

Perinatal Health: Part 4

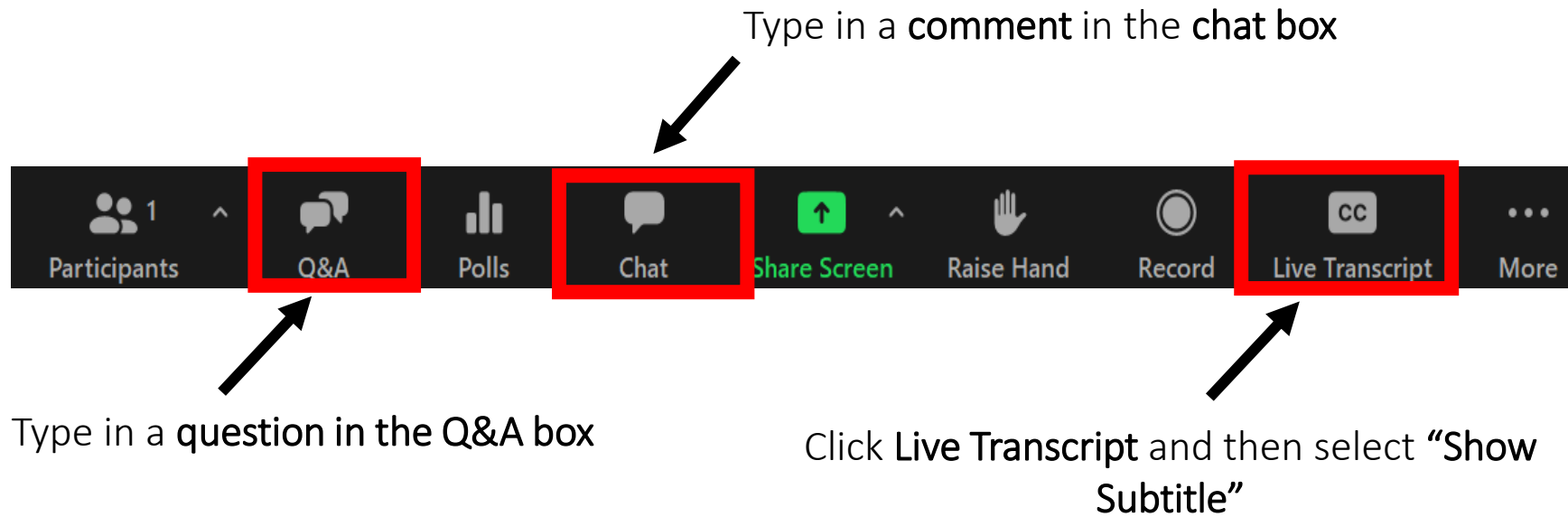
Addressing Serious Mental Illness

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2-3pm EST

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Poll #1: What best describes your role?

- Clinician
- Administrator
- Policy Maker
- Payer
- Other (specify in chat box)



Poll #2: What best describes your organization? (check all that apply)

- Primary Care Provider
- Mental Health Provider
- Substance Use Treatment Provider
- School-Based Health Provider
- Other (specify in chat box)



Poll #3: Where is your organization in the process of integration?

- Learning/Exploring
- Beginning Implementation
- Advanced/Full Implementation
- Ongoing Quality Improvement
- Other (specify in chat box)



Perinatal Integrated Health Webinar Series

May 10: 1-2pm ET

The Case for Integration & Continuum of Care: Considerations
Across Primary and Specialty Care

May 12: 2-3pm ET

Perinatal Behavioral Health Care in a CCBHC

June 23: 2-3pm ET

Integrating Services in High Need Settings

July 21: 2-3pm ET

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Speakers



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Learning Objectives

- ❑ Understand prevalence of mental illness during the perinatal period.
- ❑ Identify considerations for integrating care for people in the perinatal period experiencing mental health crisis.
- ❑ Describe the successes and challenges in addressing maternal mental health through supporting providers with the MATTERS psychiatric consultative care model.
- ❑ Describe the Perinatal Psychiatry Inpatient Unit model for addressing affective disorders and acute crises and how it is integrated into perinatal care.





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North Carolina Maternal Mental Health MATTERS: Making Access to Treatment, Evaluation, Resources & Screening Better

Margo Nathan, MD

UNC Women's Mood Disorders Center

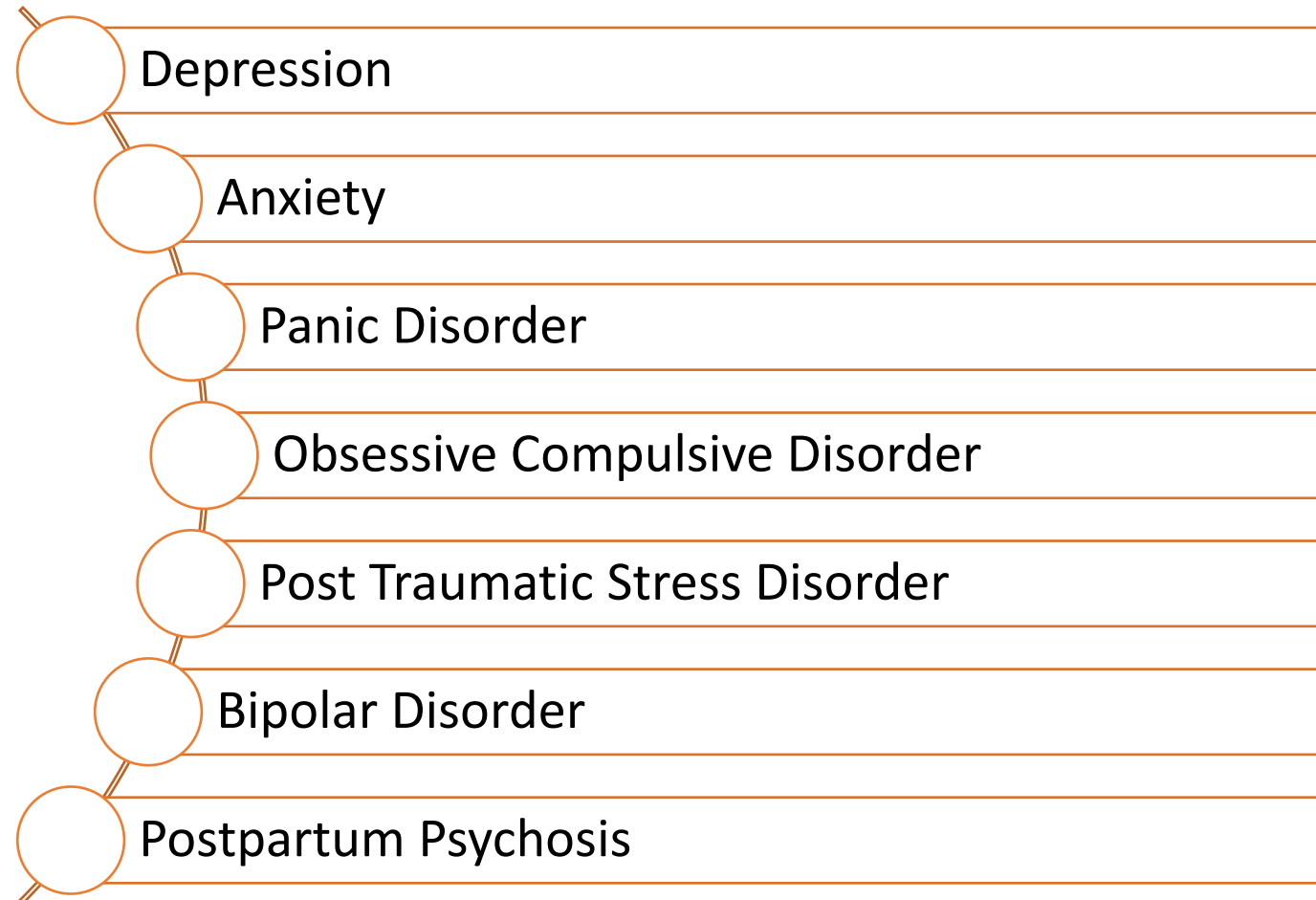
Consulting Psychiatrist, NC MATTERS

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Perinatal Mood and Anxiety Disorders (PMADs)



