

Closing Remarks

Improving Care of Newborns
with Substance Exposure
Statewide Conference (ICoNS)
Screening with Purpose: Best-
Use Practices for Perinatal and
Newborn Well-being

April 7, 8:00-12:00PM

The logo for the Vermont Child Health Improvement Program (VCHIP) is displayed. It features the acronym "VCHIP" in a bold, dark green, sans-serif font. The letter "I" is replaced by a yellow vertical bar with horizontal lines, resembling a stylized ladder or a scale. Below the acronym, the full name "VERMONT CHILD HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM" is written in a smaller, dark green, all-caps, sans-serif font. The background of the entire slide is a soft-focus image of several hands of different skin tones gently holding a newborn baby's hands, symbolizing care and support.

VCHIP
VERMONT CHILD HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM

Closing Remarks, Upcoming Events and Evaluation

CME

- This activity was approved for 3.5hr of CME credits through the American Academy of Family Physicians
- For those interested in CME credits, please email vchip.pqcvt@med.uvm.edu

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EDUCATIONAL WEBINAR SERIES



The Robert Larner, M.D. College of Medicine | Vermont Child Health Improvement Program

Register Today!

Tuesday, June 2, 2026 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Family Care Plan and CAPTA in Vermont

Presenters: **Kayla Panko**, BSN, RNC-MNN, AIM Nurse Educator, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences, UVM, **Katy Leffel**, RN, BSN, IBCLC, Perinatal Nurse Coordinator, Vermont Department of Health, and **Michelle Shepard**, MD, PhD, Assistant Professor of Pediatrics

Learn about recent updates to the Family Care Plan (formerly known as Plan of Safe Care) and the CAPTA reporting processes. This webinar is intended for all those perinatal professionals who utilize these forms.

Please join us!

Registration: <https://go.uvm.edu/nhov6>

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Rescheduled
Tuesday, March 17, 2026

Tuesday, June 16, 2026 | 12:00 - 1:00 PM

Mandated Reporting in the Perinatal Space

Presenters: **Shab Cota**, MA, Training and Coaching Specialist, Vermont Child Welfare Training Partnership, UVM, **Kayla Panko**, BSN, RNC-MNN, AIM Nurse Educator, Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Sciences, UVM and **Katy Leffel**, RN, BSN, IBCLC, Perinatal Nurse Coordinator, Vermont Department of Health

This webinar provides an overview of Vermont's mandated reporting requirements within the perinatal space, with attention to legal and professional responsibilities. Content is design for all mandated reporters working with pregnant individuals, infants, and their families.

Please join us!

Registration: <https://go.uvm.edu/1lcvm>

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Addressing Stigma & Bias

Learning & Interactive Discussion
via TEAMS



January 5th
12-1pm

Stigma & Bias in the
Setting of Perinatal
Substance Use

[Join Meeting Here](#)



Meeting ID: 219 661 467 523 2
Passcode: on2F5mx7

March 9th ---> RESCHEDULED



May 11th
12-1

Mandated Reporting in
the Perinatal Space

[Join Meeting Here](#)



Meeting ID: 247 025 702 176 87
Passcode: Eg96op2r



July 13th
12-1

Mandated Reporting in
the Pediatric Space

[Join Meeting Here](#)



Meeting ID: 227 994 913 076 53
Passcode: tE7ta3cn



September 21st
12-1pm

Birthing Experiences of
BIPOC Vermonters: A
Study Findings

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complete the
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