Introducing MommyCare Prenatal and Postnatal Fitness Program



Maternity wellness programs to benefit you at any stage of pregnancy and postpartum.

Classes are designed for any fitness level and follow American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology (ACOG) guidelines. Both in-person and virtual options are available. Details on reverse, or email <u>Stacy.Bittner@baycare.org</u>

Begin your maternity and motherhood wellness journey today!

Cheek-Powell Fitness Center Morton Plant Hospital 455 Pinellas St. Clearwater, FL 33756 (727) 462-7685 Massage License #MM7067

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Pre/Post Natal Fitness Schedule

Wednesdays 5:00pm with LaMor (Bloomingdale) Wednesdays 5:30pm with Shailja (Clearwater) Saturdays 8:00am (Virtual)

Pre/Post Natal Nutrition Class Schedule

with our Registered Dietitian Nutritionist Second Thursday (begins Jan. 14) 9:00am (virtual) Fourth Thursday (begins Jan. 28) 6:00pm (virtual)

Nurture a happier, healthier pregnancy and motherhood from a supported, holistic perspective.

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Learn to assess your changing body and select appropriate, effective exercises to help you start, or safely continue, to exercise.

Meet your specialists



Shailja Reuter is an occupational therapist and a certified group fitness instructor for BayCare. She specializes as a certified Pre and Post-Natal Corrective Exercise Specialist and a certified pre and post-natal yoga instructor. Shailja loves the outdoors, anything to stay active, and dancing is her form of meditation.



LaMor Silas is a Certified Yoga Therapist (C-IAYT), ACE certified Personal Trainer, Group Exercise Instructor and Faculty Member of the YogaFit Worldwide Yoga Therapy Program of which Prenatal/Postpartum Yoga and Fitness and Pelvic Floor Health is a core curriculum. LaMor enjoys the out of doors and feels blessed to live in Florida where being outdoors is available year round.

Benefits of a maternity wellness program:

Learn how to correctly lessen or prevent common prepartum and postpartum-related discomforts as hormones fluctuate during pregnancy and during the postpartum recovery period.

Reduce the risk of muscle aches, SI joint pain, round ligament pain, pelvic and back pain.

Reduce fatigue, burnout and lack of energy

Learn techniques to lessen or prevent diastasis recti (separation of abdominal walls), incontinence, swelling and weight gain.

Reduce chances of needing additional pain relief medications and other interventions, and shorten labor.

Gain the sense of self-confidence needed to look and feel your best, relax and reconnect with your changing body, feel more prepared for the upcoming birth experience and then continue to function while caring for a new baby.

Classes may include elements of dance and yoga, core training, gentle stretching, endurance building through interval training, breathing techniques, guided imagery and more.



Pregnancy Massage is available at both locations, using special cushions and bolsters to assure the safety and comfort of mother and baby. Call the center nearest you to make your appointment!

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Physician Consent Form Prepartum & Postpartum Program

Doctor or Midwife:			
Patient/Client:		_ Phone:	
Your patient has decided to start, or co Fitness Center. Programming meets al			•
Our Prepartum and postpartum program	ms may include any or all o	f the following:	
• Breathing, Core with Pelvic Floor	Balance Exercises	Corrective Exercise	• Yoga
Aerobic Exercise	• Flexibility	• Posture	
Physician Signature		Date	
Physician Office Phone Number			

PHYSICIAN STAFF: Please retain a copy for patient's medical record. PATIENT: Signed original should be brought to Fitness Center on first visit.

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