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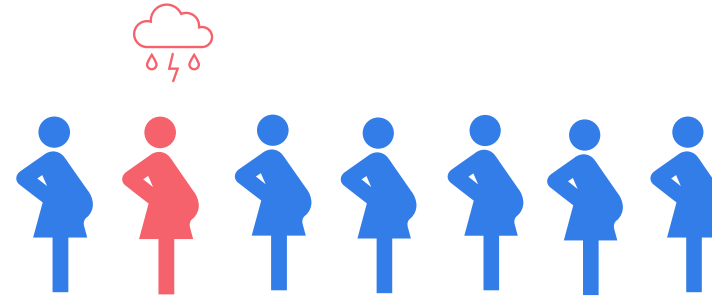




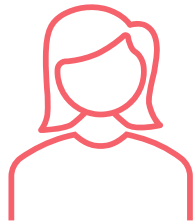
General PMAD Prevalence



Postpartum depression is the most common complication of childbirth



Up to **1 in 7** women experience PPD, affecting approximately 600,000 women per year in the United States alone



For $\frac{1}{2}$ of women diagnosed with PPD, this is their first episode of depression



About $\frac{1}{2}$ of women who are diagnosed with PPD **experienced symptoms** during pregnancy



Only 15% of women with postpartum depression ever receive professional treatment

Accortt & Wong (2017); Bonacquisti, Cohen, & Schiller (2017); Karras (2020); VanderKruik et al. (2017)

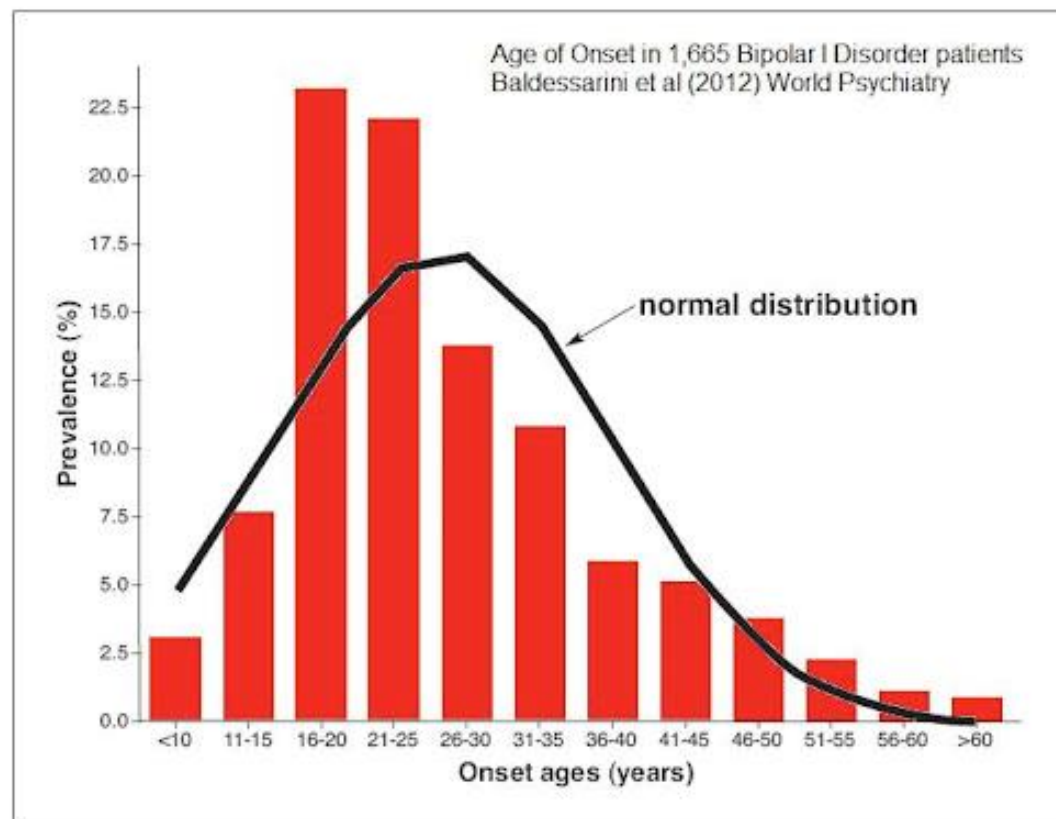
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Perinatal Bipolar Disorder

Onset of bipolar disorder peaks during reproductive years



Kessler, Journal of affective disorders, 2003; Yonkers et al. AJP 2004; Baldessarini World Psychiatry 2012





Potential for Psychiatric Emergencies: Postpartum Psychosis

- 1-2/1000 women
- >70% have a diagnosis of bipolar disorder
- Onset 24 hrs – 3 weeks postpartum
- Mood symptoms, psychotic symptoms & disorientation
- R/o medical causes of delirium
- 4% risk of infanticide with postpartum psychosis

Wesseloo et al AJP 2016, Manic Depression Illness, Goodwin and Jamison, 2007



Potential for Psychiatric Emergencies: Suicide Risk



**Lower
Risk**

Suicide Risk Assessment

**Higher
Risk**

- No prior attempts
- If prior attempts, low lethality & high rescue potential
- No plan
- No intent
- No substance use
- Protective factors
- Hope for improvement

- History of suicide attempts
- High lethality of prior attempts
- Recent attempt
- Current plan
- Current intent
- Substance use
- Lack of protective factors
- Hopelessness

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PMADs Impact Mom, Child & Family



Pregnancy is **not** necessarily protective!

Increased impulsivity,
substance abuse, poor
nutrition and self-care

Increased risk for
preeclampsia, pre-
term births, low birth
weight, IUGR

Congenital defects/
malformations; toxic
stress of the newborn

Disability
depression or
anxiety

Suicidality,
self-injury

Psychotic
symptoms, poor
judgment,
delusional beliefs

Infanticide

Huizink, Psychol Bull, 2004; Ding, J Affect Disord, 2018; Field, Infant Behav Develop, 2005

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The Maternal Mental Health “Treatment Cascade”



50-70% of cases go undetected

85% of cases go without treatment

91-93% of cases are not adequately treated

95-97% of cases are without remission of symptoms

Cox et al, J Clin Psychiatry, 2016





Proactive Perinatal Mental Health Care

Screening

Optimize medication

Promote sleep

Teach stress reduction strategies

Make a mental wellness plan for the postpartum period



Cox et al, J Clin Psychiatry, 2016



Integrated Physical and Mental Prenatal Care



Physical Health Screening/Tests Timeline

| | | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| Initial Prenatal Labs | Anatomy ultrasound | Diabetes Screen and Vaccines | Contraception |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|

Mental Health Screening Timeline

| | | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| Depression and Anxiety Screen, Substance Use and Interpersonal Violence | Depression and Anxiety Screen, Other Screening as Indicated | Depression and Anxiety Screen, Other Screening as Indicated | Depression and Anxiety Screen, Other Screening as Indicated |
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Gaps in Perinatal Mental Health Care

