

Missouri's MIECHV Program FY 2019

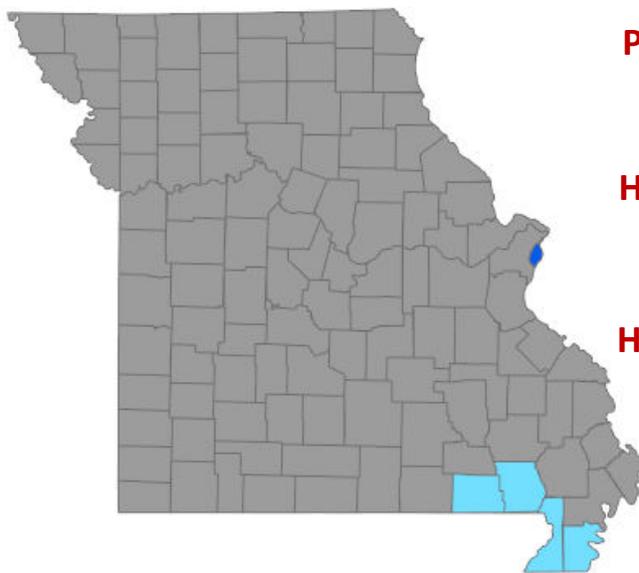


HRSA's Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program

- Supports the [Missouri Home Visiting Program](#) and provides voluntary, evidence-based home visiting programs for at-risk pregnant women and families with children through kindergarten entry
- Builds upon decades of scientific research showing that home visits by a nurse, social worker, early childhood educator, or other trained professional during pregnancy and in the first years of a child's life helps prevent child abuse and neglect, supports positive parenting, improves maternal and child health, and promotes child development and school readiness

Missouri MIECHV Program At-a-Glance

- **Rural counties:**
Butler, Dunklin, Pemiscot, Ripley
- **Non-rural counties:**
Saint Louis City



Participants
1,172

Households
576

Home Visits
9,509

Missouri Targets Community Needs

MIECHV Program awardees serve high-risk populations. Awardees tailor their programs to serve populations of need within their state.

- 87.3% of households were low income
- 31.1% of households reported a history of child abuse or maltreatment
- 20.7% of households included someone with low student achievement

Missouri Performance Highlights

- **Developmental Screening:** 99.2% of children enrolled in home visiting had a timely screen for developmental delays
- **Well Child Visits:** 91.1% of children enrolled in home visiting received their last recommended well child visit based on the American Academy of Pediatrics schedule
- **Supervisor Training:** Convened Missouri MIECHV's first annual "2019 Leadership Academy" for home visiting supervisors that focused on learning resiliency, self-care, and teamwork skills to better support home visitors' emotional well-being as they work with high-needs families.

Evidence-Based Home Visiting Models in Missouri

[Early Head Start-Home-Based Options](#)

[Nurse-Family Partnership \(NFP\)](#)

[Parents as Teachers \(PAT\)](#)