

**Dr. Vered Bar** is the head of Chava Center for Reproductive Psychiatry in Sheba Medical Center, Israel. Chava clinic was founded at 2007 and is a multidisciplinary clinic for women going through mental changes through the reproductive cycle. In 2019 Chava center founded the first Mother Baby Day Unit in Israel – offering intensive care for women and babies in the first postpartum year.

Chava Center specializes in treating women bereaved by stillbirth. Cooperation with Women's Hospital in Sheba Medical Center, allows continuity of care and development of treatment strategies to fit women's and family's needs.

Dr. Bar is involved in many clinical studies (yet to be published), including studies of treatment of women after stillbirth, efficacy of group therapy for women bereaved by stillbirth, women suffering postpartum depression and other perinatal mental states. Together with Prof. Weiser, head of the psychiatric division in Sheba Medical Center, Prof Jennifer Payne from Johns Hopkins School of Medicine, involved in a NIMH supported study looking at epigenetic and hormonal predictors of postpartum depression.