

AAP Maternal-Infant Health and Opioid Use ECHO

The American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) is recruiting up to 20 primary care practices to join a 6-month learning collaborative aimed to implement clinical interventions to improve the health outcomes of families affected by prenatal opioid exposure. Pediatric practices who are interested in developing sustainable patient- and family-centered approaches to engagement, referral to treatment, and recovery of the mother-infant dyad are encouraged to apply.

Practices will engage in the ECHO (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) model™, a telementoring platform that leverages video conference technology to connect experts with primary care teams in local communities, fostering an “**all teach, all learn**” approach.

Benefits of participating:

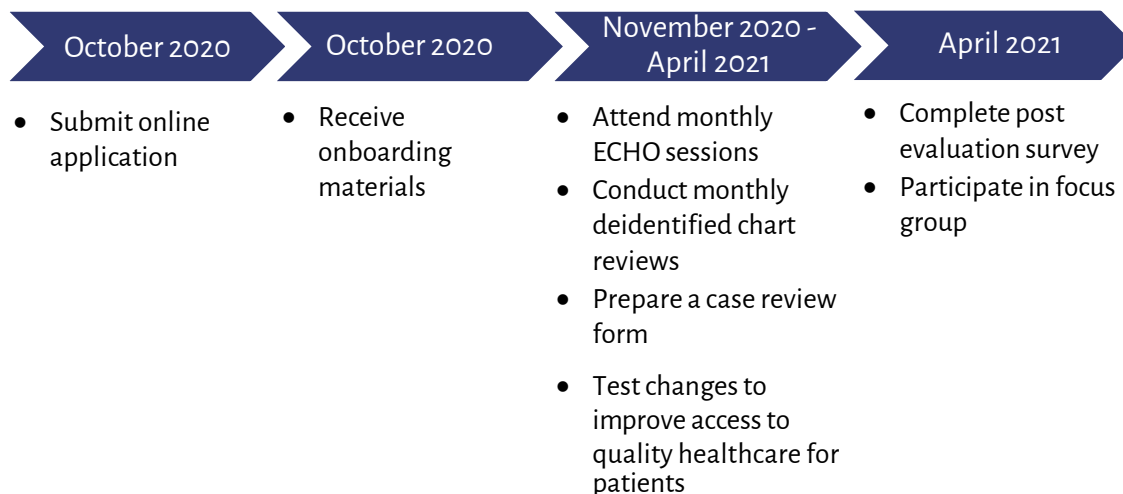
- ✓ Increase knowledge regarding best practices for screening, referral, treatment and follow-up care addressing prenatal opioid exposure
- ✓ Improve the quality of care in mothers and infants while using a supportive and recover-friendly approach
- ✓ Learn new quality improvement (QI) methods and track improvement through monthly data collection to achieve desired outcomes in your practice
- ✓ Network and problem solve with others
- ✓ *Participating pediatricians will have the opportunity to earn American Board of Pediatrics Part 4 Maintenance of Certification (MOC) credit.*

Who should apply:

Practices providing primary care who:

- ✓ Are interested in developing and sustaining supportive and recovery-friendly approaches to improve both maternal and infant health
- ✓ Can assemble a team of members that may include:
 - A primary care physician
 - A nurse
 - An additional team member such as front office person, practice manager, or care coordinator
- ✓ Provide primary care to newborns and infants

Timeline:



Interested?

Apply [online](#) by October 22, 2020

Contact Shannon Limjuco, ECHO Manager at slimjuco@aap.org for any questions.

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