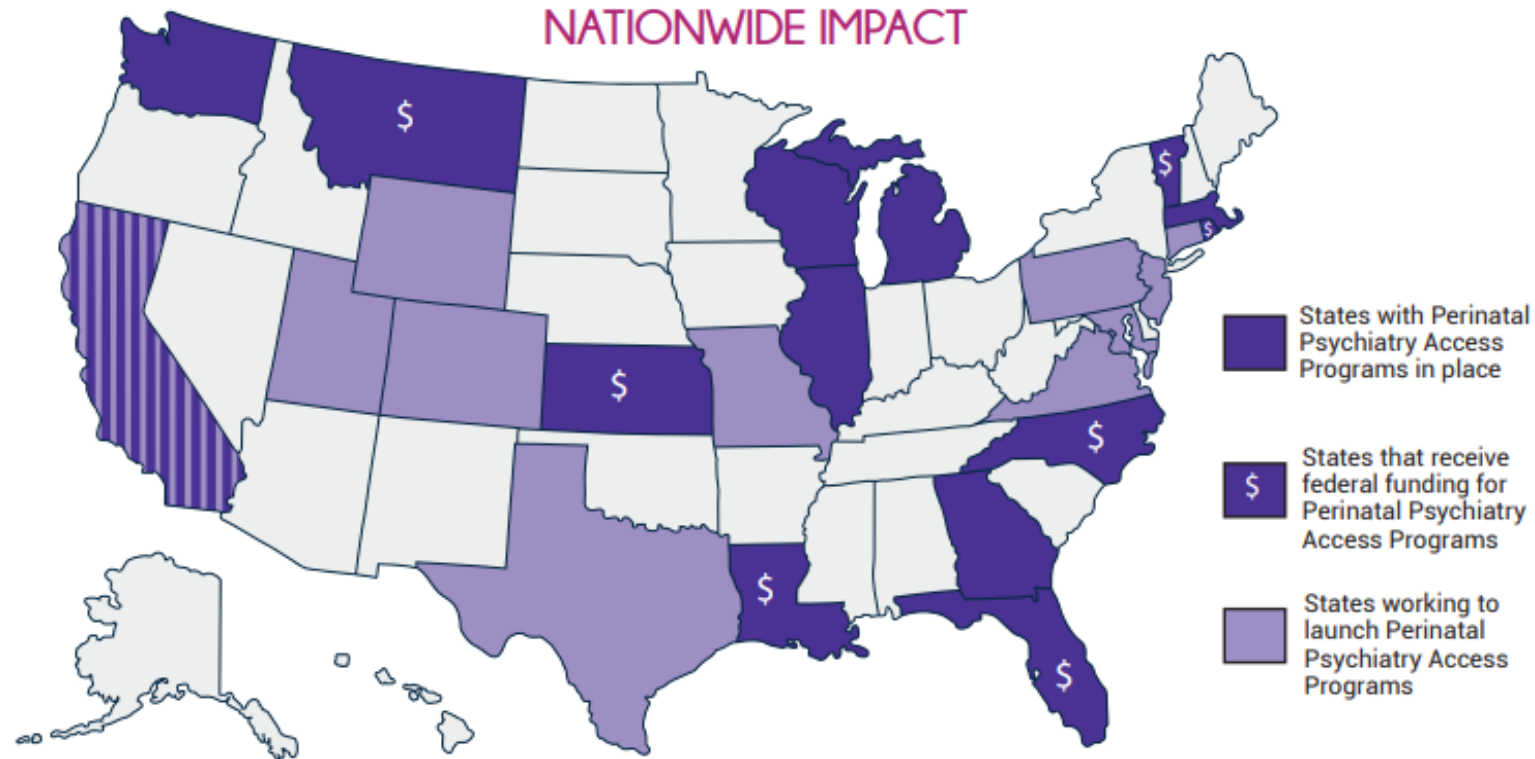


- Most OB and pediatric practices do not have co-located or integrated behavioral health care
- Many community mental health providers are not comfortable treating pregnant or lactating patients
- Patients want to receive care from providers they know and trust – difficulty with navigating system of mental health outside their medical home

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Perinatal Mental Health Access Programs Support Clinicians Caring for Perinatal Women



1 ACOG Committee Opinion 757 (2018).
2 Gavin (2005). *Obstetrics & Gynecology*, 106, 1071-83.
3 Fawcett (2019). *Journal of Clinical Psychiatry* (80)

Citations

4 Byatt (2015). *Obstetrics & Gynecology*, 126(5): 1048-1058.
5 Byatt (2020). *Promoting the Health of Mothers & Children*

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NC MATTERS: What are our goals?



Patients

- Are screened during and after pregnancy
- Have timely access to mental health services
- Are able to stay in their medical homes

Providers

- Feel more confident addressing perinatal mental health and substance use
- Help reduce unnecessary referrals and missed appointments



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NC MATTERS: What do we do?



Education

- Training for providers and staff
- Screening and treatment algorithms



Consultation

- Real-time psychiatric consultation for health care professionals



Telepsychiatry

- One-time psychiatric assessments for perinatal patients at no cost



Resource & Referral

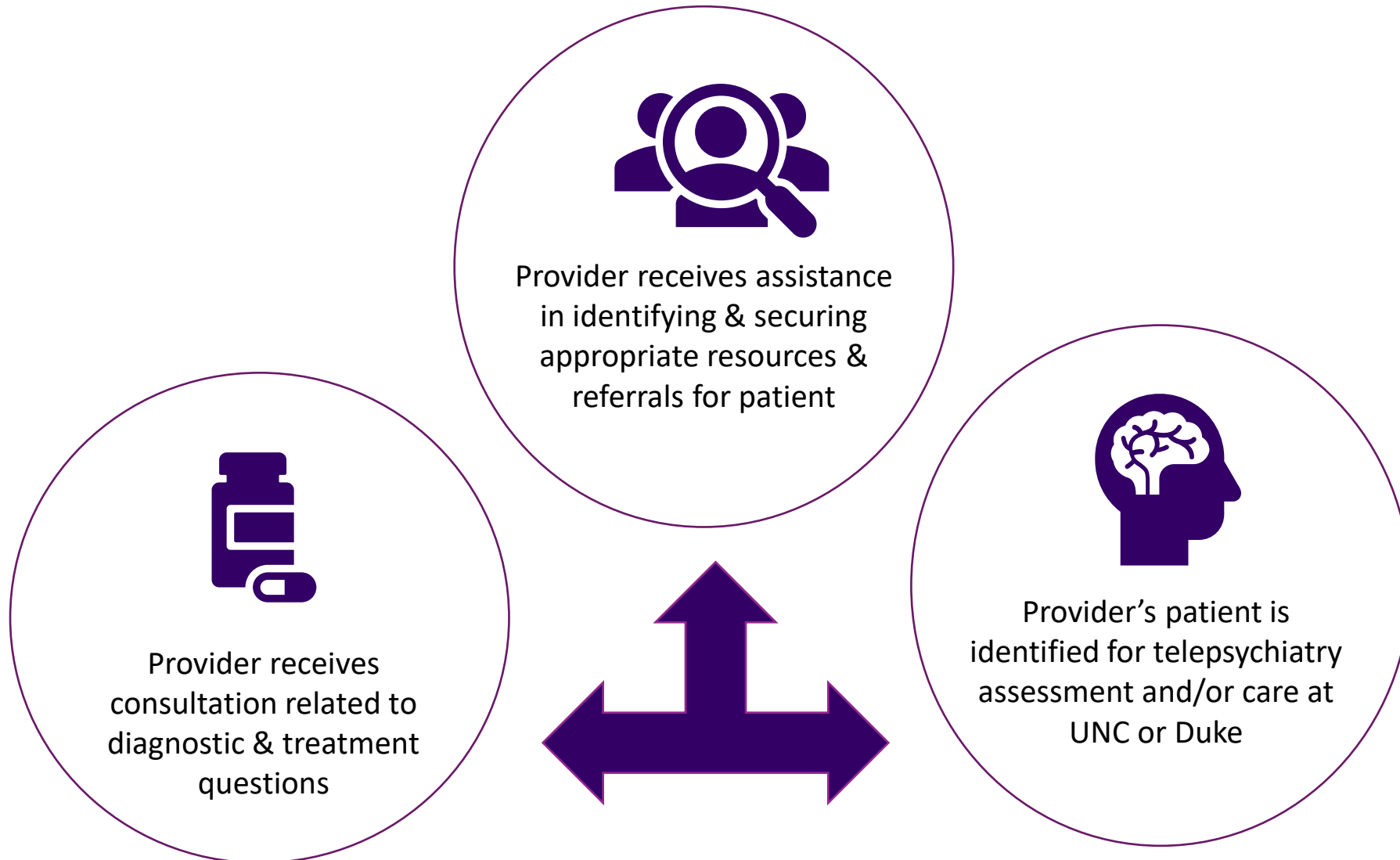
- Linkages with community-based mental health resources

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What Happens When I Call?



