South Dakota’s MIECHV Program FY 2019

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

- Supports the South Dakota 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

South Dakota MIECHV Program At-a-Glance

- Rural counties: Beadle, Bennett, Butte, Day, Hughes, Jackson, Lawrence, Lyman, Marshall, Oglala Lakota, Roberts, Stanley
- Non-rural counties: None

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<th>Participants</th>
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South Dakota Targets Community Needs

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

- 59.4% of households were low income
- 26.2% of households included pregnant teens
- 22.6% of households included someone who used tobacco products in the home

South Dakota Performance Highlights

- Intimate Partner Violence (IPV) Screening: 94.4% of caregivers enrolled in home visiting were screened for IPV within 6 months of enrollment
- Developmental Screening: 90.4% of children enrolled in home visiting had a timely screen for developmental delays

Evidence-Based Home Visiting Models in South Dakota

Nurse-Family Partnership (NFP)