Survey of Dental Caries Prevention: Obstetric Providers

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1.	In the past year have you had pregnant pation ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Don't know/Not Sure	ents presen	t with tooth d	ecay?				
2.	How effective do you think each of the follo	wing is for p	reventing too	oth decay in	pregnant pa	itients?		
		Not Effective	Somewhat Effective	Effective	Very Effective	Don't Know		
	Community Water Fluoridation							
	Dietary fluoride drop/tablets							
	Fluoride dentifrices							
	Fluoride varnish							
	Toothbrushing without a fluoride dentifrice							
	Routine dental care							
	Professional prophylaxis							
	Flossing							
	Infrequent sugar consumption							
	Silver diamine fluoride							
3. 4.	□ Yes □ No							
5.	Do you routinely assess dental caries risk factors for your pregnant patients? (If no, skip to question 7) ☐ Yes ☐ No							
6.	Which of the following caries risk factors do (Select all that apply.) ☐ Frequency of dental visits ☐ Pregnant patient's exposure to fluoride ☐ Pregnant patient's has tooth decay ☐ Times per day the pregnant patient brus ☐ Socio-economic status of the pregnant p ☐ Pregnant patient's history of tooth decay	hes her tee atient		nt patients?				

	 □ Daily between-meal exposures to cavity pr □ Visible plaque □ Presence of enamel demineralization □ Other, please explain 	oducing food	I					
7.	Do you discuss oral/dental health with your pregnant patients? ☐ Yes ☐ No							
8.	How frequently do you discuss oral/dental health with your pregnant patients? ☐ At initial visit ☐ As needed ☐ At every visit ☐ Other, please explain							
9.	Is it your clinic policy to provide motivational i ☐ Yes ☐ No	nterviewing t	to your pre	gnant patient:	s?			
10.	Is it your clinic policy to set oral/dental health ☐ Yes ☐ No	self-manageı	ment goals	with your pre	egnant patie	ents?		
11.	During a typical workweek, how often do you patients?	use the follov	wing comm	nunication tecl	hniques wit	h your		
		Always	Most of the	Occasion-				
		Aiways	time	ally	Rarely	Don't Know		
	Ask patients to repeat back information or instructions		time		Rarely			
		-	_	ally		Know		
	instructions			ally		Know		
	instructions Speak slowly Limit the number of concepts presented at			ally		Know		
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12.			at they can prevented ent tooth decay in	-	among their pregnant ?	Medicaid patients.
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	Sure	Sure	Unsure	Unsure	Know	
13.	When treating prepregnancy.	egnant women, we	e ask her whether s	she has had a c	dental appointment d	uring her
		Most of				
	Always	the time	Occasionally	, Rar	ely	
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14.	When our medica	l team learns a pa	tient is pregnant, w	ve ask when he	er last dental appoint	ment was.
		Most of the				
	Always	time	Occasionally	, Rar	elv	
15.	When a pregnant	patient explains s	he has not had a de	ental visit, we:		
	(Select all that ap	ply.)				
	☐ Explain to her	that dental visits a	are important for h	er health and l	her baby's health	
	☐ Refer her to a	dentist for an app	ointment			
	☐ Help her make	an appointment	with the dentist			
	☐ Other, please 6					
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16.	We consult with d	ental providers re	garding mutual pa	tients.		
		Most of				
	Always	the time	Occasionally	, Rar	ely	
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17.	We have establish	ed relationships a	nd a referral proce	ss with dental	providers.	
		Most of				
	Always	the time	Occasionally	, Rar	elv	
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	ıs about you.					
18.	Excluding medical	school, have you	ever taken a cours	e on communi	cation skills?	
	☐ Yes					
	□ No					
19.	How would you ra	ite your medical so	chool training rega	rding preventii	ng tooth decav?	
	☐ Very good	,		0 -	J, -	
	☐ Good					
	□ Poor					
	☐ Very poor					
	☐ Not sure					
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20.	Where did you receive your pre-doctoral medical education?
	☐ In the United States
	☐ Outside the United States
21.	How many years has it been since you graduated from medical school?
	☐ Less than 5 years
	☐ 6-10 years
	☐ 11-20 years
	☐ More than 20 years
22.	What is your gender?
	☐ Female
	☐ Male
	☐ Other, please specify
23.	Are you Hispanic/Latino?
	☐ Yes
	□ No
24.	What is your race ethnicity? (Select all that apply.)
	☐ American Indian or Alaska Native
	☐ Asian
	☐ Black or African American
	☐ Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander
	☐ White
	□ Unknown

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Survey of Dental Caries Prevention: Obstetric Providers Scoring Rubric

This document describes how to score the Dental Survey.