Outreach to a Variety of Professionals



Courses for CME through various regional AHECs

Joint newsletter with NC-PAL

Attachment Network of NC

Psychiatry resident didactics with Eastern Carolina University

Trainings and presentations by request

Support County Health Departments

Participation in Maternal Health Task Force and Perinatal Health Equity Collective

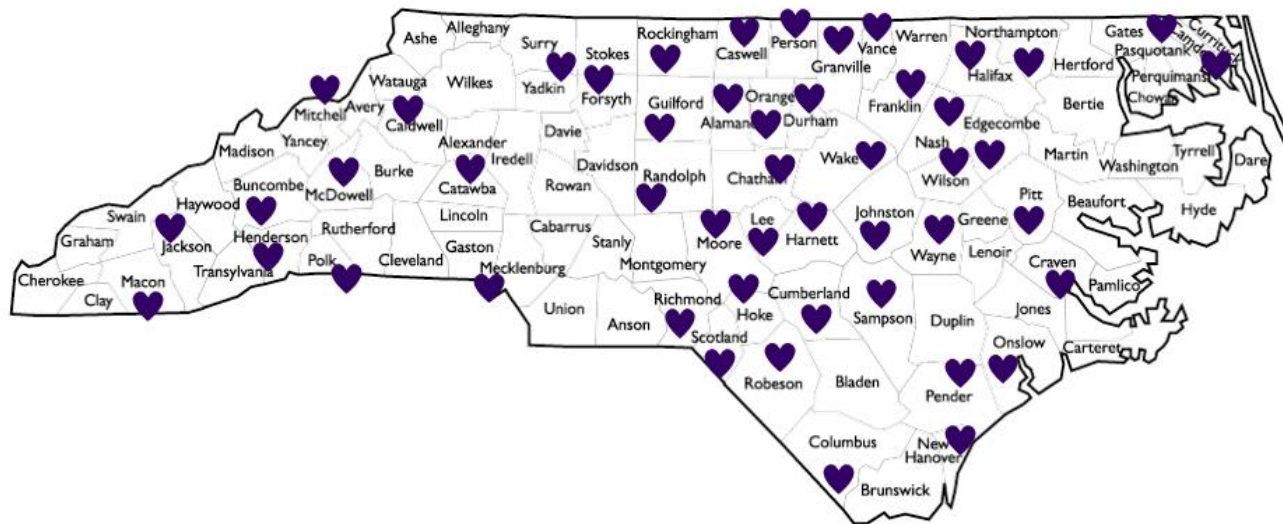
Participation in Lifeline4Moms perinatal psychiatric access network

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Accomplishments So Far



**1,025 calls to the
consult line**

**Patients from
55+ NC
counties served**

**827 enrolled
providers**

**1,900+
health care
professionals
trained**

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Accomplishments So Far

| | |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Depressed mood | 166 |
| Anxiety | 130 |
| Postpartum (Adjustment) | 102 |
| Stress | 79 |
| Pregnancy | 66 |
| Medication(s) | 61 |
| Grief | 33 |
| Other | 33 |
| Trauma/PTSD | 29 |
| Sleep problems | 29 |
| Suicidal ideation | 27 |
| Irritability | 25 |
| Bipolar disorder | 22 |
| Family relationship problems | 22 |
| Substance use | 17 |
| Mood swings | 15 |
| Miscarriage/stillborn | 14 |
| Loss of energy/fatigue | 12 |
| Panic attacks | 10 |
| Physical health problem(s) | 9 |

33%

**of calls are about
anxiety or depression**

12%

**of calls involve
substance use**

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NC Maternal Mental Health MATTERS



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We help health care providers support the behavioral health needs of their pregnant and postpartum patients.
Have a question? Call our consult line!

(919) 681-2909
ext. 2

Please have on hand:

- Patient Name
- Patient DOB
- Patient Zip Code
- Patient Insurance



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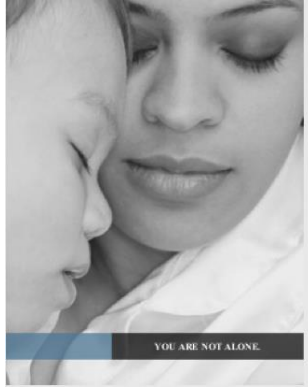
Introduction to UNC's Perinatal Psychiatry Inpatient Unit

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Perinatal Psychiatry Inpatient Unit



ESTABLISHED: June 2011 and is the first of its kind in the United States. It includes 5 patient beds (private and semi-private). Infants are encouraged to visit for as long as possible, but may not stay overnight.

MISSION: To provide specialized *multidisciplinary care* to assist in the recovery of perinatal (pregnant and postpartum) women from psychiatric illness requiring inpatient care

VISION: A world that understands and provides for the unique mental health *needs of women and their families during the critical perinatal period*



Arch Womens Ment Health (2004) 7:53–58
DOI 10.1007/s00737-003-0046-0

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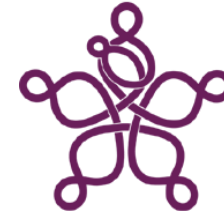
Special topic

The History of Mother-Baby Units (MBUs) in France and Belgium and of the French version of the Marcé checklist*

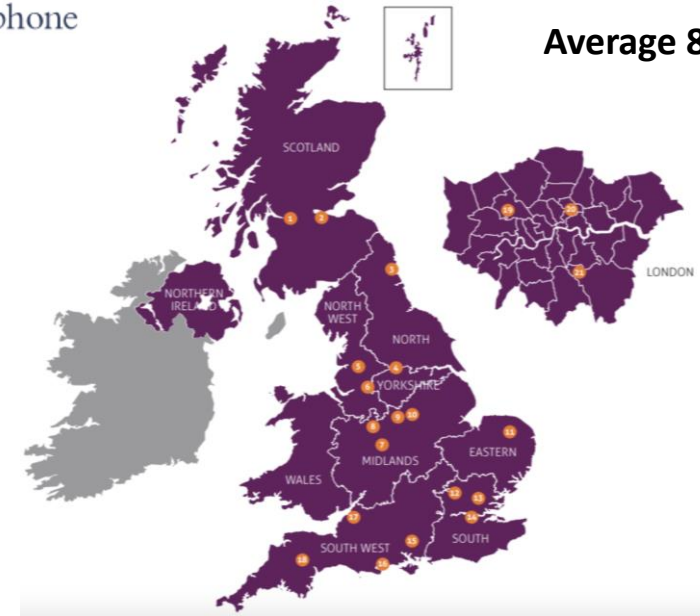
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21 Mother Baby Units (MBUs)

Ranging 4 to 13 beds

Average 8 beds

Connellan K, Bartholomaeus C, Due C, Riggs DW. A systematic review of research on psychiatric mother-baby units. Arch Womens Ment Health. 2017 Jun;20(3):373-388. doi: 10.1007/s00737-017-0718-9. Epub 2017 Mar 22. PMID: 28332002.

