

West Virginia

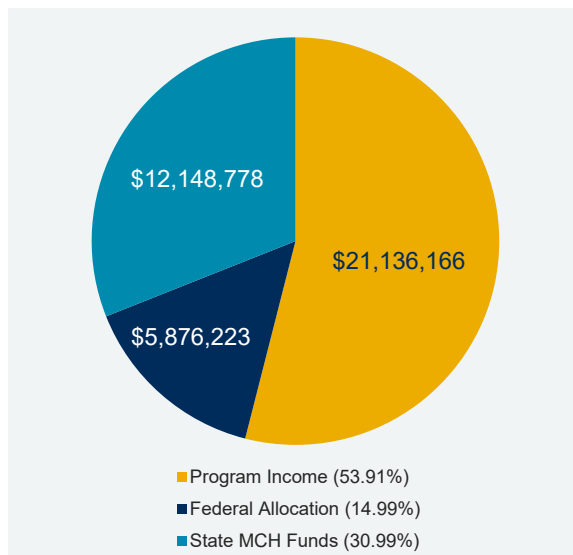
Maternal and Child Health Block Grant 2023

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 West Virginia	
FY 2020	\$6,176,181
FY 2021	\$6,205,535
FY 2022	\$6,241,696

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

West Virginia Expenditures Funding by Source in FY 2021



Percentage Served by the West Virginia MCH Program*

88.0%	Pregnant women
97.0%	Infants under one
75.0%	Children and adolescents
51.0%	Children with special health care needs
35.0%	Others

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

State spotlight: Early Intervention

West Virginia has a unique population-based screening instrument which is used by all licensed birthing facilities to identify newborns who are at risk of death in the first year of life, have a developmental delay, critical congenital heart disease, and/or hearing loss. This unique screening is supported by Title V funds with subsequent intervention provided to the infants by the Right from the Start Program, Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) Program or West Virginia Birth to Three (I.D.E.A. Part C). Infants who are identified with risks receive one-on-one support through licensed personnel in the community. Children who are identified as high risk are eligible to receive an accelerated number of medical visits in their first six months of life, which is paid for by private carriers, Medicaid, etc.

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.

Maternal & Child Health Improvement Projects

West Virginia Department of Health and Human Resources, Charlestown, WV (WV-02)

Rural Integration Models for Parents and Child to Thrive

West Virginia University Research Cooperation, Morgantown, WV (WV-01)

Additional links and ways to contact AMCHP:

The West Virginia Office of Maternal Child and Family Health and Bureau for Public Health use Title V funds to protect and improve the health of West Virginia'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 www.amchp.org or contact Amy Haddad, AMCHP Chief Government Affairs Officer, ahaddad@amchp.org.

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