

### Patient Voice

**Goal:** 50% of Emergency Department and Critical Care nursing staff will be educated on Maternal Sepsis, including a video with a patient voice testimony

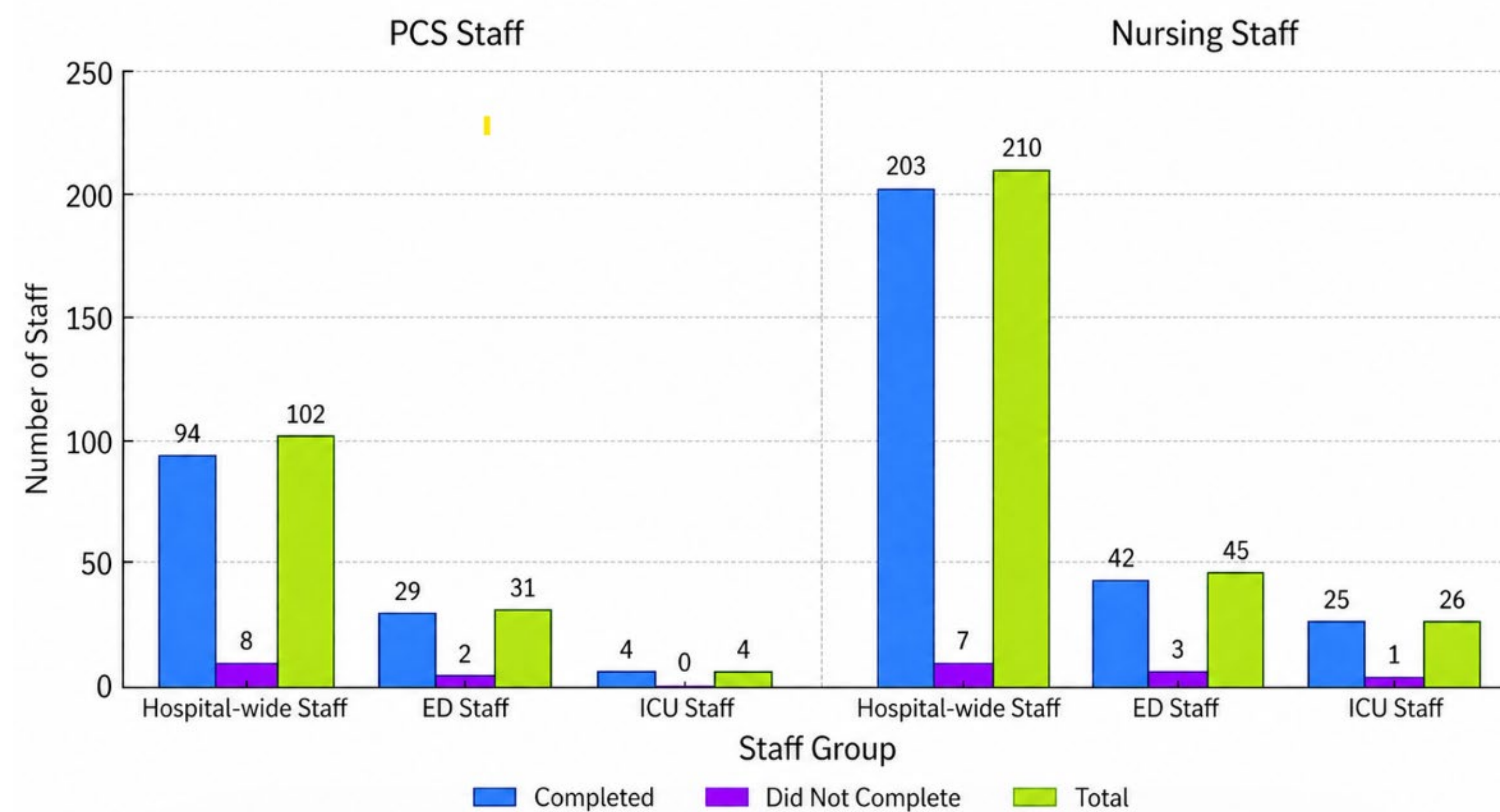
**Result:** Goal met. Maternal Sepsis was presented at skills labs (for med-surg, ED, ICU, PCU staff). We had one for nursing staff and one for patient care support (PCS). Both presentations included a PowerPoint and a Maternal Sepsis patient testimonial.

### Health Equity

**Goal:** 2 out of the 3 quarters, an interdisciplinary quarterly review of patients with actual or potential chorioamnionitis will occur along with a health equity pause (with 75% of patients) and share this with staff at staff meetings and providers at the department meetings (2 out of the 3 quarters).

**Result:** Goal met. We were able to complete monthly reviews, except for February 2026. February will be completed at the May meeting. At the end of each case presentation, the interdisciplinary group determined whether the patient had chorioamnionitis. All patients (100%) had no specific social determinants of health that could have impacted their care or diagnosis.

Maternal Sepsis Education Completion



95% of all staff completed education

93% of ED staff completed education

97% of ICU staff completed education

9/10 months completed = 90%

|                          | Original # Positive | Confirmed Positive After Review |
|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| Q2                       | 5                   | 2                               |
| Q3                       | 7                   | 2                               |
| Q4                       | 10                  | 6                               |
| <b>Total 2025</b>        | <b>22</b>           | <b>10</b>                       |
| January 2026             | 3                   | 1                               |
| February 2026            | 2                   | Review @ May Mtg                |
| March 2026               | 0                   | 0                               |
| <b>Total 2025 / 2026</b> | <b>27</b>           | <b>11</b>                       |

**Reduction of Chorio "ROC" Bundle**

- Pericare and pad changes
  - Q8 Latent Labor (< 6 cm)
  - Q2 Ruptured or Active Labor (> or = 6 cm)
  - PRN
  - Prior to IUPC / FSE placement and/or vaginal exams
  - \*\* Pericare method per nurses' discretion
  - Ex- using 1 wipe from Easy Cleanse bag, wetting it, using it for pericare and wiping dry/squeezing off with peribottle; soap (small container of body wash) and water, etc.
  - If the patient is not epiduralized, she may ambulate to the restroom and complete her own pericare.
- Monitor cords
  - FSE / IUPC in plastic bag when clean
  - Clean between use and place back in bag (new bag each time)
  - Wipe down once a shift (if being used) using Cavi wipes (will now be stocked in the cabinet above the sink)
  - Between patients clean port hole with alcohol swab and Q tip (see below)
- Healthcare Team Hygiene
  - At beginning of shift, wash hands well with soap and water and use nail pick
- Encourage and educate patients on handwashing.
- Sterile vaginal exams after ROM.

Please provide good education regarding pericare and infection reduction bundle with patient on admission.  
Go-live May 1st

