

Nevada's MIECHV Program FY 2019



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

- Supports the [Nevada 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

Nevada MIECHV Program At-a-Glance

- **Rural counties:**
Elko, Lyon, Mineral, Nye
- **Non-rural counties:**
Carson City, Clark, Storey, Washoe



Participants
1,103

Households
483

Home Visits
5,447

Nevada Targets Community Needs

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

- 91.3% of households were low income
- 16.6% of households included someone who used tobacco products in the home
- 16.1% of households included a child with developmental delays or disabilities

Nevada Performance Highlights

- **Behavioral Concern Inquiries:** Caregivers were asked if they had any concerns regarding their child's development, behavior, or learning in 99.9% of postpartum home visits
- **Early Language and Literacy Activities:** 89.8% of children enrolled in home visiting had a family member who read, told stories, and/or sang with them on a daily basis

Evidence-Based Home Visiting Models in Nevada

[Early Head Start-Home-Based Options](#)

[Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters \(HIPPY\)](#)

[Nurse-Family Partnership \(NFP\)](#)

[Parents as Teachers \(PAT\)](#)