

Florida Perinatal Quality Collaborative

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Partnering to Improve Health Care Quality
for Mothers and Babies

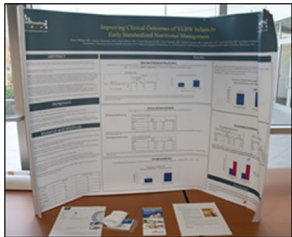
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FPQC UPDATES

Infant Health

- FPQC Third Annual Neonatal-Focused Meeting**



Our September 2013 meeting for Florida's Level III and Level II NICUs allowed for quality improvement cross-learning among centers statewide.

- Neonatal Catheter Associated Blood Stream Infections (NCABSI) Initiative**

Learn more about lives and money saved in Florida over the course of the project with graph.

- The Golden Hour Part I: Delivery Room Management Initiative to Begin Collecting Prospective Data**

Two new hospitals have joined our neonatal QI initiative!

Maternal Health

- Kick-Off Meeting for our Obstetric Hemorrhage Initiative**



With 35 hospitals participating and over 100 practitioners attending, our October 2013 launch meeting for OHI was a tremendous success!

- Early Elective Delivery (EED)**

Our EED initiative continues to make substantial progress through new partnerships, materials and events.

THIRD ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2014

SAVE THE DATE

Dates:

Thursday and Friday
April 3 - 4, 2014

Location:

Tampa Wyndham Westshore Hotel
Tampa, FL

Confirmed Speakers:

Elliott Main, MD

Medical Director

California Maternal Quality Care Collaborative

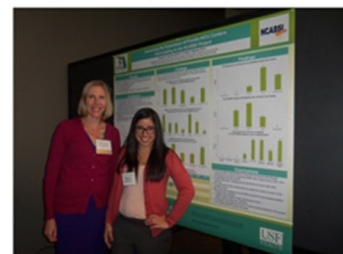
Reese Clark, MD

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FPQC ANNUAL CONFERENCE POSTER SESSION

Start planning your poster now!



Information on call for poster abstracts to come in the new year.

For immediate questions, please contact Linda Detman
at ldetman@health.usf.edu.

The Florida Perinatal Quality Collaborative has enhanced its website!

For the latest information on our current initiatives as well as new resources and more:

Please visit us at <http://health.usf.edu/publichealth/chilescenter/fpqc>.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- [ACOG Redefines “Full Term” Pregnancy](#)

A November 2013 Committee Opinion recommended the use of “full term” to designate pregnancies 39 0/7 weeks through 40 6/7 weeks gestation.

- [Case Study of South Carolina’s Birth Outcomes Initiative](#)

“Using Education, Collaboration and Payment Reform to Reduce Early Elective Deliveries” from Catalyst for Payment Reform in collaboration with the Milbank Memorial Fund

- [Florida Department of Health: Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Facts October 2013](#)

- [Florida Department of Health: Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Hospital Letter](#)

- [March of Dimes 2013 Premature Births: Florida Report Card](#)

- [March of Dimes 2013 Premature Births: National Report Card](#)

STATE PERINATAL QUALITY COLLABORATIVES

Spotlight: [Perinatal Quality Collaborative of North Carolina](#)



Click [here](#) to learn more about the Perinatal Quality Collaborative of North Carolina.

- [Ohio Perinatal Quality Collaborative](#)

- [Tennessee Initiative for Perinatal Quality Care](#)

- [West Virginia Perinatal Partnership](#)

The 8th International Conference January 16 - 18, 2014



BRAIN MONITORING NEUROPROTECTION IN THE NEWBORN

Clearwater Beach, Florida

Click [here](#) for Conference brochure.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Dec. 8-10, 2013: [Hot Topics in Neonatology](#) (Washington, DC)
- Jan. 11-17, 2014: [NeoPREP: An Intensive Review and Update of Neonatal/Perinatal Medicine](#) (San Diego, CA)
- Feb. 5-8, 2014: [The 27th Annual Gravens Conference on the Physical and Developmental Environment of the High-Risk Infant, in collaboration with the March of Dimes](#) (Clearwater Beach, FL)
- Feb 12-15, 2014: [18th Annual Winter Conference on Clinical Issues in OB/GYN](#) (Kamuela, HI)
- Feb. 20-23, 2014: [NEO: The Conference for Neonatology](#) (Orlando, FL)
- Apr. 26-30, 2014: [62nd Annual Clinical Meeting of ACOG](#) (Chicago, IL)