



Partnership for
Maternal &
Child Health
OF NORTHERN NEW JERSEY

*We're committed to improving the health of women,
children, and families in northern New Jersey.*

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The Maternal Health & Perinatal Safety Symposium Returns!

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THURSDAY, MARCH 16
8:00 AM - 3:00 PM

*Bergen County Community College
Lyndhurst Conference Center*

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The Symposium is back! Join the Partnership for this innovative conference **in-person** on **March 16** at the Bergen County Community College Lyndhurst Conference Center.

We have an exciting line-up of speakers and topics, including tools for providers to improve health equity and reduce racial disparities, diversifying the healthcare workforce, self-care for healthcare professionals, technology and the future of perinatal care, perinatal care and the LGBTQ+ community, and highlighting evidence-based practices to reduce maternal mortality and morbidity.

For sponsorship opportunities, contact Monica Smith, Chief Development & Communications Officer, at msmith@pmch.org or 973-268-2280.

Register by February 28 for the Early Bird Discount!

[Register & Learn More](#)

Honoring Maternal Health Awareness Week



Upcoming Facebook Live Events

- Amplifying Community Voices **23** January
- Clinicians Share Their Expertise **24** January
- Supporting Your Partner/Loved One **25** January
- Coping with Grief and Loss **26** January
- Community Perspectives **27** January

Daily at 12:00 PM*
*2:00 pm on Tues. 1/24
[Facebook.com/PartnershipMCH](https://www.facebook.com/PartnershipMCH)

The graphic features a central image of a woman holding a baby, with a list of five Facebook Live events on the left. The events are: Amplifying Community Voices (23 January), Clinicians Share Their Expertise (24 January), Supporting Your Partner/Loved One (25 January), Coping with Grief and Loss (26 January), and Community Perspectives (27 January). Below the list, it states 'Daily at 12:00 PM*' and '*2:00 pm on Tues. 1/24'. At the bottom, it provides the Facebook link 'Facebook.com/PartnershipMCH'.

Presented by GNHCC's Women's Reproductive Health Clinical Advisory Group

Mark your calendars for
[#maternalhealthawarenessweek2023!](#)

We're partnering with the **Greater Newark Health Care Coalition's Women's Reproductive Health Clinical Advisory Group** to present a series of Facebook live events that amplify information and resources to save lives featuring healthcare experts, community organizations, and advocates.

Additionally, the Partnership staff will join community events in Paterson, Newark, and other community locations.

Tune in to our [Facebook](#) page and learn more about the warning signs of pregnancy complications at www.newarkmom.org.

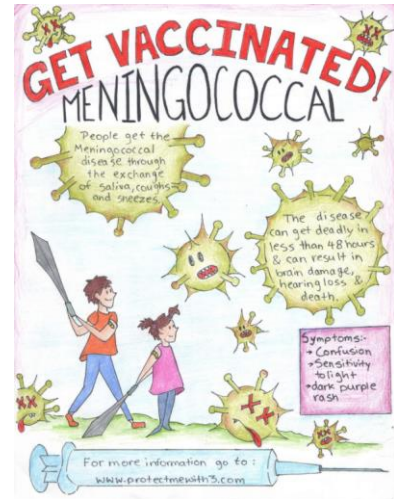
Enter the Protect Me With 3+ Contest

Time is running out! The deadline for our annual poster and video contest has been extended to February 3, 2023!

Protect Me With 3+ is a great opportunity for students to showcase their creative talents and increase awareness of the importance of vaccines. The top three posters and videos from middle school and high school students will win awesome prizes and will be showcased at statewide immunization awareness events!

The top five finalists for each category will also be posted on our website during voting.

[Learn more here!](#)



Upcoming Professional Events



Etiology and Management of Cervical Cancer

Monday, January 30, 2023, 10:00 - 11:00 AM

This webinar will discuss the causes of cervical cancer, disease symptoms and progression, screening guidelines for pap smears, and HPV testing. This program will also discuss cervical cancer prevention tools, the HPV vaccine, and vaccination recommendations. Please see flyer for

information on registration at no cost.