- The survey has 24 questions.
- The demographic and informational questions are not scored.
 - o Demographic and informational questions: 1, 12, 18-24
- The scoring for each question is explained below the question.
- The correct answer for each question is high-lighted in yellow.

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1.	In the past year have you had pregnant patients present with tooth decay?								
	☐ Yes ☐ No								
	☐ Don't know/Not Sure								
	NOT Scored (informational)								
2.	2. How effective do you think each of the following is for preventing tooth decay in pregnant patients?				itients?				
		Not Effective	Somewhat Effective	Effective	Very Effective	Don't Know			
	Community Water Fluoridation								
	Dietary fluoride drop/tablets								
	Fluoride dentifrices								
	Fluoride varnish								
	Toothbrushing without a fluoride dentifrice								
	Routine dental care								
	Professional prophylaxis								
	Silver diamine fluoride								
	SCORING: Each correct response is scored 1 'Very Effective' are correct. Scores can range	-	tems 1-4 and	8, response	es of either 'E	Effective' o			
3.	Do you ask the source of drinking water for your pregnant patients? ☐ Yes ☐ No SCORE: Yes = 1; No = 0								
4.	 Do you recommend your pregnant patients drink tap water? ☐ Yes ☐ No SCORE: Yes = 1; No = 0 								
5.	Do you routinely assess dental caries risk face (If no, skip to question 7) ☐ Yes ☐ No SCORE: Yes = 1; No = 0	ctors for you	ur pregnant pa	atients?					

	6.	Which of the following caries risk factors do you use for your pregnant patients? (Select all that apply.) Frequency of dental visits Pregnant patient's exposure to fluoride Pregnant patient's has tooth decay Times per day the pregnant patient brushes her teeth Socio-economic status of the pregnant patient Pregnant patient's history of tooth decay Daily between-meal exposures to cavity producing food Visible plaque Presence of enamel demineralization Other, please explain SCORE: Each item selected is scored 1 point. 'Other' = 0. Scores can range from 0-9.
7	7.	Do you discuss oral/dental health with your pregnant patients? Yes No SCORE: Yes = 1; No = 0
8	8.	How frequently do you discuss oral/dental health with your pregnant patients? At initial visit As needed At every visit Other, please explain SCORE: At every visit = 1; all other items = 0
9	9.	Is it your clinic policy to provide motivational interviewing to your pregnant patients? ☐ Yes ☐ No SCORE: Yes = 1; No = 0
-	10.	Is it your clinic policy to set oral/dental health self-management goals with your pregnant patients? ☐ Yes ☐ No SCORE: Yes = 1; No = 0

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Speak slowly							
Limit the number a time to 2-3	er of concepts pres	ented at					
Ask patients to home to follow	tell you what they instructions	will do at					
Use simple lang	uage						
Hand out printe	d materials						
Underline key p	oints on print mat	erials					
Write or print o	ut instructions						
Draw pictures o	r use printed illust	rations					
Refer patients t sources of infor	o the internet or o mation	ther					
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Use video or D\	'D						
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11. During a typical workweek, how often do you use the following communication techniques with your

14.	When our medical team learns a patient is pregnant, we ask when her last dental appointment was				
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	Always	time	Occasionally	Rarely	
	Score each response	as follows: Alway	s = 3; Most of the time	= 2, Occasionally = 1; Rarely = 0.	
15.	When a pregnant par	tient explains she	has not had a dental vi	sit, we:	
	(Select all that apply	•		,	
	☐ Explain to her tha	t dental visits are	important for her heal	th and her baby's health	
	☐ Refer her to a der	ntist for an appoir	ntment		
	☐ Help her make an	appointment wit	th the dentist		
	☐ Other, please exp	lain			
	For the first three ite	ms, score each se	lected item as 1 point.	'Other' = 0.	
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21.	How many years has it been since you graduated from medical school? ☐ Less than 5 years ☐ 6-10 years ☐ 11-20 years ☐ More than 20 years
22.	What is your gender? Female Male Other, please specify
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