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Arizona Overview

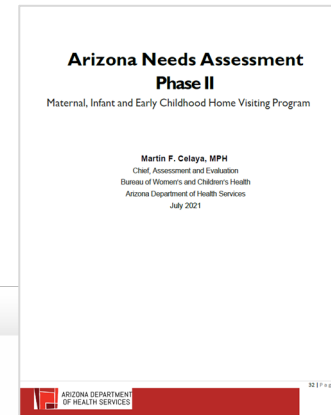
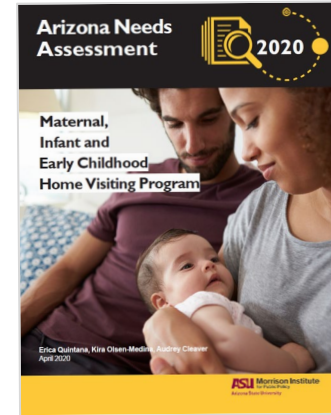


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Assessment → Planning & Priority Setting → Implementation



2021-2025 Statewide Maternal and Child Health Priorities

Health Equity	Family Engagement	Population	Priority Statement	National Performance Metric
		Women/ Maternal	Reduce and eliminate barriers to ensure equitable and optimal health for women.	NPM 1: Well-Woman Visits NPM 13A: Preventive Dental Visits
			Reduce disparities in infant and maternal morbidity and mortality.	
		Infant/ Perinatal	Promote equitable and optimal care and protective factors for mothers and infants before, during, and after pregnancy.	NPM 4: Breastfeeding NPM 5: Safe Sleep
		Children	Strengthen emotional, physical, and social services to achieve an equitable and optimal development for children.	NPM 6: Developmental Screenings NPM 13B: Preventive Dental Visits NPM 15: Adequate Insurance
		Children/ Youth with Special Healthcare Needs	Strengthen systems of care to advance inclusivity and promote equitable and optimal outcomes for CYSHCN. Engage individuals, families, and communities as partners in the development and implementation of programs and policies to create people-centered programs that promote health equity.	NPM 12: Transition
		Adolescent	Enhance equitable and optimal initiatives that positively impact the emotional, physical, and social wellbeing of adolescents.	NPM 7.2: Injury Hospitalizations NPM 9: Bullying NPM 10: Adolescent Well-Visits

Health Equity & Family Engagement



We'd like to hear about your Prenatal and Postpartum Healthcare Experience Virtual Listening Sessions



If you identify as:

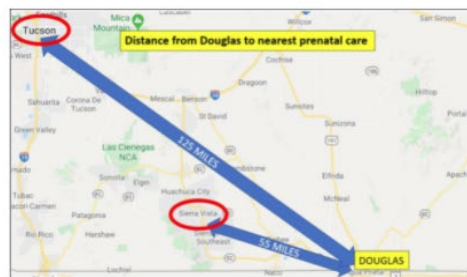
- Residing in a rural or urban area within Arizona
- American Indian/Alaskan Native
- Pregnant or postpartum
- 18 years and older
- Have internet access

We'd appreciate your participation and insight in this listening session.



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Chiricahua Health Center - Prenatal Telemedicine Program
specialty care to rural and border communities

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COVID - 19 Impacts



Home visits increased overall by 11% between 2019 and 2020.



Home visits decreased to tribal communities due to the spread of COVID-19; limited access to consistent and reliable internet access; reduced access to phone minutes and data -- highlighting the digital divide and available resources to the highest risk communities.



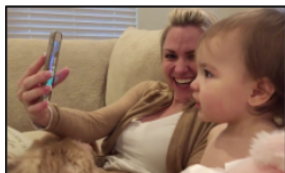
Home visits decreased by 1% between 2020 and 2021 but still 10% higher than pre-COVID-19 home visit numbers

97.2%

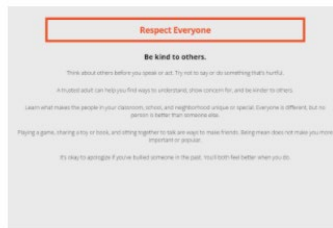
of visits completed between April 2020-September 2020 were televisits.

88%

of visits completed between October 2020-September 2021 were televisits. In-person visits started increasing in July 2021.



Addressing Youth Mental Health in Arizona



- **AzAAP:** Close collaboration on COVID-19 in pediatric populations
 - Funding for COVID-19 Training Center and Podcast
 - Support for "Promoting Immunization against COVID-19 for Kids through TEAMS (PICK TEAMS)" project
- **Arizona Telemedicine Program (ATP):** Funding to University of Arizona's ATP to improve patient and provider understanding telehealth services and any changes to telehealth rules or statute rolled out during the pandemic



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Thank You

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