

# state profile

A Snapshot of how the Title V Maternal and Child Health Block Grant Works in Your State

# Delaware

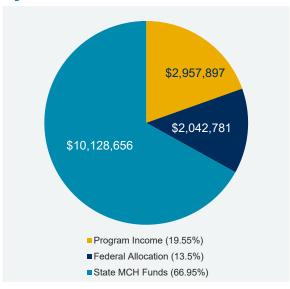
#### **Maternal and Child Health Block Grant 2023**

The Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant, Title V of the Social Security Act, is the only federal program devoted to improving the health of all women, children, and families. In Fiscal Year 2021, 92% of all pregnant women, 98% of infants, and 58% of children nationwide benefitted from a Title V-supported service. To learn more about Title V, visit <a href="https://www.amchp.org">www.amchp.org</a>.

MCH Block Grant Funds to Delaware	
FY 2020	\$2,027,026
FY 2021	\$2,042,781
FY 2022	\$2,073,458

<sup>\*</sup>States must provide a \$3 match for every four Federal dollars allocated.

### **Delaware Expenditures Funding** by Source in FY 2021



## Percentage Served by the Delaware MCH Program\*

100.0%	Pregnant women
100.0%	Infants under one
100.0%	Children and adolescents
3.0%	Children with special health care needs
100.0%	Others

\*2021 State/Jurisdiction Annual Reports Submitted to the Maternal and Child Health Bureau



### State spotlight: Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs

Delaware has implemented our second year of mini grants serving Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs (CYSHCN). These efforts have been executed through our Family Support and Healthcare Alliance of Delaware (Family SHADE) project, which is led by Parent Information Center (PIC). Through our revitalized Family SHADE project, PIC has established a Family Leadership Network (FLN) which includes families of CYSHCN which meet monthly. The FLN is instrumental in providing their lived experiences and identifying gaps in CYSHCN service delivery, so that the execution of service is being met. The mini grantees that have been awarded through the revitalization of the Family SHADE project are: Jay's House, Tomaro's CHANGE, Down Syndrome Association of Delaware, Children's Beach House, and Teach Zen. Family SHADE will continue to work with our 40+ organizations and agencies committed to working together to improve the quality of life of children and youth with special health care needs. Family SHADE will focus on innovation and strategies to improve the Title V national performance measures and support the implementation of the standards for systems of care for CYSHCN through measurable outcomes.

### **Current Special Projects of Regional and National Significance (SPRANS)**

Special Projects of Regional and National Significance (SPRANS) funding complements the formula funding each state receives and helps ensure the success of state Title V, Medicaid, and CHIP programs by driving innovation, responding to emerging and entrenched issues, and building capacity for integrated systems of care for women, children, and families.

#### **Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children Program**

The Nemours Foundation, Wilmington, DE (DE-At Large)

#### **State Systems Development Initiative**

Executive Office of the Governor of Delaware, Dover, DE (DE-At Large)

### **Additional links and ways to contact AMCHP:**

The Delaware Division of Public Health, Department of Health and Social Services uses Title V funds to protect and improve the health of Delaware's women, children, and families.

For additional information about the Title V MCH Block Grant in your state, visit https://mchb.tvisdata.hrsa.gov/.

For additional information about AMCHP, visit <a href="www.amchp.org">www.amchp.org</a> or contact Amy Haddad, AMCHP Chief Government Affairs Officer, <a href="mailto:ahaddad@amchp.org">ahaddad@amchp.org</a>.

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