

The Perinatal *Pulse*



Idaho Perinatal Project
WINTER
CONFERENCE
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4 PART WEBINAR SERIES

February 4-25, 2021, Microsoft Teams
Details & Registration: www.idahoperinatal.org

Register Now!!

The Idaho Perinatal Project would like to share some announcements from a few of our valuable partners.

10 ECHO SESSIONS
HELD VIRTUALLY

March 10 - July 28, 2021
2nd and 4th Wednesdays
Noon — 1:00 p.m. MT



Audience: The target audience is family practice, pediatric, and OB/GYN physicians, NPs, PAs and nursing staff. However, all clinicians are welcome, including social workers, care coordinators, addiction recovery specialists and

others.

Cost: Participation in ECHO Idaho is free for clinicians and organizations!

Learn more and sign up for ECHO Idaho at www.uidaho.edu/echo
If you miss a session, recordings are available on the website.

Questions?

Contact us at echoidaho@uidaho.edu or 208-364-4608.

AWHONN Idaho invites you to help meet the urgent diaper need for families across Idaho through the 2021 Virtual Diaper Drive.



Now through April 1, 2021, Huggies will match all donations. The Idaho Diaper Bank has virtual donation options and distributes diapers to many cities across the state.

- Tax deductible financial donations can be made at <http://bit.ly/diapers4idaho>
- Purchase an item from the Idaho Diaper Bank's Amazon Wishlist at <http://bit.ly/wishlist4idaho>
- Be sure to indicate in the "notes" section that your donation is for the AWHONN Diaper Drive to ensure the Huggies match.
- Additional details can be found at the AWHONN Idaho webpage



**NEWBORN SCREENING PROGRAM IS
CHANGING LABORATORIES**

The Newborn Screening Program (NBS) is changing our contracted laboratory to improve timeliness of screening and to be more responsive in our newborn screening activities.



What you need to know:

- New laboratory- Washington State Laboratory
- Effective date of April 1, 2021
- Collection kit cost increase (\$58.20 for single kit and \$116.40 for double or triple (NICU only) kits)
- Services will continue as they are now through March 31, 2021.
- Screening process will remain the same: lance newborn's heel and place on filter paper
- There will be 5 blood spots instead of 4

EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 15TH, ONLINE ORDERS FOR NBS KITS WILL BE SUBMITTED TO WASHINGTON STATE LAB. IF YOU NEED OREGON STATE LAB NBS KITS, PLEASE FAX ORDER FORM TO 208-334-4946

Should you require more information please call (208)334-5962.



Pregnancy and Post-Partum Cessation Programs

Project Filter, Idaho's Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Program, is committed to promoting healthy, nicotine-free families. Two programs exist to help pregnant women and their family members quit smoking, chewing, or vaping. Pregnant women can enroll in BOTH programs to be eligible for all benefits!

1. Diapers and Wipes Program

Pregnant women and household members can get FREE diapers and wipes for up to 12 months when they quit with the help of their local Public Health District!

How to enroll:

Call the Idaho Careline at 2-1-1 or 1-800-926-2588 for free, in-person support from a local Public Health District to quit smoking, chewing, or vaping and find out how to get free diapers and wipes

2. The Idaho Quitline's Pregnancy Program

Pregnant women can earn up to \$65 when they quit with the Idaho QuitLine's Pregnancy Program!

How to enroll:

Call 1-800-QUIT-NOW anytime for free coaching calls with a quit coach during pregnancy and after. Free nicotine gum, patches, or lozenges can be mailed to participants with a signed doctor's form

Free resources for providers and community partners are available at Idaho Health Tools (healthtools.dhw.idaho.gov) and the Idaho Regional Alcohol Drug Awareness Resource (RADAR) Center (boisestate.edu/radar/)

- Posters, brochures and a digital lending library
- Referral Information Sheet
- Provider Toolkits

Contact Project Filter!

For questions or to learn more, email projectfilter@dhw.idaho.gov

Thanks again for your continued support.

Sincerely,

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