



NV Strong Start ECCS-Health Integration HRSA Grant

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2021 Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems: Health Integration Prenatal to Three (ECCS) Program

- HRSA-21-078
- Grant Due: March 15, 2021
- Amount: ~\$255K per year for 5 years



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Purpose Statement

To build integrated maternal and early childhood systems of care that are equitable, sustainable, comprehensive, and inclusive of the health system, and that promote early developmental health and family well-being and increase family-centered access to care and engagement of the prenatal-to-3 year old (P-3) population.

A maternal and early childhood system of care brings together health, early care and education, child welfare, and other human services and family support program partners – as well as community leaders, families, and other stakeholders – to achieve agreed-upon goals for thriving children and families.



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Partner Agencies and Organizations

- DHHS – DPBH (MIECHV, Title V, WIC)
- DHHS – DHFP (Medicaid/CHIP)
- DHHS – DWSS (Child Care & Development)
- NDE – OELD (PreK, Head Start)
- Governor's Office of New Americans
- NV Early Childhood Advisory Council
- Rural NV Health Network
- NV Community Health Worker Association
- Family TIES
- NV Institute for Children's Research & Policy, UNLV
- Children's Advocacy Alliance
- NV Statewide Coalition Partnership



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Goals & Objectives

GOAL 1: Increase state-level infrastructure & capacity in NV to strengthen statewide maternal & early childhood systems of care.

- ECCS Director Position
- ECCS Parent Engagement Coordinator Position
- Establishment of the Governor's Office of Early Childhood
- Establishment of an Early Childhood Cabinet



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Goals & Objectives

GOAL 2: Increase coordination & alignment between maternal and child health and other statewide systems that impact young children & families to advance a common vision for early developmental health and family well-being in Nevada.

- NV Cross Sector Needs Assessment Analysis
- NV Cross Sector Fiscal Mapping Analysis
- NV Unified P-3 Strategic Plan



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Goals & Objectives

GOAL 3: Increase the capacity of health and early childhood systems in NV to deliver and effectively connect families to a continuum of services that promote early developmental health and family well-being, beginning prenatally.

- Coordinated Intake & Referral System (CIRS)
- Expansion of Community Health Workers (CHWs)



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GOAL 4: Identify and implement policy and financing strategies that support the funding and sustainability of multigenerational, preventive services and systems for the P-3 population in Nevada.

- P-3 Fiscal Analysis & Assessment
- P-3 Policy Analysis & Assessment
- Incorporation of Strategies in P-3 Strategic Plan



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GOAL 5: Increase state-level capacity to advance equitable and improved access to services for underserved P-3 populations.

- Health Equity Data Analysis
- Enhanced Collection & Utilization of Cross Sector Data (disaggregated)
- Parent Leadership Integration



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Request for Support:

- MCHAB Representation & Coordination
- Integration of MCHAB Priorities in P-3 Strategic Plan
- Communications and Outreach
- Data Collection & Analysis
- Policy & Fiscal Alignment



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