



Alabama Perinatal Resources Guide

The purpose of this guide is to serve as a “one stop shop” for work being done in our state around perinatal health issues. The websites of most programs are hyperlinked and contact names are listed for each organization or program. Because organizations and personnel are always changing, there may be some contacts and websites that are not up to date.

Organization	Program	Contact
Alabama Perinatal Quality Collaborative (ALPQC)		
	General Questions	Martha Wingate
	Neonatal Opioid Withdrawal Syndrome Initiative	Sam Gentle
	Maternal Hypertension Initiative	Brian Brocato
	Birth Certificate Accuracy Initiative	Sam Gentle
	Alabama Perinatal Excellence Collaborative	Allison Todd
Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) Health Officer: Scott Harris		
OWH Director: Jessica Hardy	Well-Woman Plan	Admin: Sabrina Doby-Horn Director: Jessica Hardy
BFHS Director: Grace Thomas	Title V Block Grant	Amanda Martin
	Newborn Screening	Rachel Montgomery
	Family Planning	Valerie Lockett
	Title X	Lori Gregory
	Healthy Start	Jefferson County: Rickey Green Montgomery: Regina Traylor
	MMRC	Rachel Sinkey
	Perinatal Regions/FIMR	Region 1: Lisa Carter Region 2: Trendle Samuel Region 3: Cathy Nichols Region 4: TBD Region 5: Shirley Daniel
	PRAMS	Kathy Ereshna (UAB Survey Research Unit)
	Center for Health Statistics	Nicole Rushing
	WIC	Amanda Martin
Rural Health	Telehealth	Michael Smith
	Rural Health Association	Linda Lee

Opioid Abuse in Women/NAS Task Force		Linda Lee Jessica Hardy
Department of Early Childhood Education (DECE) Director: Jeana Ross		
	First Teacher	Dianna Tullier
	Nurse Family Partnership	UAB (Birmingham): Candace Knight Easter Seals (Tuscaloosa): Sherri Presley-Dumas Gift of Life (Montgomery): Amy Trammell Stanford
	Parents as Teachers	Lee Johnson III
	First 5 Alabama	Lee Johnson III
	HIPPY	Lucy Cohen
	Head Start	Trellis Smith
Governor's Infant Mortality Initiative		
OWH	Well Woman	Sabrina Doby-Horn
DHR	Safe Sleep	Amy Stratton
ADPH/MOD	17-P	Britta Cedergren
DMH	SBIRT	Kathy House
ADPH	Perinatal Regionalization	Amy Stratton
ADPH	Breastfeeding	Amy Stratton
DECE	Home Visiting	Dianna Tullier
Insurers		
Medicaid	Alabama Coordinated Health Network (ACHN) Previously: Plan First SOBRA Care Coordination	Director: Drew Nelson Northwest: Stacey Copeland Northeast: Dana Garrard Stout Mid-State: Michael Battle Central: Casey Wylie East: Donna Oliver Southeast: Jan Carlock Southwest: Sylvia Brown
BCBS	Baby Yourself	Kristen Machen
Viva Health		Kim Eason
Professional Groups		
ACHIA		Cason Benton
AAP		Linda Lee
ACOG		David Ellington (AL Chair FY2020)
AlaHA		Rosemary Blackmon
March of Dimes		Britta Cedergren
Alabama Birth Coalition		Courtney Sirmon
Alabama Midwives Alliance		Various
AWHONN		Cathy Nichols
Community Groups		
	Health Action Partnership	Ryan Parker

United Way Central Alabama	Help Me Grow Alabama	Katie Naman Prince
Jefferson County Department of Health	MCH Roundtable	Yvette Burt Khalilah Brown
Children's Policy Council		Liletta Jenkins
AL Prison Birth Project		Ashley Lovell
Mother's Milk Bank		Kristina Habchi
Stork's Nest		Stacy Jones
Birthwell Partners		Dalia Abrams
Alabama Breastfeeding Committee	Better Bama Babies	Joshua Johannson
Alabama Network of Family Resource Centers		Robin Mackey
The MAMA Collaborative		Christy Johnson