

# state profile

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

# Maryland

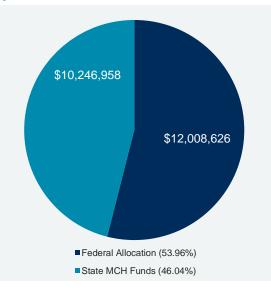
#### Maternal and Child Health Block Grant 2024

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 2022, 93% of all pregnant women, 99% of infants, and 61% 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 Maryland		
FY 2020	\$11,850,506	
FY 2021	\$11,872,645	
FY 2022	\$12,008,626	

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

#### Maryland Expenditures Funding by Source in FY 2022



## Percentage Served by the Maryland MCH Program\*

100.0%	Pregnant women
100.0%	Infants under one
100.0%	Children and adolescents
100.0%	Children with special health care needs
40.0%	Others

\*2022 State/Jurisdiction Annual Reports Submitted to the Maternal and Child Health Bureau



#### State spotlight: Pregnant Individuals, Mothers, and Infants

The goal of the Maternal and Perinatal Health Program is to prevent maternal and infant deaths and other adverse perinatal outcomes by promoting preconception health, assuring early entry into prenatal care, and improving perinatal care. In collaboration with local health departments, hospitals, private providers, professional organizations, and community groups, the program supports infant mortality review activities in every jurisdiction and promotes access to quality services for all pregnant women and infants. The Babies Born Healthy Initiative supports enhanced care coordination in the most impacted jurisdictions. The Statewide Integrated Health Improvement Strategy focuses on improving maternal and infant health using the state's financial healthcare system model.

#### **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

University of Maryland at Baltimore, Baltimore, MD (MD-7)

State Systems Development Initiative Maryland Department of Health, Baltimore, MD (*MD-7*)

## Maternal and Child Health Pipeline Training Program

Kennedy Krieger Children's Hospital, Baltimore, MD (*MD-7*)

#### Maternal Health Research Network for Minority-Serving Institutions

Morgan State University, Baltimore, MD (MD-7)

National Maternal and Child Health Data Resource Center

The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD (MD-7)

**Transforming Pediatrics for Early Childhood** The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD (*MD-7*)

MCH Secondary Data Analysis Research The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD (*MD-7*) Morgan State University, Baltimore, MD (*MD-7*)

State Maternal Health Innovation Program The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD (MD-7)

**Training Program in Maternal and Child Health** The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, MD (*MD-7*)

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

The Prevention and Health Promotion Administration at the Maryland Department of Health uses Title V funds to protect and improve the health of Maryland's women, children, and families.

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

For additional information about AMCHP, visit <u>www.amchp.org</u> or contact Sherie Lou Santos, AMCHP Chief Government Affairs Officer, <u>ssantos@amchp.org</u>.

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