

## Best Antenatal Strategies to Improve Maternal Fetal Outcomes

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<u>Target Audience</u> - This presentation is intended for physicians, advanced practice providers, and other clinicians who treat neonates.

<u>Purpose/Gap</u> – United States maternal mortality ratio and cesarean birth rate are rising. Preterm birth rate remains high. This educational activity will focus on reducing maternal mortality, preventing preterm birth, reducing early term delivery, and improving the use of antenatal corticosteroids.

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<u>Desired Learning Outcome</u> - Clinicians will implement at least one strategy to improve maternal fetal outcomes in their practice.

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