

Pregnancy Recovery Center

Comprehensive Services for Pregnant Women with Opioid Use Disorder and their Infants



About Us

In 2014, Magee-Womens Hospital of UPMC opened its Pregnancy Recovery Center (PRC), an outpatient program offering pregnant women comprehensive and compassionate care for opioid addiction. The first and only in the region, the PRC provides office-based buprenorphine treatment, behavioral health counseling, social services, and prenatal care to pregnant and postpartum women with Opioid Use Disorder.

Patients in the PRC program receive treatment and medication throughout their pregnancy. In the postpartum period, patients are connected with a community provider to continue medication-assisted treatment. Babies born to mothers enrolled in the PRC program remain with their mothers whenever possible.

What is Buprenorphine?

Buprenorphine is one of two medications commonly used to treat opioid addiction in pregnancy and is a safe and effective treatment alternative. Magee's Pregnancy Recovery Center is the region's only buprenorphine clinic entirely dedicated to pregnant women.

Our Mission

Opioid addiction is a chronic disease that can be managed and treated successfully. The PRC accomplishes this by:

- Providing medication-assisted treatment to help prevent withdrawal during pregnancy
- Minimizing fetal exposure to illicit substances
- Engaging the mother as a leader in her recovery

Our Services

- Consultations
- Obstetrical services/prenatal care
- Medication-assisted treatment with buprenorphine
- Behavioral health counseling, in conjunction with the Perinatal Addiction Center of Western Psychiatric Institute and Clinic of UPMC
- Social services support from licensed social workers
- Blood and urine screening

Eligibility

- Confirmed pregnancy
- Diagnosis of Opioid Use Disorder
- Program engagement and commitment
- Valid photo ID and reliable transportation

Contact Us:

For more information, please call **412-641-1211** or visit **UPMC.com/MageePRC**.

Hours of Operation:

Monday to Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. | Treatment provided on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays