

Indiana

Maternal and Child Health Block Grant 2016

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. Title V provides funding to state maternal and child health (MCH) programs, which serve 42 million women and children in the U.S. To learn more about Title V, visit www.amchp.org.

MCH Block Grant Funds to Indiana

FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015
\$11,592,730	\$11,606,560	\$12,245,079

Title V Administrative Agency:
Indiana State Department of Health
Health and Human Services Commission

*States must provide a three dollar match for every four Federal dollars allocated.

Protecting and Improving the Health of Indiana's Families

Children with Special Health Care Needs — Children's Special Health Care Services (CSHCS) is supported by Title V and State funds. The program provides a comprehensive continuum of medical and support services to children zero to 21 years old who are both medically and financially eligible. The system of care is a statewide, integrated network of providers that includes local, regional and tertiary care facilities. The services include reimbursement to providers for primary, medical, oral health and specialty care. Providers and families are supported through the CSHCS Care Coordination management system which is open to all children and youth with special health care needs (CYSHCN) in the state.

Baby and Me Tobacco Free™ — The Indiana State Department of Health sponsors this free program that offers incentives to pregnant women and their qualifying support person to quit smoking while pregnant and stay quit after baby is born. Starting with 8 pilot sites in October 2013, the program has grown to 19 sites in FY16.

CSHCS Family Advisory Council - The CSHCS Division recognizes that the parent perspective is an integral part of program development and quality improvement for the CYSHCN population. We have implemented a Family Advisory Council comprising of 18 parents of CYSHCN from around the state of Indiana. The council fosters a two-pronged approach for family participation. The first is to collaborate with the CSHCS Division to ensure the parent perspective is incorporated into program planning, quality improvement, and policy and procedures processes within the division. The second is to develop their personal leadership skills through training sessions in order to become comfortable and competent in discussing the needs of CYSHCN overall, not just for their own child/children, and with a goal of serving as a model of family leadership and advocacy statewide.

Indiana Crossroads Partnerships: Achieving Integrated Care with Children and Families - The CSHCS Division received a *State Implementation Grant for Enhancing the System of Services for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs (CYSHCN) through Systems Integration* from the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA). The grant period is September 1, 2014-August 31, 2017. The purpose of this initiative is to increase the number of CYSHCN who receive a patient/family-centered medical/health home approach to comprehensive, coordinated services and supports. We plan to achieve this through a developmental screening approach. Children in Indiana will receive early and continuous developmental screening; referral of those at risk for developmental delays and autism spectrum disorders; and for diagnosed children, family-centered comprehensive care coordination.

EPIC-BEST — (Educating Physicians in their Communities, Breastfeeding Education, Support and Training) is an educational offering via a series of webinars that offers free CME's to physicians and their staff with tools and techniques that enhance their lactation skills so that families receive optimal support.

Centering Pregnancy — MCH supports this evidence-based group prenatal care model that demonstrates improved outcomes for important maternal child health factors including preterm birth, low birth weight, small for gestational age, breastfeeding and immunization

Early Start — ISDH funds 12 organizations to provide prenatal care education and to serve as a conduit to getting pregnant women into prenatal care with a qualified provider in the first trimester.

Infant Mortality — Infant Mortality is a key priority at the Indiana State Department of Health. The MCH Program supports reproductive health and wellness, prenatal care services throughout Indiana to improve access to care and reduce infant mortality and low birth weight. The MCH Program supports the Indiana Perinatal Quality Improvement Collaborative, a statewide leadership team formed to address infant mortality.

People Served by the Indiana MCH Program*

Title V population-based preventive and systems building services benefit all women and children in the state. In addition, the MCH Block Grant provided services to the following individuals:

6,138	pregnant women
84,743	infants under one
12,947	children and adolescents
4,893	children with special health care needs
37,153	others
145,874	total served

*2013 State/Jurisdiction Annual Reports Submitted to the Maternal and Child Health Bureau

Health Needs in Indiana

- Reduce infant mortality.
- Reduce smoking among MCH populations.
- Reduce obesity among MCH populations.
- Improve access to medical homes and transitions, as well as SPM developmental screening.
- Improve injury prevention.
- Improve breastfeeding duration and exclusivity.
- Reduce alcohol and drug use during pregnancy, with a specific focus on Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome (NAS).

State Selected National Performance Measures

- Low-risk cesarean delivery
- Perinatal Regionalization
- Breastfeeding
- Injury
- Physical Activity
- Medical Home
- Transition
- Smoking



Grants to Indiana

State Systems Development Initiative (SSDI)
INDIANA STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Indianapolis, IN
\$94,635

Leadership Education in Adolescent Health
TRUSTEES OF INDIANA UNIVERSITY
Indianapolis, IN
\$378,856

*These grants were awarded in FY 2013.

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