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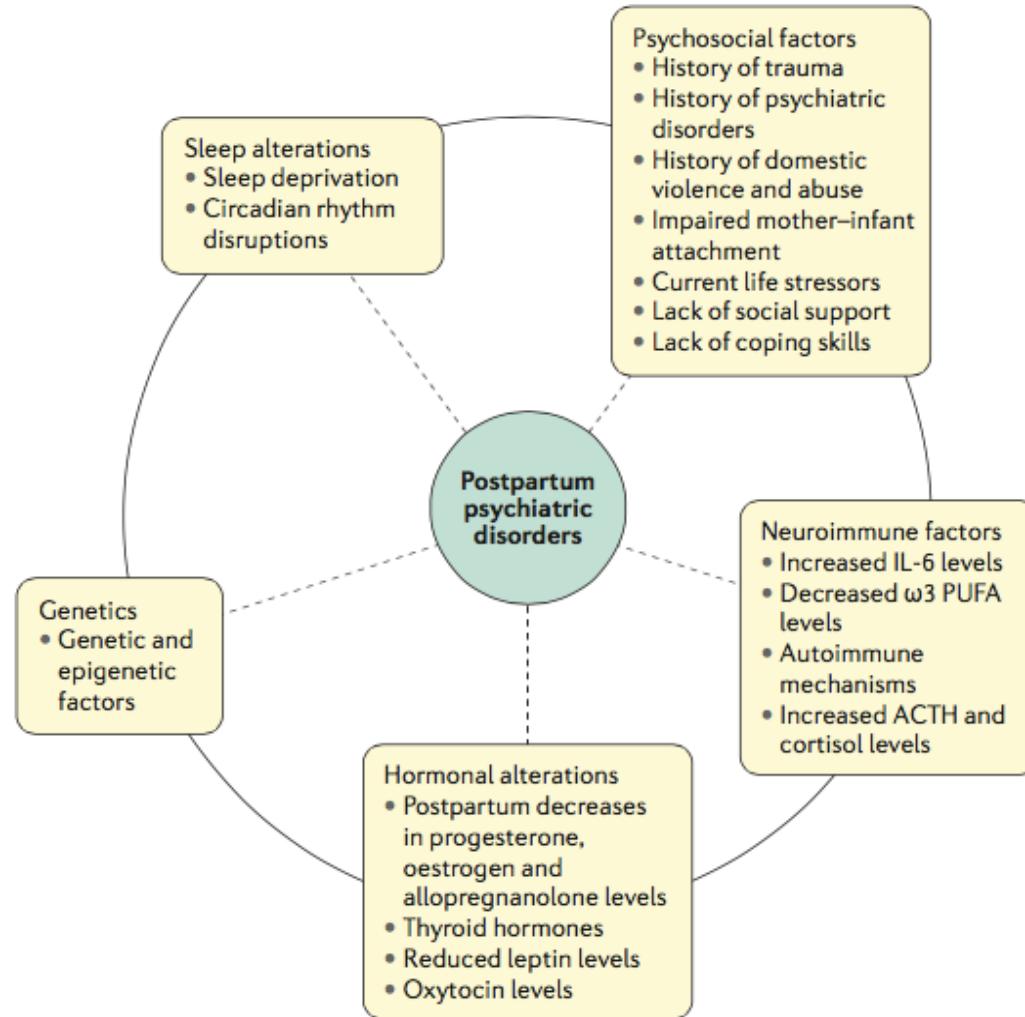
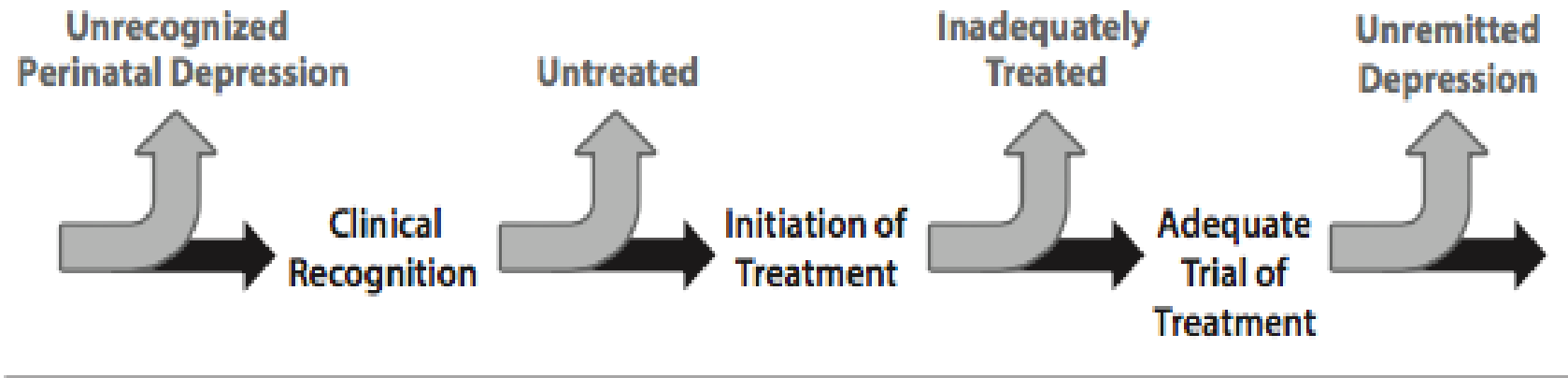


Figure 1 | Mechanisms of PPDs. Several factors have been implicated in the aetiology of postpartum psychiatric disorders (PPDs), including both postpartum depression and postpartum psychosis. These factors include psychosocial factors and biological factors that are specific for pregnancy and the postpartum period, such as drastic alterations in gonadal sex steroids and impaired mother–infant interactions. Whether the aetiology of psychiatric disorders occurring prenatally, during pregnancy or during the postpartum period is different requires future study. ACTH, adrenocorticotrophic hormone; PUFA, polyunsaturated fatty acid.

The Perinatal Depression Treatment Cascade



95%-97% of women with perinatal depression are not successfully treated

Cox EQ, Sowa NA, Meltzer-Brody SE, Gaynes BN. The Perinatal Depression Treatment Cascade: Baby Steps Toward Improving Outcomes. J Clin Psychiatry. 2016;77(9):1189-200.



Levels of Care

Outpatient Psychiatry

Outpatient Therapy

Intensive Outpatient Therapy

Partial Hospitalization Programs

General Psychiatric Inpatient Unit

- Locked Unit
- Safety & Stabilization
- Mixed genders
- Mixed pathology
- Substance Use
- Psychotic, Crisis, EDU, Geriatric, Child & Adolescent



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Unique Features of PPIU

- Private, dedicated perinatal space
- Protected sleep times
- Extended visitation hours to maximize mother-baby interactions
- Lactation consultants, gliders, fridge, hospital grade pump
- Mother-infant attachment therapy
- Family and partner psychotherapy
- Therapeutic yoga
- OB-GYN consultation
- Chaplain support
- RT/OT with perinatal psychiatry focus

PPIU Needs

- Staffing: 1 nurse + 1 Medical Assistant : 5 Patients
- Patients (voluntary and involuntary) admitted from:
 - Emergency Room
 - Transfer from other hospitals (oft OB units or ERs)
 - Direct with help from Admissions Coordinator
 - UNC outpatient clinics
 - In-state and Out-of-state provider referral
 - Self-referral (with clinical sent from provider)
- Review of clinical for appropriateness (e.g., behavioral disturbances that may require seclusion go to other unit, substance use must have mood/anxiety components)
- Overflow patients (often beds full of perinatal patients, waiting list)
 - Reproductive age with mood disorder/anxiety, preferable with children

Typical Admission

Day of Admission

Diagnostic Assessment with Psychiatrist

Medication regimen

Tailored therapies, RT/OT

Safety plans

Outpatient follow-up plans

Discharge

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| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday | Sunday |
|----------------|--|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 8:00 am | Breakfast | Breakfast | Breakfast | Breakfast | Breakfast | Breakfast | Breakfast |
| 9:00 am | MD Rounds | MD Rounds | MD Rounds | MD Rounds | MD Rounds | MD Rounds | MD Rounds |
| 10:00 am | RT Therapy | MD Rounds/Flex Time | MD Rounds/Flex Time | MD Rounds/Flex Time | MD Rounds/Flex Time | Painting | Flex Time |
| 11:00 am | OT Therapy | OT Therapy | OT Therapy | OT Therapy | OT Therapy | | |
| 12:00 pm | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch | Lunch |
| 1:00 pm | Psychotherapy | RT Therapy | RT Therapy | RT Therapy | RT Therapy | Flex Time | Flex Time |
| 2:00 pm | | Spirituality | Psychotherapy | Spirituality | Flex Time | | |
| 2:30 pm | Yoga (Crisis) | | | | Yoga | | Flex time |
| 3:00 pm | | Flex Time | Flex Time | Music Therapy | | | |
| 3:30 pm | Dinner | | | | Dinner | Dinner | |
| 4:00 pm | | Dinner | Dinner | Dinner | | | |
| 5:00 pm | Dinner | | | | Dinner | Dinner | Dinner |
| 6:00pm | Music Therapy | Activity Therapy | Free Time | Activity Therapy | Free Time | Free Time | Free Time |
| 11:00 pm | Dayroom Closes | Dayroom Closes | Dayroom Closes | Dayroom Closes | Dayroom Closes | Dayroom Closes | Dayroom Closes |
| Visiting Hours | 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm 4:30 pm – 8:30pm | | | | | 12:00 pm – 8:30pm | |
| Flex Time | Flex time represents a timeframe during which various activities can occur, including but not limited to arts, crafts, community, nurse-led groups, and individual assessments | | | | | | |

