



MOms in REcovery (MORE) Study

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Study Updates:



Study Logo. Our study logo was designed and selected by the study's community partners.

Dartmouth Institutional Review Board. The clinical record review protocol (Phase 1) for the MORE Study has been approved by the Dartmouth Institutional Review Board. Deborah Johnson will be contacting partner sites who rely on their own IRB to collaborate on the local IRB review process. The Patient-Report Cohort protocol (Phase 2) is under review and we anticipate will be approved soon.

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for Partner Practices: Deborah Johnson will be reaching out to partner sites to complete a Memorandum of Understanding for study participation in the next month.

Study Team Open Positions: We are recruiting for a full-time **Research Assistant** and a part-time **Clinical Nurse Research Assistant** for NH and VT practices. We also need a full-time Research Assistant and a part-time Clinical Nurse Research Assistant for Maine practices. If you know of potential candidates for any of these positions, please contact Deborah Johnson.

Study Website: Our study website is currently under construction, with the collaboration and guidance from the Study Advisory Committee. We hope to have it launched in the next month.



Facebook Page: Our study Facebook page has gone live! Please check it out at:

<https://www.facebook.com/MORECommunityConnect>.

Site Visits: We have already visited many of our partner practices. If we have not visited your practice, or you would like us to visit again for any reason, we would be happy to schedule a visit to your site.

Article of Interest: *Hope in Recovery: Pairing compassion with evidence to ameliorate New Hampshire's opioid epidemic.* This article includes description of our study along with other care initiatives focused on moms and their infants. Fall 2018, Dartmouth Medicine. (dartmed.dartmouth.edu)

A Note from the Study Principal Investigators

It was a true honor to participate in our first Study Advisory Committee (SAC) meeting on January 10th. Thank you to all who were able to attend in person, to those of you who called in, and to Deb, Brittany, and Katherine for making this event possible. It's a joy to get to know each other!

Community Engaged Research is about developing relationships between researchers and community members impacted by the topic of the research: relationships that allow us to define research questions together, collaborate in designing research methods, and work as partners to share results. (<https://www.citiprogram.org/citidocuments/Duke%20Med/Practicing/comm-engaged-research-4.pdf>)

Daisy Goodman, CNM, DNP & Sarah Lord, PhD

Meet Some of Our Study Advisory Committee Members



Left to right: Vicki (Co-Chair), Farrah, Jillian, Sarah, Cheri (Co-Chair), Margo, Sheldon
(Not pictured: Amy, Kelley, Marjorie, Chris, Beth, Casey, Lindsey, Jennifer, Tamara)

Question of the Month

Your opinions and perspectives are critical to the success of this project. To help ensure a representative process, we will circulate a monthly question to study partners to inform project planning and implementation.

This month's question is straightforward: ***“What questions would you like to see answered by this study?”***

Please go to <https://redcap.dartmouth.edu/surveys/?s=DDRNKWRRFT> to tell us of your question(s). We will share what we receive in the next newsletter. And please let us know what else you would like to see in these Newsletters!

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