Early pregnancy loss (EPL) is common, occurring in approximately 15-20% of known pregnancies. EPL is largely managed by uterine aspiration in the operating room despite research indicating that treatment with expectant, medical, or aspiration management in the outpatient or emergency department can save time and cost and is equally safe, and is preferred by many patients.

WHAT IS TEAMM?
TEAMM trains healthcare teams to integrate all three forms of early pregnancy loss management - expectant, medication, and manual uterine aspiration - into their office-based and emergency medicine settings. Our goal is to help clinical sites achieve the highest quality care in accordance with current clinical guidelines and patient preferences and make coordinated, patient-centered EPL services the standard of care.

HOW DOES TEAMM TRAINING WORK?
TEAMM teaches EPL service integration through a multi-faceted and systems approach: didactic, experiential, and hands-on learning for the entire healthcare team involved in patient care, including physicians, APCs, RNs, MAs, social workers, clinic managers, and front desk staff. To do this, we offer tailored training interventions to clinical sites, which usually include these training sessions:

1. "Early Pregnancy Loss Management: What Everyone Needs to Know:" This session includes a didactic plus simulation workshop using papayas and is designed for the entire site team.

2. "Early Pregnancy Loss Service Implementation: How to Get it Done:" This session engages staff in a facilitated conversation detailing the steps of practice integration, covering things like protocols, equipment, clinic/ER flow and patient counseling. It is designed for a select group of providers and support staff.

After site trainings, TEAMM offers follow-up technical assistance tailored to a site’s specific needs.

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