)

- Baby Friendly designation or in Development Stage in the Becoming Baby-Friendly in Oklahoma (BBFOK) project. Contact Rebecca-mannel@ouhsc.edu or Ingrid-dixon@ouhsc.edu for more information.

- Full participation in OSDH sleep sack program
  (1) Hospital agreement for initiative signed by both hospital representative and OSDH MCH Director submitted to OSDH.
  (2) Receiving sleep sacks from OSDH.
  (3) Educate current and new staff, parents and families as outlined in the agreement.
  (4) Model infant safe sleep practices and environments throughout hospital.

- Full participation in Period of PURPLE® Crying program
  (1) Hospital agreement for initiative signed by both hospital representative and OSDH MCH Director submitted to OSDH.
  (2) Maintain the fidelity of the program as outlined in the OSDH agreement
  (3) Educate parents of all newborns using the DVDs and examples provided by NCSBS program
  (4) Educate current staff and new staff using the NCSBS online training web site