

Provider Bulletin

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Providers Perinatal Training

This is an advisory notification to Molina Healthcare of California (MHC) network providers applicable to all lines of business.

What you need to know:

The Perinatal Mental Health of Black Birthing Individuals training series will equip clinicians to provide culturally sensitive, respectful, and mindful care to Black birthing individuals and families. Providers will explore their own self-awareness as practitioners and receive training in symptom presentation, physiology and epigenetics, treatment considerations, screening tools, resources, statistics, and the impact of stigma.

When this is happening:

Please review the **Provider Action** section to register for the training dates below:

- Foundations of Black Perinatal Mental Health
 - Date: Wednesday, April 24 @ 9 am – 12:15 pm
- Using a Social Justice Framework to Support Black Birthing Individuals
 - Date: Wednesday, May 22 @ 9 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.
- Examining Social Determinants of Health For Black Birthing Individuals
 - Date: Wednesday, June 26 @ 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Provider Action

Sign up for the Perinatal Mental Health of Black Birthing Individuals training series at: forms.gle/Cx5SPfBwHdVSW1Mu6

There is **no cost** to register. You will receive the meeting link after your registration is complete.

Please see the attached flyers for more information and share the perinatal resources below with your members!



What if you need assistance?

If you have any questions regarding the notification, please contact your Molina Provider Relations Representative below.

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Perinatal Mental Health of Black Birthing Individuals (Series of 3)

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 	<p>Wednesday, April 24, 2024, 9 am-12:15 pm Virtual</p> <p>FOUNDATIONS OF BLACK PERINATAL MENTAL HEALTH Amy Larsen, RN, PHN, MSN, IBCLC Susan Lowe, LMFT, PMH-C</p>
 	<p>Wednesday, May 22, 2024, 9 am-12:15 pm Virtual</p> <p>USING A SOCIAL JUSTICE FRAMEWORK TO SUPPORT BLACK BIRTHING INDIVIDUALS WITH PERINATAL SUBSTANCE USE CONCERNS Phillip Breitenbucher Ed.D., MSW Erica McIntosh, DSW, LCSW</p>
   	<p>Wednesday, June 26, 2024, 9 am-3:00 pm Morongo Tribal TANF, 720 E. Carnegie Dr., #150, San Bernardino, CA 92408</p> <p>EXAMINING SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH USING A CULTURALLY RESPONSIVE APPROACH FOR BLACK BIRTHING INDIVIDUALS Kendra Flores-Carter, DSW Debra Johnson, RN, PHN, MSN, CNS Curly Palmer B.S. Jasmine Reed, Psy.D.</p>

Please register for this course via Google Forms Link <https://forms.gle/Cx5SPfBwHdVSW1Mu6>
 To register for a RESOURCE TABLE at the June 26 Series <https://forms.gle/vHq4USydqCvzhLFv8>
 Copy and paste into CHROME.

Login information will be provided with registration.

Training is at no cost to all registrants and funded and or sponsored by:



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Continuing Education Credits: This course meets the qualifications for **10** continuing education units/credits/hours. **This is an ADA compliant course. If you need a reasonable accommodation/alternative format for this training event, please contact the Diana DaSilva at (951) 955-9175 or dcdasilva@ruhealth.org at least fourteen days (14) prior to the course date.**

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