

MOMS2B

Purpose

The Moms2B mission is to empower pregnant women in high risk neighborhoods to deliver full term healthy babies by providing weekly group sessions focused on education, nutrition, clinical and social support that continues through the baby's first year of life.

Impact

Moms2B addresses disparities in health and social determinants through weekly group sessions in high risk, low income neighborhoods and builds bridges to prenatal clinics, medical homes and community resources.

Each session includes pregnant and parenting women and a multidisciplinary team of physicians, midwives, nurses, social workers, medical dieticians and lactation consultants. Faculty and students from OSU and Nationwide Children's Hospital lead and support the groups along with nurses from the Columbus Public Health Caring for 2 programs in collaboration with community partners, student interns and volunteers.



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Weekly session locations in Columbus, Ohio:

Near East Side

Various churches on Tuesdays

Weinland Park

at Grace Missionary Baptist Church on Wednesdays

- Includes a parenting group at Godman Guild
- Additional sessions include Moms Time Out and Laundry Day

Far East Side

Christ Memorial Baptist Church on Thursdays

* New proposed Moms2B Clinic Connections: Building Bridges to Medical Homes in process

