



MOms in REcovery (MORE) Study

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Study Updates:

Dartmouth Institutional Review Board. The MORE Study has been fully approved for both the clinical record review protocol (Phase 1) and the Patient-Report Cohort protocol (Phase 2) by the Dartmouth Institutional Review Board. We are working with each site individually regarding their local institutional review process, please contact Deb Johnson as needed.

Study Team Open Positions: We have hired Ann Martel-Marton as the **Research Nurse for the NH and VT practices.** We are still in search of a part-time **Research Nurse and a Research Assistant for the Maine practices.** Potential candidates for either of these positions are encouraged to contact Deborah.J.Johnson@dartmouth.edu

Study Website: Our study website is getting close to completion. We expect it to 'go live' soon. Thank you everyone for the feedback you have provided so far!



Facebook Page: We are already a popular destination on Facebook. Check us out!
<https://www.facebook.com/MORECommunityConnect>

Site Visits: We continue to visit partner sites. If we have not visited your practice yet, or you would like us to come again, we would be happy to schedule a visit. Please contact Debbie (See her contact to the left).

Data Collection: We are on target to begin recruitment of our first participant by the end of June.

Study Advisory Committee (SAC) Meeting: The Semi-Annual SAC Meeting was on Thursday, May 23, 2019. We had a wonderful meeting at Mill Falls in Meredith, NH.

SAC Work Groups: Our SAC Assessment/Measurement, Recruitment/Retention, and Social Media Work Groups are meeting and making great progress.

A Note from the Study Principal Investigators

"Spring has sprung and summer is starting here in the north country and everything is gearing up. Our study team has spent the winter months developing relationships with all of our practice partner sites and working with our Study Advisory Committee to get ready to start data collection this summer.

We are excited to continue building knowledge through this process of community engaged research. We've already learned so much from our partners not only about what questions to ask, but also how to ask them well. Thank you for being part of this collaborative effort!"

Daisy Goodman, CNM, DNP & Sarah Lord, PhD

Semi-Annual Study Advisory Committee Meeting, May 22-23, 2019

We had such an amazing group of women at our Semi-Annual Study Advisory Committee



Newsletter Partner Question With Responses

“What question would you like to see answered by this study?”

Responses Received:

1. What supports for providers make embedded MAT models more successful?
2. What is the critical mass of numbers that would make embedded MAT realistic?
3. Certainly, our goal is to find out what is the best way to take care of this population, so we have the best chance for a healthy mom and a healthy baby. I know that is a pretty obvious request but that is why we are engaged. We are delivering care a certain way and if we find out that there is a better way then we will be looking to adopt it.

If you have other questions or thoughts, please let us know!

Other Information

Article of Interest: Feasibility and Acceptability of a Checklist and Learning Collaborative to Promote Quality and Safety in the Perinatal Care of Women with Opioid Use Disorders, Goodman, D. et. al, *J. Midwifery and Women’s Health*. doi:10.1111/jmwh.12943

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