



# Implicit Bias

Its Effects on Black Maternal Mortality

A. Importance of  
addressing  
maternal and infant  
mortality rates

B. The role of  
supportive centers  
in women's  
healthcare journey

Intro

Healthcare responds  
to the symptoms of  
larger problems

# Addressing Implicit Bias in Healthcare Systems



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A. Defining  
implicit bias and  
its implications

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B. Becoming an  
ally to combat  
implicit bias

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C. Supporting  
clients before,  
during, and after  
the birth  
experience

# Housing



## Recognizing

Recognizing housing as a crucial factor in women's choices

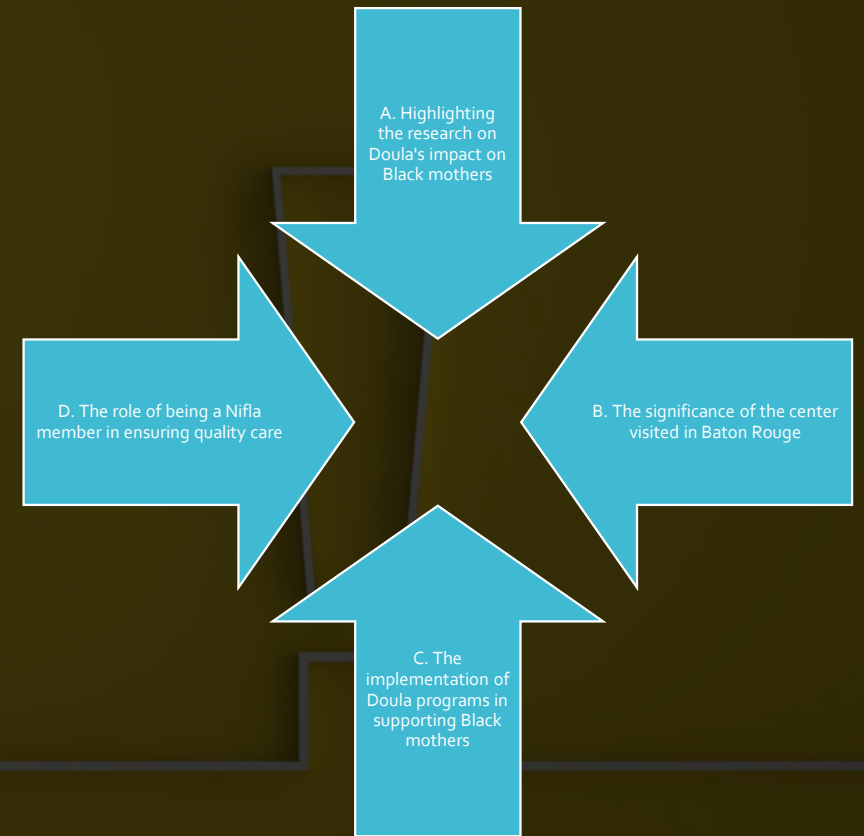
## Advocating

Advocating for safe and affordable housing options

## Exploring

Exploring alternatives to building individual maternity homes

# Doula Programs for Black Mothers



# Empowering Women through Advocacy

A. Centers as a  
source of  
information and  
education



B. Equipping clients  
with knowledge to  
advocate for  
themselves



C. Understanding  
and exercising  
birthing and post-  
birth rights

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A. Recap of key points discussed

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B. Reiterating the importance of supportive centers

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C. Encouraging collective efforts to address maternal and infant mortality rates

Conclusion