



### “Best Practice” 4 Core Perinatal Measures

**Induction of labor <10%, primary cesarean <15%, episiotomy <2%, breastfeeding before discharge >75%**

The “4-Core” Best Practice designation has been designed to acknowledge practices achieving nationally established benchmarks for physiologic birth. These 4 measures are harmonized with the National Quality Forum (NQF) and Joint Commission perinatal quality measures. Of the 203 practices participating in the 2011 ACNM Benchmarking survey, these 29 practices reported and achieved all four benchmarks.

13th Moon Midwifery	Fort Collins	CO
Angels Singing Over Me Midwifery Well Woman and Newborns	Hutto	TX
Birth Care & Family Health Services	Bart	PA
North Houston Birth Center, LLC	Houston	TX
North Shore Birth Center	Beverly	MA
Rite of Passage Women's Health & Birth Center	Pearland	TX
Angelita Nixon, CNM, LLC	Scott Depot	WV
Atlanta Birth Care	Duluth	GA
BIRTHWISE OF CENTRAL NC	BEAR CREEK,	NC
Carrboro Midwifery	Carrboro	NC
Clementine Midwifery	Brooklyn	NY
COOPMUJER	Caroliina	PR
Family Birth Services	Spokane	WA
Home Sweet Homebirth	Suffern	NY
Homebirth practice	Brooklyn	NY
Jennifer Houston (Private Practice)	Catskill	NY
Jennifer Houston CNM (Guatemalan Birth Center)	Catskill	NY
JJB Midwifery	Brooklyn	NY
Kristen Leonard	Brooklyn	NY
Labor of Love Midwifery Service	Arlington	IL
Laughing Waters Homebirth Midwifery	Sioux Falls	SD
Lebanon Valley Midwifery and Women's Wellness	Womelsdorf	PA
Local Care Midwifery, PLLC	Troy	NY
M.A.M.A.S. Inc	Silver Spring	MD
Motherworks, LLC	Mount	MO

	Vernon	
River & Mountain Midwives PLLC	New Paltz	NY
Shiphrah Midwifery	Roanoke	VA
WHBC	Houston	TX
Park Nicollet Clinic- Methodist	St. Louis Park	MN