

## Maternal Health Workforce Development Work Group

### Objective

Identify and address workforce needs to promote and execute innovation in maternal health

### Proposed Strategies

Enhance training opportunities through Project ECHO sessions focusing on community-engaged approaches to respectful care\*

Enhance opportunities for provider, community, and birth worker communication

Provide internships to USC's MCH Catalyst students

Offer virtual learning sessions using SimCOACH™ to support rural areas with limited access to training

Implement and support the Train the Trainers Model to address provider retention, burnout and respectful care

Expand SIMCoach training to emergency personnel, non-birthing hospitals, community members, and family medicine providers\*

Establish support groups/mechanisms for birth workers

\*initiative currently supported by MHI funds

