

Virginia's MIECHV Program FY 2019



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

- Supports the [Virginia 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

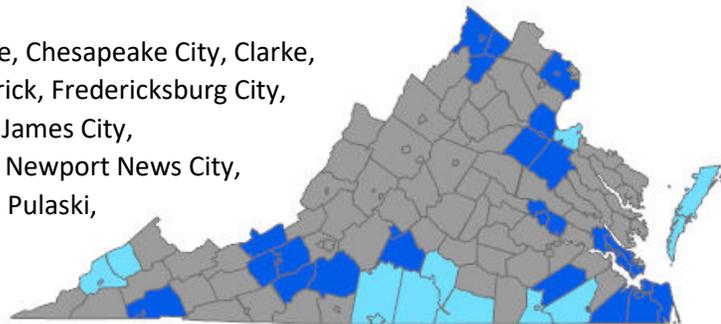
Virginia MIECHV Program At-a-Glance

Rural counties:

Accomack, Charlotte, Danville City, Dickenson, Emporia City, Greensville, Halifax, King George, Mecklenburg, Northampton, Norton City, Pittsylvania, Southampton, Wise

Non-rural counties:

Bristol City, Campbell, Caroline, Chesapeake City, Clarke, Fairfax, Floyd, Franklin, Frederick, Fredericksburg City, Giles, Hampton City, Henrico, James City, Lynchburg City, Montgomery, Newport News City, Norfolk City, Portsmouth City, Pulaski, Radford, Richmond City, Spotsylvania, Stafford, Suffolk City, Sussex, Virginia Beach City, Warren, Washington, Williamsburg City, Winchester City, York



Participants
2,913

Households
1,383

Home Visits
15,163

Virginia Targets Community Needs

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

- 91.4% of households were low income
- 20.9% of households reported a history of child abuse or maltreatment
- 21.3% of households included someone with low student achievement

Virginia Performance Highlights

- **Postpartum Care:** 93.9% of mothers enrolled in home visiting received a postpartum visit with a healthcare provider within 8 weeks of delivery
- **Well Child Visit:** 93.5% of children enrolled in home visiting received their last recommended well child visit based on the American Academy of Pediatrics schedule

Evidence-Based Home Visiting Models in Virginia

[Healthy Families America \(HFA\)](#)

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

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