

CONNECTICUT URGENT MATERNAL WARNING SIGNS BRACELET INITIATIVE

Training Webinars

SEPTEMBER 2025

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The *Connecticut Urgent Maternal Warning Signs Bracelet Initiative* — a state-funded effort led by the Connecticut Perinatal Quality Collaborative (CPQC) — aims to reduce maternal morbidity and mortality by improving clinical awareness of potential postpartum complications and conditions. Starting this fall, birthing hospitals and healthcare providers across the state will provide postpartum patients with an orange bracelet that signals to healthcare professionals and emergency personnel that the wearer is newly postpartum, enhancing recognition of and response to urgent maternal warning signs.

The *Bracelet Initiative* educates healthcare providers on standardized lifesaving protocols to ensure a safer postpartum experience for birthing persons.

By the end of these trainings, participants will be able to:

- **IDENTIFY** that an individual wearing an orange bracelet is postpartum
- **RECOGNIZE** urgent maternal warning signs
- **CONNECT** postpartum patients experiencing complications with potentially lifesaving care

Webinar Presenters:

- Jen Dowe, Director of Perinatal Specialty Programs, Hartford HealthCare
- Kelley Reddington, Perinatal Safety Nurse, Trinity Health Of New England

Continuing Education (CE) credits are pending approval. CE status, presenter biographies, and session details will be updated on the registration pages, which can also be accessed via the [CHA website](#).

DATE AND TIME	TARGET AUDIENCE
Monday, September 8, 2025 10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Personnel and Emergency Department Providers First Responders and Emergency Department Staff and Providers
Tuesday, September 9, 2025 1:00 p.m.-2:30 p.m.	Hospital Staff and Healthcare Providers OB Staff, NICU Staff, Social Work, and Direct Service and Administrators — Such as Patient Registration and Triage Staff
Monday, September 15, 2025 10:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	Community-Based Organization Healthcare Providers and Staff Community Providers Who Work With Pregnant and Postpartum People, Such As: WIC Staff, Home Visiting Staff, Community Health Center Staff, Lactation Consultants, Community Doulas, Health Department Staff, OBGYN Offices, Urgent Care Center Staff, and Pediatrician Office Staff

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