AIMS For a better birth...

What has the AIMS Campaigns Team been up to this quarter?

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By the AIMS Campaigns Team

Written outputs:

- 5th February: AIMS Submission to the Birth Trauma APPG
- 1st March: comments on BESt UK survey wording
- 6th March: Letter of support to Stella Creasy MP, who was referred to Children's Services by a online troll and was unable to get the referral removed.
- March: AIMS Submission to the House of Lords Preterm Birth Committee

Conferences and meetings attended:

- 2nd February: BESt UK information meeting, online
- 5th February & 18th March: RCM Research Prioritisation project steering group meeting, online
- 6th February: London Maternity & Midwifery Festival 2024
- 14th March: NHS-E Stakeholder Council away day
- 19th March: Bradford/Airedale MNVP meeting on women's experience of induction
- 20th March & 4th April: Plan-A Study PPI (Patient and Public Involvement) partners meeting
- 21st March: Continuity of Carer huddle: this is a sub-group of the AIMS Campaigns Team
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22nd-24th March: Doula UK Conference

- 9th April: All-Ireland Maternity & Midwifery Festival 2024 in Dublin
- 12th-14th April: ENCA meeting online sessions
- 23rd April: Charities and Service Users Maternity Continuity Network meeting

Who we have been corresponding with:

- 25th March: Visiting midwives from Japan
- 17th April: Northern Ireland Nothing About Us Without Us (NAUWU) - Women's Health Strategy questionnaire
- 20th April: ENCA annual meeting blended session

What we've been reading:

- NICE guideline on twin and triplet pregnancy
- First 1001 Days Manifesto for Babies - A Manifesto for Babies is published by the First 1001 Days Movement – a coalition of over 200 charities and professionals who believe that babies' emotional wellbeing and development matters.

What we've been watching:

- Born at Home

Thanks to all the AIMS campaigns Volunteers who have made this work possible. We are very keen to expand our campaigns team work, so please do get in touch with campaigns@aims.org.uk if you'd like to help!

See all Campaign Team updates