

# Maternity Service Engagement - Flash Report September 2023



### **Progress/Achievements**

- Maternity Charter of Rights & Responsibilities launched 22nd August along with 4 translated versions, upload to Badgernet and the BiG website Moray Maternity – Birth in Grampian (scot.nhs.uk)
- Grampian Perinatal and Infant Mental Health Collaborative set up and met for first time 12<sup>th</sup> Sept
- Bi-annual Grampian MVP Network meeting held 21<sup>st</sup> Sept
- SLWGs with lived experience input underway for review of Mental Health &Wellbeing and Infant Feeding tabs on BiG website
- New fertility website engagement being taken forward by service
- MVP info updated on BiG website

## **Next Steps**

- Plan engagement session with Muslim families at Aberdeen Mosque
- Identify & schedule engagement sessions with groups in Aberdeenshire
- Antenatal education and inpatient postnatal care identified as key areas for improvement and collaboration opportunity

   to take improvement work forward with MVPs.
- Select design for congratulatory maternity card and distribute
- Reach out to more minority communities/groups
- Identify further areas of BiG website for review
- Monitor effectiveness of Maternity Charter
- Publish Aberdeen
   City/PEEP group
   engagement summary
   report

#### **Future Plans**

- Take forward Care
   Assurance and Reflection
   Tool (CART) feedback
   with consultant
   midwives
- Recreate digital experience tree for Maternity services

# GRAMPIAN Maternity Voices Partnership

# **Maternity Voices Partnership (MVP)**

#### Local area meeting dates

- Aberdeen City 4th July & 26th September
- Central & South 25th August
- Moray & Banff 26th July & 28th Sept
- North Aberdeenshire not currently active, seeking volunteer chair.

For more info on the MVP including how to join go to the Birth in Grampian website <u>Maternity Charter – Birth in</u> Grampian (scot.nhs.uk)



**Flash Reports** – previous maternity service engagement flash reports can be viewed here <u>Maternity Engagement (nhsgrampian.org)</u>



**Involving You** If you have any questions or suggestions about the maternity service engagement work being carried out across Grampian, please get in touch with our Community Engagement Manager, Hannah Ronald at <a href="mailto:gram.maternityengagement@nhs.scot">gram.maternityengagement@nhs.scot</a>