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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

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<th>Program</th>
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| Title V Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant (Title V)        | $563M        | - 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        | - Grants to states/jurisdictions  
- Voluntary, evidence-based home visiting |
| Healthy Start Initiative: Eliminating Disparities in Perinatal Health  | $128M        | - Community-based grants  
- Improve perinatal health and reduce racial/ethnic disparities |

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