

state profile

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

Missouri

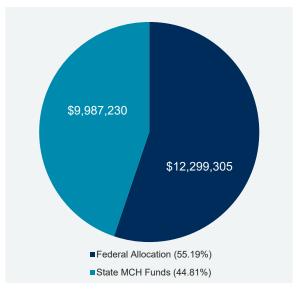
Maternal and Child Health Block Grant 2023

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 www.amchp.org.

MCH Block Grant Funds to Missouri	
FY 2020	\$12,242,452
FY 2021	\$12,299,305
FY 2022	\$12,469,248

^{*}States must provide a \$3 match for every four Federal dollars allocated.

Missouri Expenditures Funding by Source in FY 2021



Percentage Served by the Missouri MCH Program*

52.6%	Pregnant women
99.6%	Infants under one
10.3%	Children and adolescents
16.2%	Children with special health care needs

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



State spotlight: Home Visiting

Missouri's Home Visiting and Safe Cribs for Missouri programs reside within the Office of Childhood at the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education. Title V funds support home visiting services in twenty-two counties through the evidence-based Healthy Families America (HFA) and the Nurse Family Partnership (NFP) home visiting models. The goals of these programs are to engage low-income families in home visiting services to prevent adverse pregnancy outcomes; cultivate and strengthen nurturing parent-child relationships; promote healthy childhood growth and development; improve economic self-sufficiency by continuing education and job finding assistance; and enhance family functioning by reducing risks and building protective factors.

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.

Awareness and Access to Care for Children and Youth with Epilepsy

Children's Mercy Hospital, Kansas City, MO (MO-05)

Center of Excellence in MCH Education, Research, and Practice

Saint Louis University, Saint Louis, MO (MO-01)

Sickle Cell Disease Newborn Screening Follow-up Program

Sickle Cell Association, Saint Louis, MO (MO-01)

State Systems Development InitiativeMO Department of Health and Senior Services,
Jefferson City, MO (MO-03)

Additional links and ways to contact AMCHP:

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

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

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