

Quest for Zero - Excellence in OB

BETA is focused on improving reliability and reducing risk exposure in obstetrics. BETA's Quest for Zero: OB offers a structured program designed to address common liability issues in the obstetrical setting guided by clinical experts who enhance loss prevention efforts in your organization.

The Quest for Zero – Excellence in OB is comprised of two tiers. Tier One lays the foundation while Tier Two builds upon it by introducing various risk reduction strategies outlined in a menu of options which include defined and measurable subcomponents supported by national standards, safe practices and evidence-based literature.

Tier One

Assessment Component:

- Each OB provider and registered nurse must complete the Relias Platform *Fetal Heart Monitoring v2* personalized learning module pertaining to electronic fetal heart rate monitoring and maternal physiology. The platform measures the clinician's relative strengths in each area while identifying areas of opportunity. Key analytics allow the organization to study individual and unit- based trends.
- An individualized learning path is delivered to each participant following the assessment. Areas of improvement that are identified as "red & yellow zones" must be completed.
- Performance Improvement: Those organizations taking a re-assessment of *Fetal Heart Monitoring v2* will need to show a minimum 1.5% average increase in knowledge scores. An exception will be those who score as "top performers" (upper 25th percentile). An average top performance by providers and registered nurses at any organization need only maintain that quartile.

NICHD Component:

- Each OB provider and registered nurse must comply with, and demonstrate use of, standard terms to describe fetal heart rate tracings as endorsed by the National Institute for Child Health & Development, ACOG, and AWHONN.

Tier Two

Menu of Options: Targeted strategies to direct loss prevention efforts, identified by facility-based trends, include the following:

- Culture of Safety
- Team Training & Communication
- Simulation and Drills
- Interdisciplinary Strip Review
- Obstetrical Hemorrhage
- Hypertensive Disorders in Pregnancy
- NCC Certification (RNC)
- Perinatal Risk Assessment
- Data Visibility and Transparency
- OB Rapid Delivery Bundle
- Nulliparous (primary) Cesarean Section
- Hyperbilirubinemia Screening
- Maternal Sepsis
- Shoulder Dystocia Management
- Second Stage of Labor Management
- Vacuum Bundle
- Perinatal Mental Health
- Patient and Family Centered Car

Value of Participation:

Tier One is valued at 2% of the hospital premium, related to the first \$5 million in limits purchased. There is an opportunity to gain additional credits by choosing up to two additional loss prevention strategies in Tier Two, each worth 2% if all criteria are met. This represents a potential annual contribution renewal credit of up to 6%. The OB Quest Guideline outlines Tier Two strategies and their respective requirements.

To learn more contact riskmgmt@betahg.com. BETA's risk management team members will partner with your organization to provide valuable support and guidance to help you achieve success.