2020 TOP PQI HIGHLIGHTS
CELEBRATE WITH US AS WE REVISIT SOME MAJOR MILESTONES THIS YEAR

E-LEARNING MODULES
Engaged over 600 learners with the release of the Intermittent Auscultation Simulation-Based Education on-demand, e-learning module.

SPEAK UP PROGRAM
In September, we launched the on-demand SPEAK UP Program e-learning CNE modules engaging over 300 learners.

VIRTUAL CONFERENCES
Converted PQI SPEAK UP Champions’ conferences to live virtual events (Fall 2020).
- Georgia Department of Public Health and the Georgia Perinatal Quality Collaborative
- Washington Hospital Association and the Washington State Department of Health.
Over 200 individuals participated in the live virtual trainings. Other states with SPEAK UP Champions include NJ, MA, and RI, for a combined total of over 400.

FOCUSBING ON PREGNANCY
PQI developed several simple and engaging graphics that support PQI’s efforts to eliminate perinatal inequities by 2035.
- Maze of Life
- Equality Compared to Equity
- Perinatal Disparities
- Socio-Ecological Framework Ishikawa Diagram
- SPEAK UP acronym and mnemonic descriptions (UPDATED)
- SPEAK UP Against Racism
- Action Pathway for Perinatal Professionals and Organizations

SUPPORTED STATE AND NATIONAL QUALITY IMPROVEMENT EFFORTS:
Supported perinatal teams during COVID-19
- Sharing of critical information through PQI Profiles
- Presented at a Massachusetts’s Perinatal and Neonatal Quality Improvement Network town hall session
- Presented a webinar for MDMOMS, the Maryland Perinatal Quality collaborative

Spoke at state and national events on how to eliminate perinatal disparities:
- AWHONN’s National Convention Leadership Summit (October 2020)
- Arkansas POWER Meeting (November 2020)
- Mass-AWHONN state-wide webinar (December 2020)

Member of the First Lady of New Jersey’s NurtureNJ Team to create a statewide strategic plan.

Engaged over 200 participants for PQI Champions Webinars featuring Joyce Edmonds, Ph.D., M.P.H., RN, Associate Professor at the Connell School of Nursing presenting Using Nurse-Level Cesarean Rates for QI and Dr. Mary S. Applegate, MD, FAAP, FACP, Medical Director for the Ohio Department of Medicaid, sharing data methods and tools used by Ohio Medicaid to support their efforts to reduce preterm birth rates.

IN THE PRESS
Dr. Debra Bingham, PQI founder, joined Katie Couric’s Next Question podcast in May to discuss the maternal mortality crisis.

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