

# **Future Moms**

Personal support for little bumps to big bumps





### Program overview

Future Moms provides individual support to pregnant women to help them have healthier pregnancies, healthier deliveries and healthier babies.



Follows
progress from
first trimester
through
delivery and
newborn care



Checks for early risks to the mother and the baby



Offers
obstetrical
nursing
support
for both
high-risk and
non-high-risk
pregnancies



Provides post-delivery follow-up, including postpartum depression assessment, education and referral to Behavioral Health and Employee Assistance Program.



# Why Future Moms?

High-risk pregnancies, premature births and infant mortality can have a huge impact on health care costs:



Employers pay
12 times more
for premature
babies than
full-term babies.

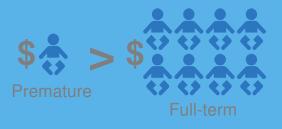
Direct health care costs to employers for the first year:

\$54,149 for every premature baby



\$4,389

for every **full-term** baby



With 1 in 9 babies born prematurely, employers spend more on that one premature baby than on the eight



When maternal costs are added, employers and employees pay

\$58,917

**more** for each premature baby.

### Goals

Focus on early **prenatal interventions**, **risk assessments** and **education** to help:



Promote healthier pregnancies and healthier babies



Reduce complications during pregnancy and delivery



Reduce low birth-weight births



Reduce pregnancy-related medical costs







### Key features

#### Comprehensive and personalized management approach for participants



Registered nurse with OB experience



Thorough assessment and risk identification



Lifestyle management and behavioral change counseling



Education on pregnancy care and topics



Case management for high-risk OB members



Depression screening before and after delivery



Pharmacy and nutritional counseling



Coordination of services and referrals



24/7 toll-free phone access to nurse coaches



## Program benefits



#### **Member benefits**

- Healthier behaviors
- Improved birth outcomes
- Interactive intervention and support
- Educational materials on proper selfcare and pregnancy management goals
- Increased understanding and control of health risks/conditions
- Improved understanding of appropriate health care utilization
- Reduced preventable conditions and related medical costs





# Program benefits



### **Employer benefits**

- Improved employee productivity
- Reduced absenteeism
- Increased employee satisfaction
- Reduced health care costs



### Advantages and differentiators



First maternity management program



Lactation consultants



Nurses certified in smoking cessation



24/7 access to our nurses



Experienced nurses in obstetrics and/or perinatology



Comprehensive management of high-risk participants



Personalized approach



Part of our Total
Population Health
solution and
integrates
effectively with
other health
management
programs



# Integrates with our health and wellness programs



Anthem Health Rewards



Wellness initiatives



Preventive care programs



Integrated care and condition management



Utilization management & catastrophic case management



Behavioral health



Pharmacy



Dental



Employee assistance program (EAP)



Anthem Health Guide



# Integration leads to increased engagement

#### **Anthem Health Rewards**

By incentivizing participation, clients 131% have seen a 131% increase in participation, with an increase of 84% in 1<sup>st</sup> trimester registrations.



### Future Moms engagement

#### **Population mailings**

- Women's health newsletter with Future Moms promotion
- Two versions sent based on age range for more relevant content
- Sent twice a year



#### Claims-based mailings

- Uses pregnancy-based claims as triggers
- Sent monthly with inclusion/exclusion criteria applied





### Identification and initial outreach



#### Identification

Self referral

or

doctor referral



Customer Service inquiry



Case Management referral

or

Other health & wellness program referral Promotion – within benefit information or via workplace campaigns with or without incentives

Population and claims-based mailings





### Identification and initial outreach



#### Assessment or initial outreach

Member enrolls and nurse coach initiates member management Initial telephone questionnaire – pregnancy and medical status



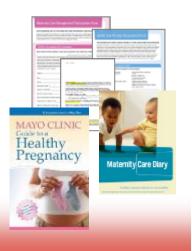
Complete
the health
information
profile in
the Maternity
Health Chart



Identify
participant
risk category:
low-risk
(standard) or
high-risk



Welcome kit – mailed to participant's home





### Ongoing management



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Nurse coaches contact members to provide ongoing assessment, monitoring and education. Frequency is based on risk factor.



**High-risk participants** contacted at least monthly – as frequently as daily, depending on need



**Low-risk participants** get outreach at 28-weeks and postpartum



Intensive high-risk participants get case management support for conditions such as acute preterm labor, placenta previa and multiple admissions before delivery



#### Other contacts (as needed)

- Get in touch with a pharmacist, social worker or dietitian
- Coordinate services and referrals (in-home care, home infusion therapy or durable medical equipment)
- Regularly inform associate case managers of progress; maintain contact with maternity care provider and health services vendor(s)

### Members can contact nurse coaches at any time

to ask pregnancy-related questions, no matter the risk level.



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#### 28-week contact

 Telephone contact (All risk levels)



#### Birth kit

- Birth booklet: Nurture
- Congratulations letter



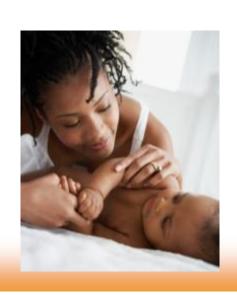
#### Postpartum follow up

- Telephone contact
- Depression screening



#### **Satisfaction survey**

• By mail



### Member story

#### Sarah's pathway to improved health

Enrolled in Future Moms program

Consulted nurse on health concerns

Receives continuous education and encouragement

Received regular calls and coaching from nurse coach

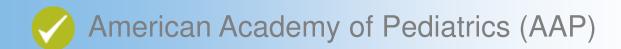
Urged to seek medical care





### Medical guidelines

Future Moms follows Guidelines for Perinatal Care (7th edition, 2010) by:



American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (ACOG)



### Provider engagement

#### Our multilevel collaboration with doctors includes:



Self-help resources for members



24/7 access by phone to a nurse



Conservation of valuable office staff time



Multilingual resources to help facilitate communication



Updates to the provider on member performance



Coordination of authorizations and arrangements for home health services



### Reporting metrics



#### **Program activity**

- Registration numbers
- Participation rate
- Participant demographics
- Risk assessment rate
- Clinical risk factors
- Program completion
- Program satisfaction



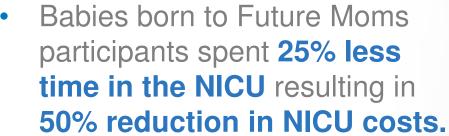
#### **Program outcomes**

- Participant delivery outcomes
- Low birth weight rate
- Gestational age at birth
- In-patient (IP) facility maternity expense per member
- IP facility maternity expense related to preterm complications
- IP facility infant prematurity expense
- Postpartum assessment
- Customized ad hoc reports available

# Future Moms Clinical Outcomes



Participants visited the emergency room 30% less than non-participants.











## Promoting Future Moms

- Hang posters or fliers in common areas like the cafeteria, break room, stairwells or elevators.
- Include information
   on Future Moms in your
   benefits information –
   near the section on
   maternity benefits.
- Provide fliers at open enrollment meetings, in your HR office or on your company Intranet site.
- Highlight Future Moms in your employee newsletter.
- Use the Future Dads resources, too!





### Q & A

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