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Naima Joseph is a board-certified obstetrician gynecologist with subspecialty expertise in Maternal and Fetal Medicine, an Assistant Professor at Harvard Medical School and a practicing physician in the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at the Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center. She completed her undergraduate studies at the University of Notre Dame, attended medical school at the University of Connecticut, and completed residency training in obstetrics and gynecology at the Harvard Combined Obstetrics and Gynecology program at Brigham and Women's Hospital and Massachusetts General Hospital. Following residency, she completed a Global Women's Health Fellowship at Brigham and Women's Hospital and a Masters of Public Health at Harvard Chan School of Public Health, where her work focused on analyzing quality of maternity care delivery in low-income countries. She completed maternal fetal medicine fellowship at Emory University/Grady Memorial Hospital. At this time, she was privileged to take a leadership role in translating emerging evidence into clinical practice both locally and nationally during the COVID-19 pandemic. She particularly has been involved in developing guidance for the care of pregnant people with emerging infectious diseases, such as COVID-19 and monkeypox. Her career and research focus centers on health systems approaches to achieving equity and quality in maternity care, with particular emphasis on reducing perinatal infectious disease morbidity. She is currently the Vice Chair of the SMFM COVID-19 task force.