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Vision: Healthy Communities, Healthy People





Maternal And Child Health Bureau Strategic Plan

Mission

To improve the health and well-being of America's mothers, children, and families.

Vision

Our vision is an America where all mothers, children, and families thrive and reach their full potential.

MCHB Goals

ACCESS

Assure access to high-quality and equitable health services to optimize health and well-being for all MCH populations.

EQUITY

Achieve health equity for MCH populations.

CAPACITY

Strengthen public health capacity and workforce for MCH.

IMPACT

Maximize impact through leadership, partnership, and stewardship.

Learn more at <https://mchb.hrsa.gov>

Paradigm for Improving Maternal and Child Health



Accelerate

Hasten pace of change, innovate, & build evidence



Upstream

Promote prevention and a life course approach



Together

Collaborate, include voices of partners and people we serve

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MCHB Core Investments in Maternal Health

Title V Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant (Title V)
\$563M in FY21

- Block grants to states/jurisdictions
- Flexibility to meet state priorities/needs
- Many states use funds to support maternal health activities

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program
\$400M in FY21

- Grants to states/jurisdictions
- Voluntary, evidence-based home visiting

Healthy Start Initiative: Eliminating Disparities in Perinatal Health
\$128M in FY21

- Community-based grants
- Improve perinatal health and reduce racial/ethnic disparities

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