

# state profile

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

# **New Jersey**

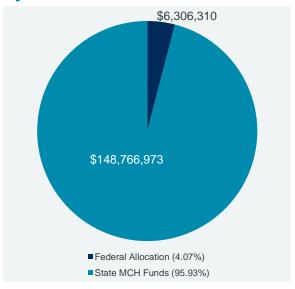
### Maternal and Child Health Block Grant 2024

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 <a href="https://www.amchp.org">www.amchp.org</a>.

| MCH Block Grant Funds to New Jersey |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| FY 2020                             | \$11,679,835 |
| FY 2021                             | \$11,703,856 |
| FY 2022                             | \$11,835,348 |

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

# **New Jersey Expenditures Funding** by Source in FY 2022



# Percentage Served by the New Jersey MCH Program\*

| 99.4%  | Pregnant women                          |
|--------|---|
| 100.0% | Infants under one                       |
| 10.4%  | Children and adolescents                |
| 36.9%  | Children with special health care needs |
| 2.0%   | Others                                  |

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



# **State spotlight: Children with Special Health Care Needs**

The New Jersey Department of Health, Division of Family Health Services' Special Child Health Services (SCHS) Program, with a combination of State and Federal funds, promotes early identification, evaluation, diagnosis and treatment of children with special health needs. SCHS is focused on providing family-centered, community- based services that are individualized and accessible. Individuals from birth to 21 years of age who have any of a broad range of disabilities or chronic illnesses may benefit from the available child health services, which include newborn screening and genetics, specialized pediatrics, case management, and early identification and monitoring. SCHS also collaborates with Early Intervention Services to ensure children birth to three are appropriately referred for services.

# **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.

#### **Infant-Toddler Court Program**

Passaic County Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA), Wayne, NJ (NJ-11)

# Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children Program

Virtua Health, Marlton, NJ (NJ-03)

### **State Maternal Health Innovation Program**

New Jersey Department of Health, Trenton, NJ (NJ-12)

### **State Systems Development Initiative**

New Jersey Department of Health, Trenton, NJ (NJ-04)

#### **Transforming Pediatrics for Early Childhood**

American Academy of Pediatrics New Jersey Chapter, East Windsor, NJ (NJ-12)

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

The New Jersey Department of Health, Division of Family Health Services uses Title V funds to protect and improve the health of New Jersey'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 Sherie Lou Santos, AMCHP Chief Government Affairs Officer, <a href="mailto:ssantos@amchp.org">ssantos@amchp.org</a>.

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