

Needs Assessment Resources to Support AMCHP Members



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Resources in Support of AMCHP Initiatives

As state Title V programs prepare to conduct the upcoming comprehensive five-year needs assessment review, Georgetown University's MCH Navigator and MCH Library are pleased to support the Association of Maternal and Child Health Programs (AMCHP) with this list of online trainings and resources.

The following needs assessment resources serve to assist MCH professionals identify needs and potential "gaps" in care and set a foundation for addressing and evaluating progress on identified health priorities of mothers, infants, children and families.



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Trainings from the MCH Navigator

- From Needs Assessment to Strategic Action: The Important Journey** ∅. *Date Developed:* 6/6/2006. *Source:* U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. *Presenter(s):* Donna Petersen, MHS, ScD; Joan Eden, MS, RD. *Type:* Video Conference. *Level:* Advanced. *Length:* Series; various lengths.
- Introduction to Program Monitoring and Evaluation in Maternal and Child Health: Session Two – Program Description and Logic Model** ∅. *Date Developed:* Unknown. *Source:* South Central Public Health Partnership. *Presenter(s):* Françoise Grossmann, RN, MPH. *Type:* Video Slide Module. *Level:* Introductory. *Length:* 120 minutes.
- The MCH Assessment, Planning and Evaluation Cycle: Context and Purpose** ∅. *Date Developed:* 6/6/2006. *Source:* U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. *Presenter(s):* Donna Petersen, ScD, MHS. *Type:* Video Conference. *Level:* Advanced. *Length:* 52 minutes.
- MCH Needs Assessment and State Performance Measures** ∅. *Date Developed:* 1/1/2004. *Source:* U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. *Presenter(s):* n.a.. *Type:* Video Conference. *Level:* Introductory. *Length:* Series; various lengths.
- MCH Needs Assessment: Capacity to Competency Presentation** ∅. *Date Developed:* 2/25/2009. *Source:* U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. *Presenter(s):* Donna Petersen, ScD, MHS. *Type:* Conference Archive. *Level:* Advanced. *Length:* 140 minutes.
- MCH Needs Assessment: Concept to Catalyst Capacity to Competency** ∅. *Date Developed:* 1/1/2009. *Source:* U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. *Presenter(s):* Gwendolyn J. Adam, Ph.D., L.C.S.W.. *Type:* Video Conference. *Level:* Advanced. *Length:* Series; various lengths.
- State Title V Needs Assessment Practice** ∅. *Date Developed:* 2008. *Source:* 14th Annual Maternal and Child Health Epidemiology Conference. *Presenter(s):* Donna Petersen, ScD, Dr. William Sappenfield, Donna Petersen, and Dr. Michael Kogan. *Type:* Conference Archive. *Level:* Advanced. *Length:* Series; various lengths.

Resources from the MCH Library

Meta Resources

- U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. 2011. **Needs assessments** ∅. [Rockville, MD]: U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau, 57 files. *Annotation:* This web site contains Title V Block Grant needs assessment reports for all U.S. states, protectorates, and territories submitted in 2011 applications.
- U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. 2004. **MCH needs assessment and its uses in program planning: Promising approaches and challenges** ∅. Rockville, MD: U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau, 67 pp. This report presents the findings of an analysis of several components of the State Title V needs assessment processes.
- U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau. 2004. **Promising practices in MCH needs assessment: A guide based on a national study** ∅. Rockville, MD: U.S. Maternal and Child Health Bureau, 29 pp. This report describes the analysis and evaluation of selected States' Title V needs assessment processes.
- Evaluation Toolkit** ∅. This toolkit is designed to locate resources to assist in documenting and achieving measurable health outcomes. Developed by the MCH Library and the MCHB Evaluation Coordinating Committee.



To access these resources and more, visit

<http://www.mchnavigator.org/trainings/AMCHP/needs-assessment.php>

Stay tuned for a new interactive Needs Assessment Training Tool – coming soon!