Idaho’s MIECHV Program FY 2019

HRSA’s Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program

- Supports the Idaho Home Visiting Program and provides voluntary, evidence-based home visiting programs for at-risk pregnant women and families with children through kindergarten entry
- Builds upon decades of scientific research showing that home visits by a nurse, social worker, early childhood educator, or other trained professional during pregnancy and in the first years of a child’s life helps prevent child abuse and neglect, supports positive parenting, improves maternal and child health, and promotes child development and school readiness

Idaho MIECHV Program At-a-Glance

![Map of Idaho with counties highlighted]

- **Rural counties:**
  - Bonner, Clearwater, Power, Shoshone

- **Non-rural counties:**
  - Ada, Bannock, Bonneville, Canyon, Jerome, Kootenai, Nez Perce, Twin Falls

Participants: 1,319

Households: 581

Home Visits: 5,505

Idaho Targets Community Needs

MIECHV Program awardees serve high-risk populations. Awardees tailor their programs to serve populations of need within their state.

- 61.9% of households were low income
- 16.3% of households included someone with low student achievement
- 15.8% of households included pregnant teens

Idaho Performance Highlights

- **Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) Screening:** 87.0% of caregivers enrolled in home visiting were screened for IPV within 6 months of enrollment
- **Depression Screening:** 87.7% of caregivers enrolled in home visiting were screened for depression within 3 months of enrollment or within 3 months of delivery

Evidence-Based Home Visiting Models in Idaho

- Nurse-Family Partnership (NFP)
- Parents as Teachers (PAT)