COVID-19 Phone Triage Algorithm for Postpartum Home Visit

Use this screening tool PRIOR to leaving Birth Center for home visit

Ask: Does the patient have any of the following:
- [ ] Fever (100.2 F or greater)
- [ ] Cough, shortness of breath
- [ ] Flu-like symptoms
- [ ] Had contact with any person who is under investigation or confirmed for COVID-19

IF NO

IF YES

Asymptomatic
Telehealth visit for patient. Infant referred to pediatric provider.

Mild Symptoms
Telehealth visit for patient. Infant referred to pediatric provider.

Difficulty Breathing
Refer to Hospital ED

Ask: Does anyone in the household or anyone the patient has had contact with since leaving the birth center have any of the following:
- [ ] Fever (100.2 F or greater)
- [ ] Cough, shortness of breath
- [ ] Flu-like symptoms
- [ ] Had contact with any person who is under investigation or confirmed for COVID-19

IF NO

Proceed with home visit. Refer to COVID-19 home visit procedure.

IF YES

Telehealth visit for patient. Infant referred to pediatric provider.