

## Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children Program Fact Sheet

### PROGRAM PURPOSE

The Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children Program (HTPCP) supports community-based partnerships and collaborations aimed at promoting access to health care and preventive health services for disadvantaged children, youth, and families nationwide, through implementation and evaluation of innovative community-based programs and models of care.

### PROGRAM HISTORY

Healthy Tomorrows began in 1989 as a grant program funded and administered by the Maternal and Child Health Bureau (MCHB). A partnership was formed with the American Academy of Pediatrics in 1991 to offer technical assistance, resources and tools to grantees and prospective applicants.

HTPCP projects must represent a new initiative within the community or an innovative component that builds on existing community resources. Projects target disadvantaged children, youth and families (including racial and ethnic minorities) in rural and other underserved populations and address four areas:

1. Access to health care,
2. Community-based health care,
3. Preventive health care, and
4. Service coordination.

Healthy Tomorrows grants have been awarded to a wide variety of organizations, including non-profit agencies, hospitals, universities, and Federally Qualified Health Centers.

Photo Credit: © Rawpixel.com / Shutterstock



### PROGRAM IMPACT

#### Reach

In FY 2015, HTPCP projects served 259,308 women, infants, children, youth, and families. 53% of individuals served by HTPCP projects were racially diverse and 32% were Hispanic/Latino.

#### Resources

In FY 2015, HTPCP grantees produced a total of 102 products and publications.

#### Sustainability

93% of HTPCP projects are fully or partially sustained 5 or more years after federal funding ends.

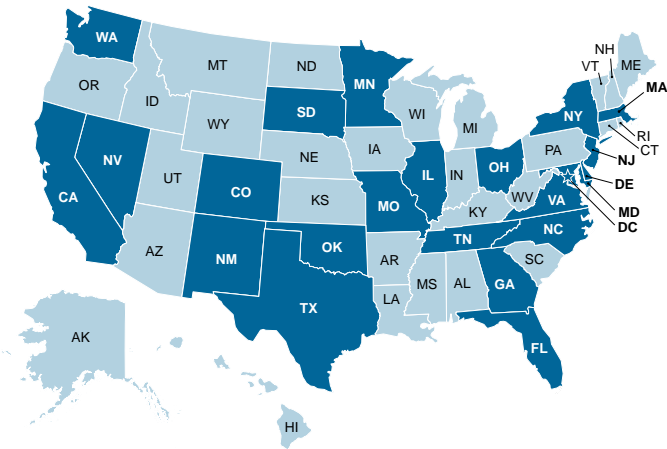
#### Community Impact

84% of HTPCP grantees report improved children's access to care; 77% report enhanced recognition of child health issues; 75% report enhanced visibility of the organization; 75% report enhanced cultural competence of services; and 71% report enhanced family participation in services.

#### Evaluation

62% of HTPCP grantees report that their projects are well-evaluated. 78% of grantees used information collected from evaluations to improve services; 61% used information to advocate for their service population; 53% used information to obtain/leverage additional funding; and 43% used information to support replication of their project.

# Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children Program Fact Sheet



- North Carolina: Wake Forest University
- Ohio: Child Injury Prevention Alliance
- Oklahoma: Community Service Council of Greater Tulsa
- South Dakota: Youth and Family Services, Inc.
- Tennessee: East Tennessee State University
- Texas: Baylor College of Medicine, Houston Independent School District
- Virginia: Child Health Investment Partnership
- Washington: ARC of Whatcom County

## PROGRAM LOCATIONS

- California: Altamed Health Services Corporation (1/2), Altamed Health Services Corporation (2/2), Children's Healthcare of California, Long Beach Memorial Medical Center, Providence Little Company of Mary Foundation, Santa Rosa Community Health Centers, University of California, San Francisco, Volunteer Center of Greater Orange County
- Colorado: Kids First Health Care
- Delaware: The Nemours Foundation
- District of Columbia: Mary's Center for Maternal and Child Care, Inc.
- Florida: Orlando Health, Inc.
- Georgia: Innovative Solutions for Disadvantage and Disability, Inc.
- Illinois: Esperanza Health Centers, University of Chicago
- Maryland: Primary Care Coalition of Montgomery County, MD, Inc.; San Mar Children's Home
- Massachusetts: Children's Hospital Corporation, Holyoke Health Center, Inc.
- Minnesota: Rice Memorial Hospital, Saint Paul Public Schools
- Missouri: Parents as Teachers National Center, Inc.
- Nevada: Foundation for Positively Kids, Nevada Primary Care Association
- New Jersey: Henry J. Austin Health Center, Inc.
- New Mexico: *La Clinica de Familia*
- New York: Maimonides Medical Center, Inc., Montefiore Medical Center, New York Presbyterian Hospital

## DIVISION OF MCH WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT (DMCHWD)

DMCHWD, part of HRSA's Maternal and Child Health Bureau, provides national leadership and direction in educating and training our nation's future leaders in maternal and child health (MCH).

Special emphasis is placed on the development and implementation of inter-professional, family-centered, community-based and culturally competent systems of care across the entire life course with experiences in one life stage shaping health in later stages.

DMCHWD supports programs established in federal legislation ([Title V of the Social Security Act](#) and the [Autism CARES Act](#)) to complement state and local health agency efforts. DMCHWD collaborates with state MCH programs, academic institutions, professional organizations, and other health training programs of the federal government to ensure that MCH initiatives are unique and based on evidence-based practices.

In FY 2016, DMCHWD awarded 161 grants, an investment of approximately \$47 million. Grants are awarded to develop trainees for leadership roles in the areas of:

- MCH teaching,
- Research,
- Clinical practice, and/or
- Public health administration and policy making.

Program Contact: Madhavi M. Reddy, (301) 443-0754, [MReddy@hrsa.gov](mailto:MReddy@hrsa.gov)

DMCHWD Training Website: <https://mchb.hrsa.gov/training>

Last Reviewed April 2018