Evaluating the Clinical Effectiveness of a Specialized Perinatal Psychiatry Inpatient Unit

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| Psychiatric diagnosis at discharge | % (<i>n</i> =91) |
|--|-------------------|
| Unipolar depression without psychosis | 60.43 % (55) |
| Major depression with psychosis | 5.50 % (5) |
| Mood disorder NOS | 8.79 % (8) |
| Bipolar disorder | 6.59 % (6) |
| Schizophrenia/schizoaffective/psychotic disorder NOS | 6.59 % (6) |
| Anxiety disorder | 7.69 % (7) |
| Substance-induced mood disorder | 4.40 % (4) |
| Types of comorbid psychiatric illness | |
| Anxiety disorder NOS | 13.19 (12) |
| PTSD | 4.40 (4) |
| OCD | 2.10 (2) |
| GAD | 2.10 (2) |
| Primary comorbid psychiatric diagnosis made | 40.65 % (54) |
| Report of suicidal ideation on admission assessment ^a | 86.49 % (64) |

^a Item 10 of the EPDS scale

Meltzer-Brody S, Brandon AR, Pearson B, Burns L, Raines C, Bullard E, Rubinow D. Evaluating the clinical effectiveness of a specialized perinatal psychiatry inpatient unit. *Arch Womens Ment Health.* 2014 Apr;17(2):107-13. doi: 10.1007/s00737-013-0390-7. Epub 2013 Nov 8. PMID: 24201978; PMCID: PMC3961543.

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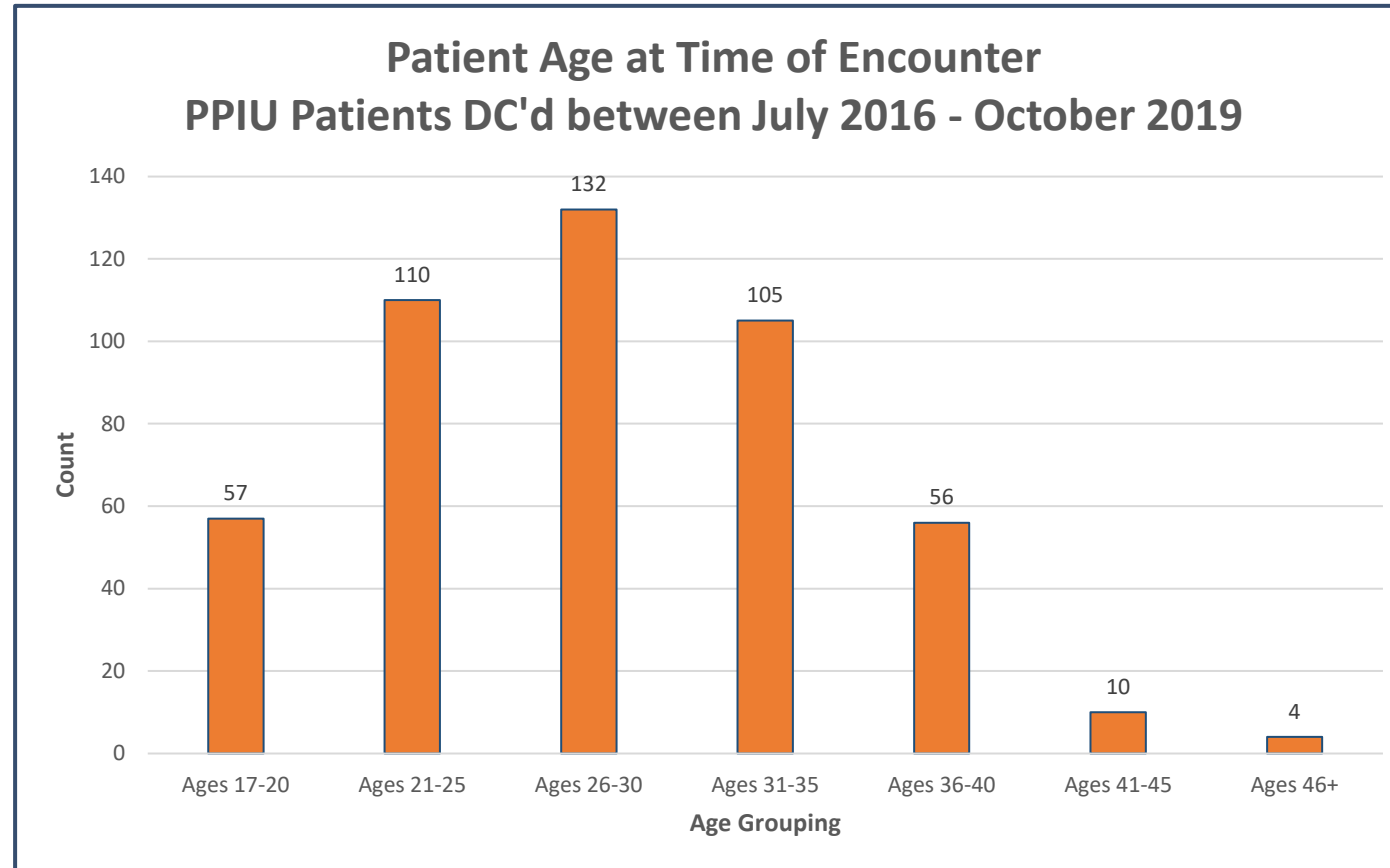


So, what qualifies as a serious mental illness in the perinatal period?

- No single answer
- Assess for safety, imminent dangerousness
- Consider current symptoms and psychiatric history
- Psychosis, suicidality, poor functioning, poor attachment
- Severe PPD, PPP, OCD, anxiety/trauma, substance use

