

South East London Maternity Network

**Working Groups:
Initial Scope, Leads and Membership**

Proposed Working Groups

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Quality and Standards (including the LQS).	SEL Maternity Dashboard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incorporate London Maternity SCN Measures • Identify areas for improvement • Link to maternity strategy interventions • Define dashboard content (e.g. supernumerary labour ward midwife; PPH; LQS standards) • Develop set of metrics and definitions 	Jenny Blundell, Pauline Cross Jill Demilew Commissioner Network members
	24/7 Consultant Presence on Labour Ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review evidence and implementation from elsewhere (e.g. St George's) • Develop a proposal for working patterns • Review workforce requirements and cost • Develop a trajectory for 24/7 over 3 - 5 years • Cost Impact 	Kate Langford Clinical Directors

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	Improving Patient Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rolling out Whose Shoes at GSTT and KCH 	Helen Knower Cathy Walton Sally Carson Miranda Hamill Other network members
Personalised Maternity Care	Toolkits Implementation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> PPH Fetal Fibronectin 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stocktake across SEL Maternity Units of implementation plans / progress 	Annette Briley Clare Singh Commissioner input; Other network members
	Workforce: Recruitment and Retention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Whole SEL maternity workforce stocktake and gap analysis Midwife to birth ratios Role of MSWs Review of recruitment issues Review of retention issues 	Maxine Spencer Jane Evans HR Leads Data support Wider Network members

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	Use of Agency Staff	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review Competencies Understand Pay rates Quality expectations for training and competency 	Linda Machakaire Nav Paul Nigel Smith
Capacity and Demand	Neonatal Care: inutero transfers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Stocktake capacity of neonatal units including out of SEL providers Alignment with maternity services 	Tim Watts Janet Egan Miranda Hamill