

Maternal Mortality – 2023 Update

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The estimated time for completion of this Internet Enduring Material is 30 minutes.

Target Audience

This presentation is intended for physicians, advanced practice providers, and other clinicians who specialize in Obstetrics and Gynecology and Maternal-Fetal medicine.

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Overview

The United States' nationwide maternal mortality ratio is increasing despite efforts to improve maternal safety. The increase disproportionately affects Black, American Indian, and Native Alaskan people despite efforts to improve equity in healthcare.

Objectives

At the conclusion of this activity, the participant will be able to:

- Differentiate the statistics used by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to report maternal death rates.
- State factors contributing to the increase in maternal mortality in the United States.
- Summarize the Pediatrix commitment to support the *White House Blueprint for Addressing the Maternal Health Crisis*.

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- Professionalism
- Systems-Based Practice

IOM Competencies

- Provide patient-centered care
- Utilize Informatics

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