What has MADRES been up to since 2015?

MADRES: Established 2015

1. Recruitment began at Eisner Women’s Health Clinic.
   - 100 participants enrolled in the study!
   - Eligibility changed to include women up to 30 wks pregnant.

2. Recruitment began at South Central Family Health Center and USC Obstetrics & Gynecology.
   - 200 participants enrolled in the study!

3. MADRES opened a new clinic for visits.
   - 400 participants enrolled in the study!

In honor of our first newsletter, here is a little bit of our MADRES journey!

This March our study reached 400 participants! We would like to thank our recruiters for their continued hard work and our participants for their commitment to the study. Together our MADRES family is moving towards our goal of 1,000 participants.

Additional important milestones reached were 200 first trimester visits and 100 three month post birth questionnaires! Every goal could not be accomplished without the help of YOU, our participants.

Q&A WITH ONE OF OUR NEWEST MAMS AND TEAM MEMBER:

Jacqueline Garcia Enriquez

1. What is your favorite part of the study?

   "Getting to know about each participant’s experience during pregnancy and as a new mother is my ultimate favorite part. Yet, there is also something very special about witnessing each participant’s experience of the study, and what it means for each one to participate by providing their time and a glimpse of their world."

2. How was your pregnancy experience while working on the study?

   "Working on the study during my pregnancy was empowering on various levels. For one, it allowed me to have a work routine and overcome the physical demands of pregnancy by keeping busy and active. It was also empowering because it provided me a different perspective and deeper understanding of pregnancy and health."

3. What was your favorite part of pregnancy?

   "In retrospect, my favorite part of being pregnant was experiencing each phase of pregnancy. From the joy and excitement during the beginning of pregnancy to the anticipation and suspense during the end of pregnancy, and everything in between! But the part of being pregnant that I miss the most is feeling my kiddo move around in my belly reminding me that he was with me always."
What is upcoming in 2018!

Check out our brand new space dedicated to our visits and entertaining family!

Trolls, Finding Dory, Toy Story and many more movies for kids to watch during your visit.

New rooms to ensure privacy and comfort during your visit!

MADRES Summer Appreciation Party!

Come meet our staff and let us say THANK YOU for your participation in the study.

Who: You and your family are invited

What: Free food, games, and raffles!

When: June 9, 2018

11am-2pm

Where: 2001 N Soto St

Los Angeles, CA 90032

RSVP by May 20

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What is your next step?

First Trimester

Visit at USC

-Questionnaire

-Height and Weight

-Samples

2nd Trimester

Questionnaire by phone

3rd Trimester

Visit at USC

-Questionnaires

-Height and Weight

-Samples

3 Months

Questionnaire by phone

6 Months

Questionnaire by phone

7-14 Days

Questionnaire by phone

12 Months

Visit at USC

-Questionnaires

-Height and weight

-Samples: mom and baby

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