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

Pennsylvania

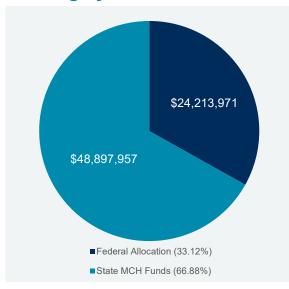
Maternal and Child Health Block Grant 2024

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 Pennsylvania	
FY 2020	\$23,928,946
FY 2021	\$23,954,647
FY 2022	\$24,281,167

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

Pennsylvania Expenditures Funding by Source in FY 2022



Percentage Served by the Pennsylvania MCH Program*

91.8%	Pregnant women
99.6%	Infants under one
45.2%	Children and adolescents
52.9%	Children with special health care needs

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



State spotlight: Students Run Philly Style's OUTPace Program

Title V funds support Students Run Philly Style (SRPS)'s OUTPace youth running and mentorship program improving health outcomes and increasing protective factors for youth in Philadelphia. SRPS collaborated with RunSignup, the race registration platform, to expand inclusivity and create welcoming spaces. In 2020, SRPS began including a nonbinary race registration option for their races. In 2021, the Philadelphia Distance Run, organized by SRPS, became the first major U.S. road race to offer a nonbinary division with equal prize money for elite nonbinary athletes. In 2022, RunSignup announced full nonbinary support on the platform, allowing a more inclusive registration experience. Since then, hundreds of races, including the Blue Cross Broad Street Run and Philadelphia Marathon, two large races in Philadelphia, have enabled nonbinary registration through RunSignup. OUTPace was recognized by the Philadelphia Gay News and LGBTQ+ Community at the 2022 Stonewall Awards Brunch for their efforts to become more open and inclusive for youth in their program.

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

Kids Smiles, Inc., Philadelphia, PA (*PA-1*) Maternal & Child Health Consor, West Chester, PA (*PA-6*)

Hemophilia Treatment Centers

Lehigh Valley Hospital, Inc., Allentown, PA (PA-7)

Leadership Education in Adolescent Health

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA (PA-2)

Maternal and Child Health Bureau State Systems Development Initiative

Pennsylvania Department of Health, Harrisburg, PA (PA-1)

Maternal and Child Health Public Health Catalyst Program

Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA (PA-3)

Maternal and Child Health Nutrition Training Program

The Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA (PA-12)

Thalassemia

The Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, PA (*PA-2*)

Additional links and ways to contact AMCHP:

The Pennsylvania Department of Health Bureau of Family Health uses Title V funds to protect and improve the health of Pennsylvania'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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