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Maternal Mortality: Overview

Defining Maternal Mortality

Response to Maternal Mortality: Maternal Mortality Review Committees (MMRCs)

Primary Prevention: Community Health Centers (CHCs)

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Reproductive Justice Framework

Intersection of Race and Health: Racial Disparities Explained

cumulative

pathway mechanism

gendered racism

California MMRC: Strengths and Weaknesses

Washington, D.C.

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Data Collection: Interviews

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Document Analysis

Vital Statistics by Age

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Interviews

mortality

morbidity

3. The life-course perspective should be utilized to ensure that black women are healthy prior to, during, and after pregnancy because addressing health during pregnancy is too late

*4. Medicaid should be expanded and additional protections should be put in place
for black mothers*

5. The District needs to utilize innovative models of care to address black maternal mortality

6. Providers need to explicitly address race, racism, and weathering

8. Multi-sector partnerships must be utilized, especially CHCs

Policy Recommendation 2: Increase funding for CHCs and expand family planning /



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Interview Questions

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