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The Louisiana Perinatal Quality Collaborative (LaPQC) is recruiting pediatric healthcare providers to participate in a Caregiver Perinatal Depression Screening (CPDS) Learning Collaborative. The learning collaborative, focusing on perinatal depression screening and resource connection, will begin in Spring/Summer 2025 and run for ten (10) months.

Participating clinics can receive a \$7,000 stipend for completing program-required activities.

Interested providers should complete the [LaPQC interest form](#). The deadline to apply is April 23, 2025. See the attached flyer for more information.

Questions and Support:

For questions, please contact [LAProvider@AETNA.com](mailto:LAProvider@AETNA.com) or call 1-855-242-0802 and follow the prompts.

# Now Recruiting Pediatric Healthcare Providers

## Caregiver Perinatal Depression Screening Learning Collaborative

**Background:** The Louisiana Perinatal Quality Collaborative (LaPQC) is recruiting pediatric providers, including family practices that provide care for infants, to participate in the next 10-month Caregiver Perinatal Depression Screening (CPDS) Learning Collaborative, beginning in Spring/Summer 2025. The CPDS Learning Collaborative is focused on perinatal depression screening in pediatric practices and identifying resources for those who screen positive.



**Why Should You Join?** The CPDS Learning Collaborative supports clinics in improving caregiver depression screening rates by using a validated tool at well-child visits as recommended by the American Academy of Pediatrics. Participating teams are required to commit to quality improvement activities including monthly calls, data submission, as well as small tests of change (Plan-Do-Study-Act cycles) throughout the course of the Collaborative.

The LaPQC will provide participating practices with access to high-quality improvement coaching, subject matter experts, a data platform and tools to accelerate the implementation of caregiver perinatal depression screening and warm referral processes for clinics.

Participating clinics will receive a \$7,000 stipend for participating and completed required activities. Additionally, participation provides the opportunity to earn MOC Part 4 credits while simultaneously addressing the needs of your clinic's caregivers and infants.

### How To Participate:

- Clinics interested in participating in the Learning Collaborative should complete an interest form. Please click the link to [the interest form here](#) or scan the QR code to the right.
- If you have questions, please contact [lapqc@la.gov](mailto:lapqc@la.gov).
- To learn more about the LaPQC, please visit [lapqc.org](http://lapqc.org).
- **DEADLINE to apply: April 23rd, 2025**

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