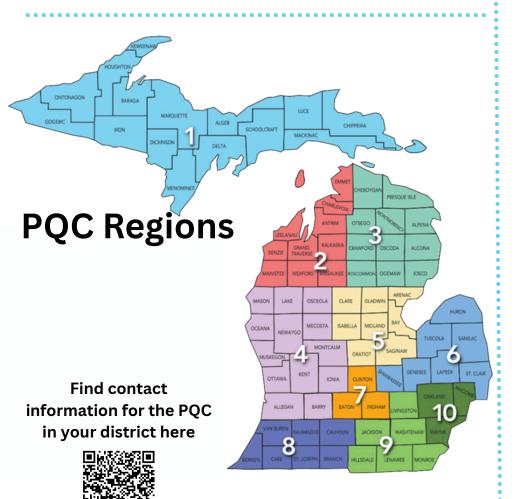
# Investing in Michigan's Perinatal Quality Collaborative



# Why we need a Perinatal Quality Collaborative

- Expands access to care and support during pregnancy, postpartum and infancy
- Tackles underlying causes of poor birth outcomes and health inequities
- Connects providers, families, and community voices
- Uses local data to drive targeted, regional solutions
- Required by public statute (P.A. 243 of 2024)



## Regional Highlights\*

### **Screening & Early Identification**

- Screening for depression, SUD (Substance Use Disorder), and social determinants (Regions 2 & 3)
- Using High Touch High Tech (HT2) to identify SUD, mental health, and trauma needs (Region 6)

## **Family Supports & Home Visiting**

- Expanding use of home visiting programs, including fathers (Region 4)
- Integrating care for pregnant people with SUD (Region 1)

#### **Access**

- Offering behavioral health services through MyStrength (Region 5)
- Strengthening hospital emphasis on quality (Region 9)
- Conducting Project
   Detroit/Voices for Life to
   address disparities (Region 10)

#### **Education & Outreach**

- Sponsoring certified doulas and virtual childbirth/baby classes (Region 8)
- Improving vaccine education for perinatal people (Region 7)

Michigan now has its lowest infant mortality rate (6.1/1,000 live births) on record – we MUST sustain our progress

Support \$5M to fund this essential network and local initiatives

<sup>\*</sup>not an all-inclusive list of current projects