- Consider NC MATTERS
- Consider hospitalization

Patient Age by Grouping*

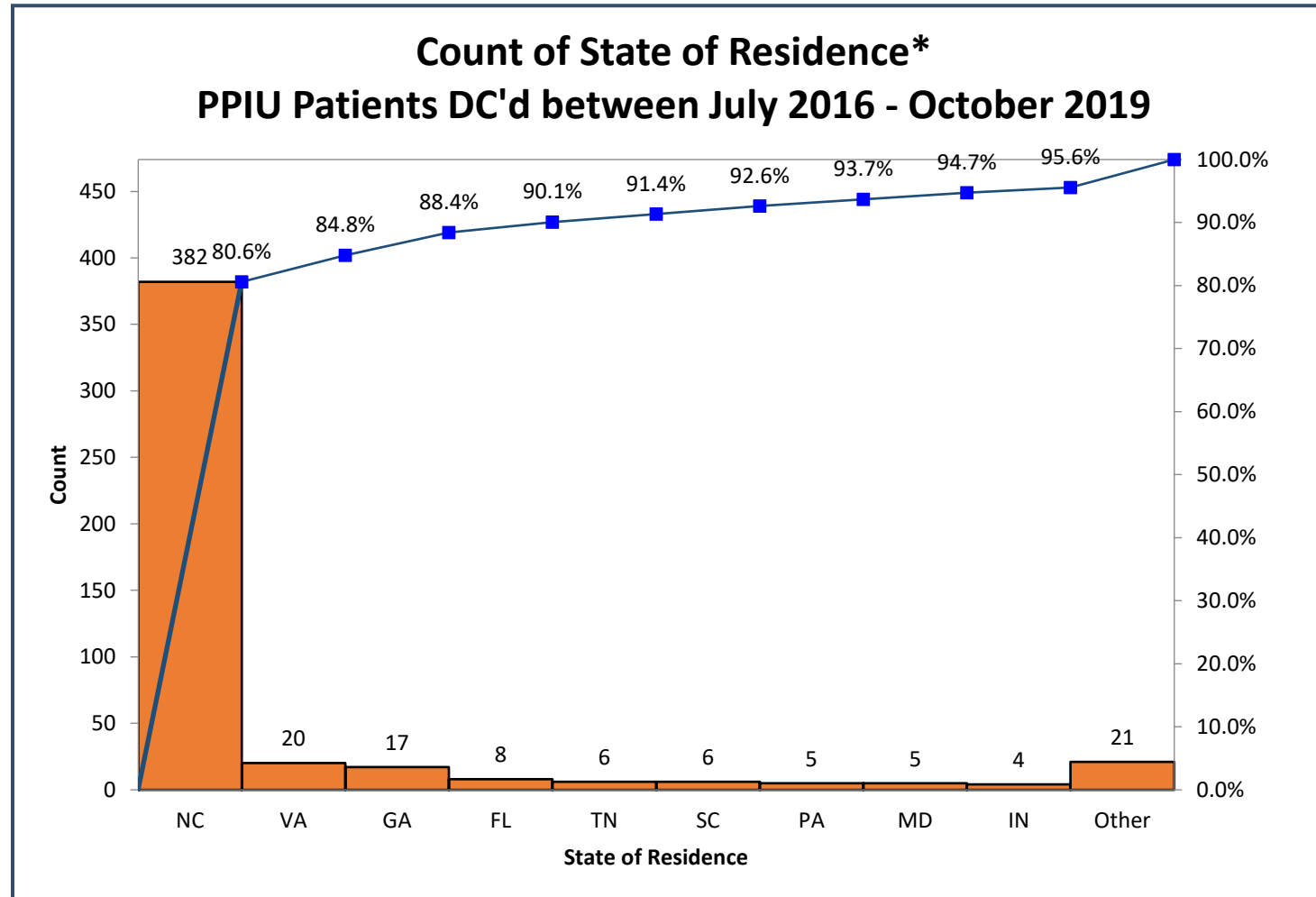


*Ages 46+ includes patients who were ages 46, 50, 51 & 57 at time of encounter

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Patient State of Residence

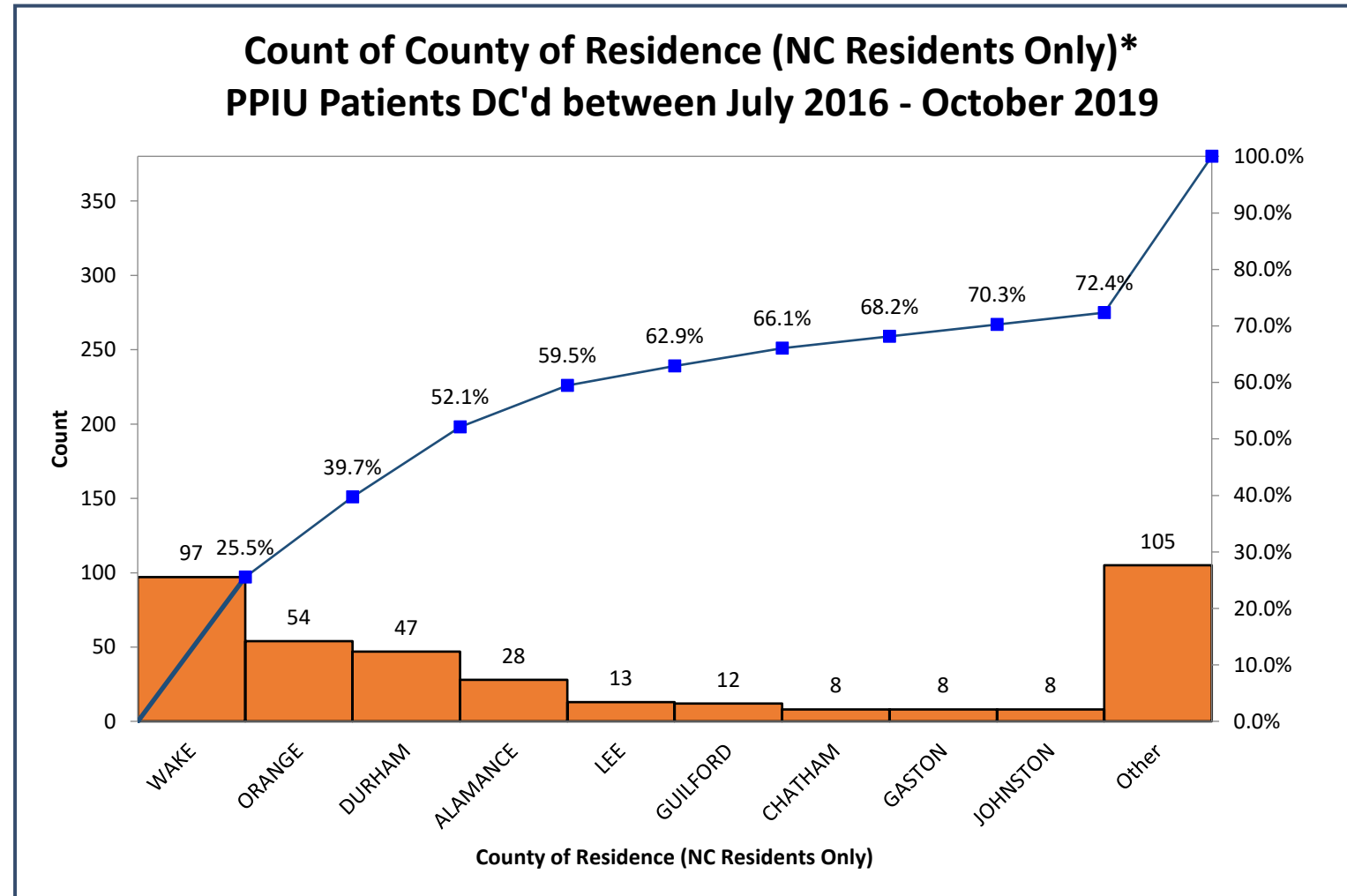


*State listed in patient's home address in Epic

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Patient County of Residence

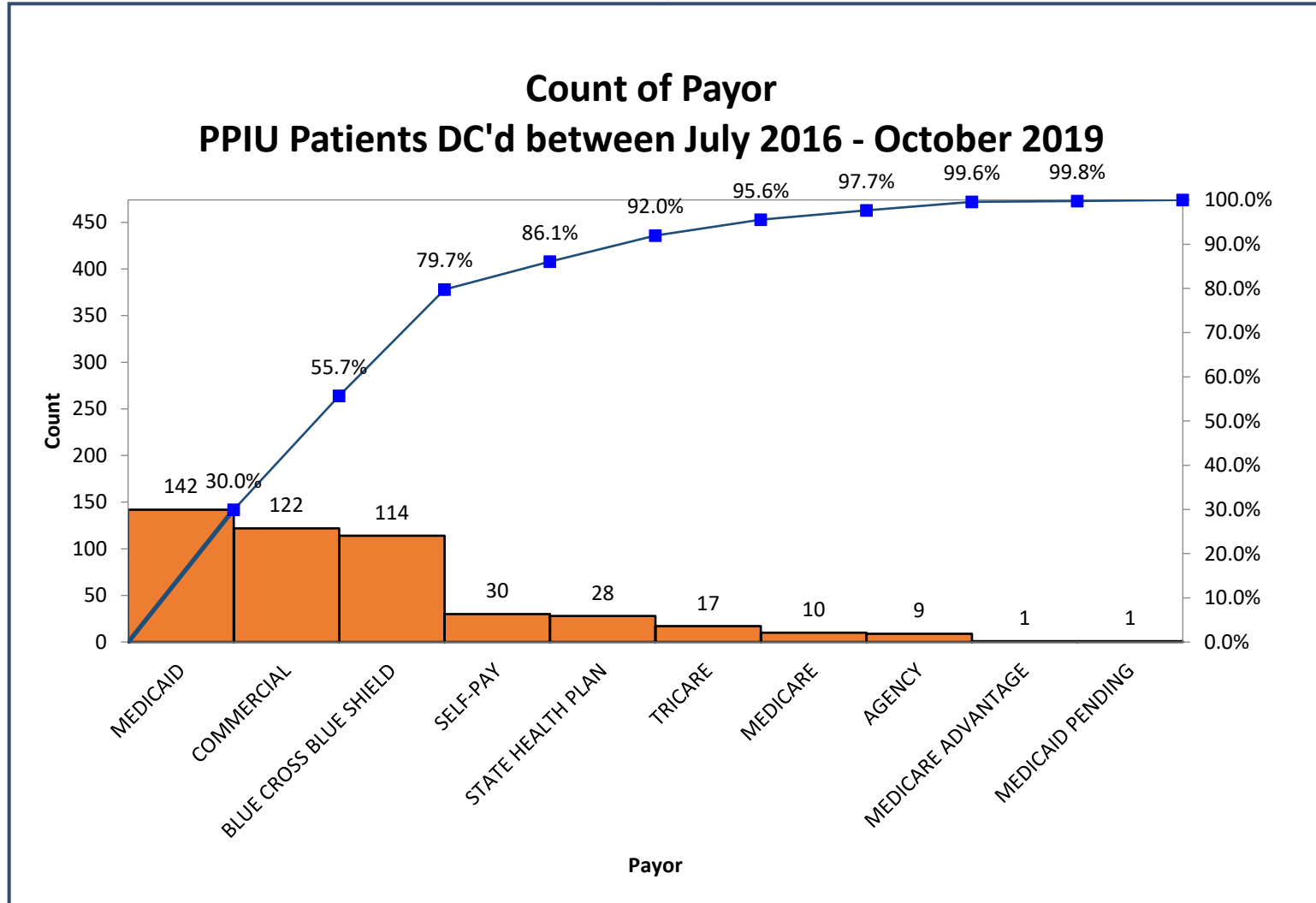


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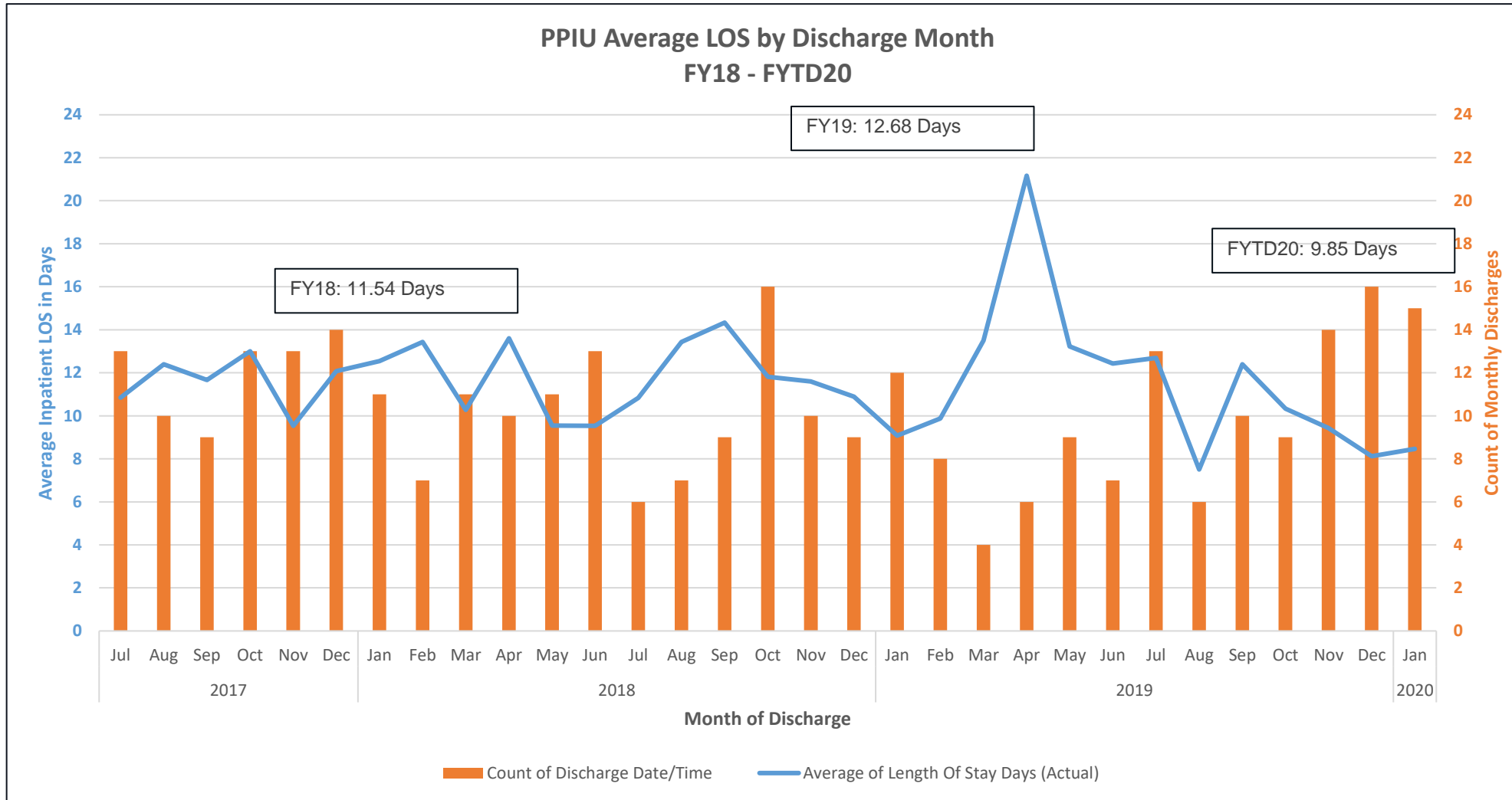
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Frequently Asked Questions

- **Can I get medical care while on the unit?** *Patients have access to OB consultants, lactation consultants, and other hospital specialties as they are available and indicated.*
- **How long is a typical admission?** *This varies by patient, but on average 7-10 days. The admission may be longer if the patient starts ECT or has been ill for many months.*
- **What are the visitation policies?** *Visitation is currently allowed from 3p-7p. Each patient can have 2 adult visitors and the infant. We also allow frequent facetime/virtual interactions between patients and their family.*
- **Can I breastfeed when my baby visits?** *Absolutely. We have 3 private rooms which are prioritized for lactating women. Women will have access to hospital grade breast pumps and breastmilk storage.*
- **What are your covid policies?** *Patients and staff follow hospital covid protocols, wear masks, try to socially distance, and we require covid pcr testing with 48 hours prior to admission and 5 days into the admission.*

Finance FAQs