[View event flyer](#)

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IN PERSON EVENT!

Cannabis on the Rise: Addressing use in pregnancy, breastfeeding, and early parenting

Thursday, April 20, 2023, 9:30 AM - 1:30 PM
The NJ Sharing Network
691 Central Ave, New Providence, NJ

Cannabis use has been increasing in New Jersey. It is important that nurses, physicians, social workers, lactation professionals, and all those who work with families understand how it can impact the human body and feel confident to educate families on its impact on the developing fetus and breastfeeding baby. Health professionals must also understand how and when to report perinatal substance use. This half-day conference will give attendees the information needed to address cannabis use in the perinatal period. Please see flyer for more information.

[View event flyer](#)

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Sleep-Related Infant Deaths: Updated AAP recommendations for reducing infant deaths in the sleep environment

On-Demand Webinar
Available until June 30, 2023

This on-demand webinar is an opportunity for nurses and other health professionals who work with families to learn the updated safe sleep guidelines of the American Academy of Pediatrics to reduce the risk of SIDS and other sleep-related infant deaths.

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Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder: Understanding, screening, and supporting individuals in the school setting

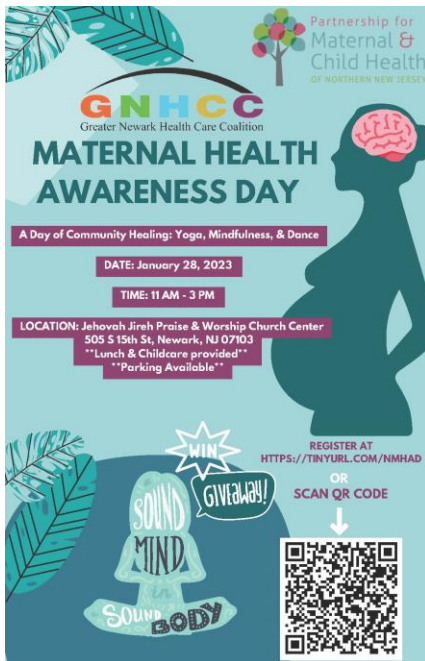
On-Demand Webinar
Available until June 30, 2023

This on-demand program is an opportunity for school nurses, pediatric nurses, and other school-based professionals to develop an understanding of Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD).

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In the Community



Maternal Health Awareness Day

In collaboration with **Greater Newark Health Care Coalition**, we have an exciting community day on January 28, 2023, from 11:00 AM to 3:00 PM. This will be a fun-filled day practicing healing yoga, mindfulness, and dance.

It is an opportunity to connect with other mothers in the community, learn about resources, and meet the Partnership staff.

[Register Here](#)



FELLAS CLOTHING DRIVE & JOB FAIR
 Fathers Empowered to Learn, Lead, & Achieve Success

COME EXPERIENCE AN EXCITING DAY FILLED WITH RAFFLES, CDL ENROLLMENT, RESUME BUILDING AND SUPRISE GUEST SPEAKERS

CLOTHING GIVEAWAY
 CLINICAL MEDICAL ASSISTANT
 REFRESHMENTS
 GUEST SPEAKERS
 HVAC
 GEN CONSTRUCTION
 CDL ENROLLMENT

Saturday, Jan 28, 2023
 Time: 12 pm-3 PM
 NATIONAL CAREER INSTITUTE
 134 EVER GREEN PLACE
 EAST ORANGE, NJ 07018
 Register Here:
 FELLAS Clothing Drive & Job Fair

Partnership for Maternal & Child Health

Community Partner: **GNHCC** (Newark Health Care Center)

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Clothing Drive & Job Fair

Saturday, January 28, 2023

The FELLAS Fatherhood Program is hosting an exciting day filled with raffles, CDL enrollment, resume building, and a surprise guest speaker. This free events connects employers with job candidates and highlights community resources.

This is an amazing opportunity to connect with the community and get resources!

[Register Here](#)

