



## UPCOMING CLASSES

- Intermediate Fetal Monitoring -- June 10th
- Fundamentals of Newborn Assessment and Care -- June 13th
- Fundamentals of Fetal Monitoring -- June 18th
- S.T.A.B.L.E. -- June 25th
- Intermediate Fetal Monitoring -- August 5th

If you would like to sign up for one of these courses, please visit the NCIPN website. If you are interested additional class offerings, please reach out to Emalee or Jen for more information.

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AROUND THE REGION?

NCIPN continues to travel extensively throughout the network educating in our non-maternity service hospitals, EMS, and birthing facilities. I speak for the entire team when I say this is our favorite part of our work! We love connecting with you and getting to know you.

Speaking of connecting, we were thrilled to see each of you at the Illinois Perinatal Quality Collaborative Face to Face meeting in Springfield at the end of May. If you could not attend, we learned more about accessing postpartum care, doulas, the Equitable Safe Sleep Initiative (ESSI), and preparing to launch the Maternal Mental Health Initiative in the Spring of 2025. If you have a passion for maternal mental health, please reach out to me. There may be opportunities to participate in developing this initiative with IL PQC.

Do you have plans for the summer? We do! We will be updating our North Central Illinois Perinatal Network Website, [www.nciperinatal.com](http://www.nciperinatal.com). Stay tuned for more details.

We will also continue to conduct perinatal redesignation site visits. As a bedside nurse, you may ask, how does this impact me, or how can I help with this? Ultimately, it comes down to documentation and knowing your hospital's policies or where to find them. When we come for a tour of your unit, please do not hide or avoid us! We are proud of the care you give and the exceptional nurse that you are! You know best the quality of care you provide for your patients. THANK YOU for all that you do!

## NCIPN SPOTLIGHT

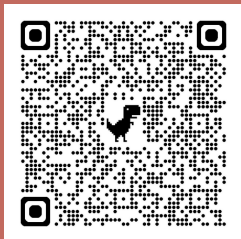
### Ashley Guy BSN, RN, CLC

Perinatal Coordinator & NICU/Peds/Maternal Child Float Interim Manager at UnityPoint Health - Trinity Moline, IL



Meet Ashley! She is a woman of many talents and juggles multiple roles within her organization. Prior to taking over the role of Interim Manager, Ashley served as an educator over multiple campuses and departments. She has been described by her coworkers as approachable, helpful with staff who don't feel comfortable, well organized, and a great educator. We are so grateful to have Ashley as part of the North Central Illinois Perinatal Network.

# ILPQC CORNER



Evidence Base for 2022  
Updated  
Recommendations for a  
Safe Infant Sleeping  
Environment

Don't forget to order your  
safe sleep printed  
materials!

## SITE VISIT TIPS

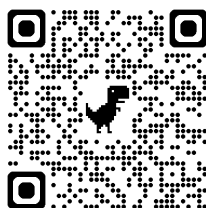
- Have you added a policy and education that summarizes emergency airway management in your facility? This is a new requirement per IL HB2820
- Make sure to include any quality improvement projects you have completed on your unit. Even if you are still in the planning stages, include it in your materials.
- Include pictures and graphs into your Site Visit materials

## JOURNALS



Operative Vaginal Birth: Neonatal  
Implications for Vacuum and Forceps-  
Assisted Vaginal Delivery

Use of Behavioral Health Treatment  
Among Parenting Women with Opioid  
Use Disorder in the United States



Sign up for  
S.T.A.B.L.E class here

June 25, 2024  
8-5:15

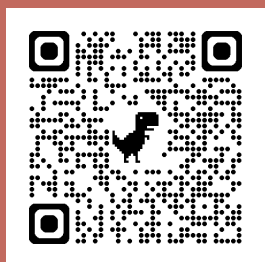
Peoria, IL

More dates coming soon!

Book required

COMING SOON!  
RELAUNCH OF  
THE ME FIRST,  
NEW MOM PRE-  
ECLAMPSIA  
EDUCATION

Low-Risk Neonatal  
Nursing Certification  
Prep Course  
August 28 & 29th, 2024



## UPCOMING TRAVELS

Preparing for the Expected -  
Galesburg June 5th

IDPH Redesignation Site Visit  
Genesis Medical Center Silvis  
June 7th

Preparing for the Expected - Silvis  
July 16th

### Non-Maternity Service Hospital Education:

Peoria Area EMS Pre-Hospital RN  
Class

OSF Center for Health - Streator

OSF St. Elizabeth - Peru

OSF St. Clare - Princeton

OSF St. James - Pontiac

Peoria Area EMS Paramedic Class

If you are interested in scheduling  
education, please reach out to Jen or  
Emalee

# NCIPN takes on Face to Face

May 22-23, 2024 Springfield, IL

