### **Maternity and Plan First**

Satellite Conference and Live Webcast Tuesday, December 2, 2008 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. (Central Time)

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#### Receiving Referrals from Maternity CC

- Referral will be received from Maternity CC after the Maternity 3<sup>rd</sup> encounter
- Plan First CC will review referral and contact the patient
- If referral indicates patient is under 19 or has Credible Insurance Coverage, there is no need to contact the patient

# Coding Time to Plan First Referrals

 Time spent receiving referrals, contacting patients, and completing the contact sheet is coded to DPH 15 4

#### **Referral Contact**

- High risk patients will be contacted by phone
- If phone contact is unsuccessful, a letter with a Plan First pamphlet will be mailed to the patient
- If patient is not high risk and staffing allows, the contact will be made by phone
- If staffing does not allow, contact may be made by mailing a letter and Plan First pamphlet to patient

#### **Successful Contact**

- · Identify yourself
- Ask if they have any knowledge of Plan First
- Explain what Plan First is and the benefits of Plan First including provider choice, pap smear, birth control, and care coordination
- Review Eligibility Date Information

#### **Successful Contact**

 Assess with patient which Provider she plans to use for her Family Planning Services

#### **Provider Choice**

- Provide a list of Plan First Providers in the Community
- List of Plan First Providers may be found on www.medicaid.state.al.us (under programs)

#### **Provider Choice**

- If Private Provider is chosen, address and phone number will be given to the patient
- If Health Department is chosen, explain how appointments are scheduled and assist with scheduling her next Family Planning appointment if applicable

### **Contraceptive Availability**

- Private Providers can provide Depo, IUD, and Implanon in their offices
- Private providers will refer patients to Health Department by completing a contraceptive form for birth control pills, patch, and Nuva ring

# Health Department Private Provider Visit

- Explain the process to obtain birth control through the Health Department Private Provider Visit
  - Example:
    - How to schedule appointment
    - Best day for appointment
    - Length of time of visit

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## Plan 1st Referral Follow-up

- File 1 copy of Attachment in the Plan First CC's office
- Send 1 copy of Attachment via hand-mail:

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