- Initial funds were provided by the hospital and the psychiatry department in renovating the space
- Regular inpatient unit at Academic Medical Center
 - Accept all types of insurance including Medicaid
 - Those without insurance meet with hospital staff to enroll in Medicaid when possible
- Staff that run groups are funded as on any other psychiatric unit

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Education & Research

Trainees:

- Psychiatry Residents: 4 week rotations
- Medical Students: 4 week "Acting Intern" opportunities
- Psychology Interns: Opportunities to provide therapy
- Nursing Students: Opportunity to spend a day on the PPIU
- Pharmacist Students
- OT and RT Students
- Chaplain Students
- OB/GYN Residents: Exposure from consultations



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SHORT COMMUNICATION

Open-label, proof-of-concept study of brexanolone in the treatment of severe postpartum depression

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Abstract

Objective Preclinical evidence indicates that rapid changes in levels of allopregnanolone, the predominant metabolite of progesterone, confer dramatic behavioral changes and may trigger postpartum depression (PPD) in some women. Considering the pathophysiology of PPD (i.e., triggered by reproductive steroids), the need for fast-acting, efficacious treatments and the negative consequences of untreated PPD, there is an increasing focus on developing PPD therapies. Brexanolone (USAN; formerly SAGE-547 Injection), a proprietary injectable allopregnanolone formulation, was evaluated as a treatment for severe PPD in a proof-of-concept, open-label study.

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