



Maternal and infant health

Expanding the continuum of care

Together, we can make health better.

People are at the heart of everything we do and the inspiration for our legacy of outstanding outcomes, innovation, strong community partnerships, philanthropy and transparency. Corewell Health is a not-for-profit health system that provides health care and coverage with an exceptional team of 60,000+ dedicated people — including more than 11,500 physicians and advanced practice providers and more than 16,000 nurses providing care and services in 21 hospitals, 300+ outpatient locations and several post-acute facilities — and Priority Health, a provider-sponsored health plan serving more than 1.4 million members. Through experience and collaboration, we are reimagining a better, more equitable model of health and wellness.

By the numbers

Numbers are only part of our story. They help demonstrate the positive impact on the lives in the communities we serve.

One system of care and coverage

For more information, visit corewellhealth.org



60,000+
Team members



9,000+
Employers
contracted by
Priority Health



16,000+
Nurses



1.4+ Million
Health plan
members



300+
Ambulatory/
outpatient
locations



21
Hospital facilities



11,500+
Affiliated,
independent
and employed
physicians
and advanced
practice providers



5,000+
Licensed beds

● Hospital ○ Priority Health
Also serving Indiana, Ohio and Wisconsin



We can make the pregnancy journey better.

At Corewell Health, we welcome so many newborns we could fill three kindergarten classrooms every day of the year. We are honored to have such a large impact on the lives of families in our communities across Michigan. We also recognize that this impact comes with a great responsibility to ensure that every mother, baby and family receives the best possible care and support, regardless of their background, identity or circumstances. That is why we are committed to advancing equity and outcomes for all our patients and partners.

We believe that maternal, infant and family health is not only a matter of individual well-being, but also a social and collective good that benefits everyone. We also acknowledge that we cannot achieve this goal alone but need to collaborate and coordinate with other health care teams and sectors, such as education, housing, transportation and social services.



16

Hospitals delivering babies



10

Locations offering midwifery services



1 in 3*

Births at Corewell Health



350+

Pediatric specialists and subspecialists

*In 2023, of the 98,907 births in Michigan, 29,181 were at a Corewell Health facility.

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Our patients' pregnancy journey starts in their communities.

Their neighborhoods and homes determine their preparation for the pregnancy journey.

While pregnant, they get clinical care to optimize their maternal and infant outcomes.





When the pregnancy journey is complete, they are **properly resourced** and have the knowledge needed **to thrive** in their communities, neighborhoods and homes.



This new continuum of care provides patients with community-based **innovations, partnerships** and **resources** to stay healthy—understanding the social determinants of their community—treating the **whole person**.

Innovations and partnerships

“Even if you think you won’t need it, please participate anyway. This was my fourth baby and I learned new things with each session!”

“I’d recommend it as a way to not feel alone or isolated.”

CenteringPregnancy®

CenteringPregnancy® is designed to decrease the rate of preterm and low weight babies and increase breastfeeding rates.

Expanded to six locations across West Michigan



ROSE Program (Reach Out, Stay Strong, Essentials for mothers)

An evidence-based program that has been shown to reduce cases of postpartum depression by half among low-income women in a series of randomized control trials.

Mom’s Support Group in Southwest Michigan

A welcoming space for mothers to connect, share experiences and build community throughout their parenting journey. The group offers emotional support, practical tips and access to local resources in a relaxed and judgment-free environment.



Community doulas

Doula services have been shown to positively impact social determinates of health (SDoH), support birth equity and decrease existing health and racial disparities.

We consider doulas as engaged health care team members (not visitors) who provide personalized support before, during and after childbirth.

At Butterworth Hospital, community doulas can receive training to support their client in the operating room during cesarean section delivery.

GREAT MOMs

(Grand Rapids Encompassing Addiction Treatment with Maternal Obstetric Management)

This program provides pregnant women with integrated and caring treatment for substance use disorder through outpatient services, prenatal care and referral to a community doctor to keep receiving medication for addiction treatment after giving birth.



Pregnancy hub

Care before, during and after childbirth. Including planning your pregnancy, challenges with fertility, all three trimesters, high-risk factors, childbirth and beyond.



Maternal fetal medicine

A program where our maternal fetal medicine specialists provide coordinated care by working closely with leading pediatric subspecialists to give pregnant women a detailed care plan that explains what will happen before, during and after delivery when a birth

Now also available in Lansing, St. Joseph and Holland



Fetal cardiology program

The Congenital Heart Center has specially trained fetal cardiologists who are experienced and compassionate health care providers specializing in congenital heart disease and fetal heart rhythm disturbances.

Fetal care center

Program offering coordinated care between Corewell Health Maternal Fetal Medicine and Corewell Health Helen DeVos Children's Hospital for high-risk pregnancies.

Maternal levels of care

All Corewell Health birthing hospitals have gone through maternal level of care verification to support safer, more coordinated care and empower patients to access the right level of maternal care at the right time.

Maternal levels of care are designated by The Joint Commission

Home visiting support

These programs are designed to reduce maternal and infant morbidity and mortality through risk assessment, family-centered goals to reduce identified risks, health care and insurance system navigation and care coordination and direct connection to community-based resources focused on removing social determinant of health (SDoH) barriers.

- **Corewell Health Maternal Infant Health Program (MIHP)** is now also available in Southeast and Southwest Michigan
- **Corewell Health Community Health Workers in Partnership with Strong Beginnings**
- **Corewell Health Welcome Baby Program**
- **Corewell Health Maternal Health Navigators**



Black breastfeeding week

Several topical discussions shared in video and podcast formats recorded throughout the week and available online.



Lactation education and support

We offer a variety of online and in person lactation education and family support classes as well as access to lactation support professionals throughout the breastfeeding journey.

Free diapers

Priority Health and Corewell Health collaborate with local organizations across the state to provide hundreds of thousands of diapers (along with wipes and creams) to Michigan families.



Car seats to save lives

Corewell Health is committed to ensuring families have access to education on car seat safety. We employ many certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians (CPST) who are available for car seat fittings and checks.



At Corewell Health, we believe that everyone should live in healthy homes, neighborhoods and communities, and have access to high quality clinical care and programs. We are committed to ensuring that everyone—no matter their age, race or zip code—has the support they need to live their best life.

Our team of dedicated and passionate community health workers, nurses, doctors and leaders “stand in the gap” to meet people wherever they may be to get them the answers, services and support they need.



We invite you to learn more about our work and join us in creating a healthier and happier future for all.

Visit corewellhealth.org/pregnancy-hub or scan the QR code to learn more.





