

North Dakota's MIECHV Program FY 2019



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

- Supports the [North Dakota 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

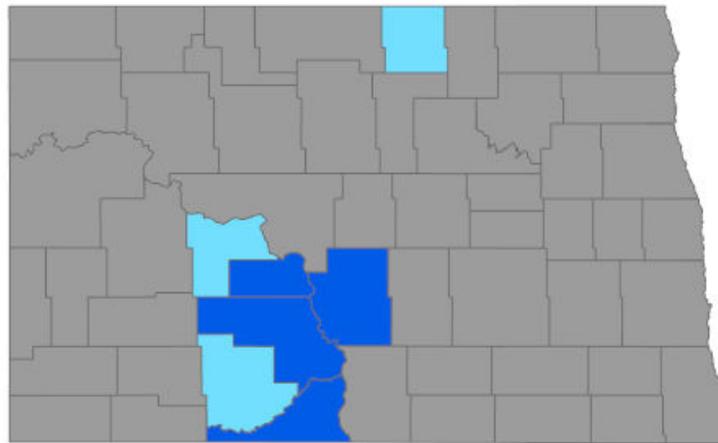
North Dakota MIECHV Program At-a-Glance

Rural counties:

Grant, Mercer, Rolette

Non-rural counties:

Burleigh, Morton, Oliver, Sioux



Participants

402

Households

176

Home Visits

1,453

North Dakota Targets Community Needs

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

- 82.3% of households were low income
- 49.0% of households included someone who used tobacco products in the home
- 16.5% of households included pregnant teens

Evidence-Based Home Visiting Models in North Dakota

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

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

North Dakota Performance Highlights

- **Behavioral Concern Inquiries:** Caregivers were asked if they had any concerns regarding their child's development, behavior, or learning in 95.5% of postpartum home visits
- **Continuity of Insurance Coverage:** 95.4% of caregivers enrolled in home visiting had continuous health insurance coverage for at least 6 consecutive months