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Villages

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Abstract The finding that nearly one third of maternal deaths due to pregnancy and child birth-

related complications result from a delay in seeking care under scores the need to raise community awareness, including that of family decision makers on the likely adverse consequences of pregnancy and child birth if timely care is not sought.

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