

Adolescent Family Life Program (AFLP) MCAH AFLP Youth Satisfaction Survey

Spring 2022 Statewide Results

AFLP is a case management program designed to support and empower expectant and parenting youth and follows a Positive Youth Development (PYD) model, which focuses on youths' strengths. This dashboard includes data from AFLP participants, across 17 sites in 14 counties, who completed the MCAH AFLP Youth Satisfaction Survey in spring 2022. The dashboard presents information about survey respondents' experiences in the program to help identify program successes and provide opportunities for quality improvement.

Table 1	Number
Total youth served	816
Completed surveys	531
Total case managers	51

Youth Survey Respondents

Figure 1. Characteristics of survey respondents (n = 531).

Gender	Age	Race and Ethnicity	Length of time in AFLP
93% Female Male	 2% Under 15 12% 15-16 36% 17-18 45% 19-21 5% Over 21 	89% Latino 11% All other races, including Asian/Pacific Islander, Black, White, or multi-race	 41% 0 – 6 months 18% 7 months – 1 year 21% 13 months – 2 years 20% More than 2 years

Program Experience

Figure 2. Survey respondents' perception of AFLP.

Overall, this program has been helpful to me (n = 519) This program helps me overcome

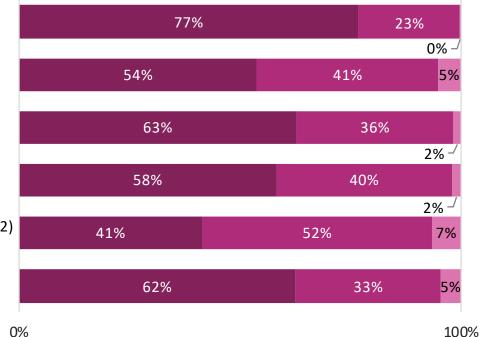
challenges in my life (n = 524)

This program helps me become more aware of my strengths (n = 531)

This program helps me set goals (n = 526)

I actively participate in the program (n = 522)

I plan to complete the AFLP PYD program (n = 509)



Strongly agree Agree Strongly disagree/Disagree/Don't know



Experience with Case Managers

Figure 3. Survey respondents' relationships with case managers.

My case manager refers me to resources and services that are helpful (n = 525)

My case manager makes time for us to talk about what is important to me (n = 521)

My case manager is there for me (n = 520)

I have opportunities to speak with my case manager privately (n = 511)

My case manager cares about me (n = 516)

My case manager is respectful of my cultural or ethnic background (n = 519)

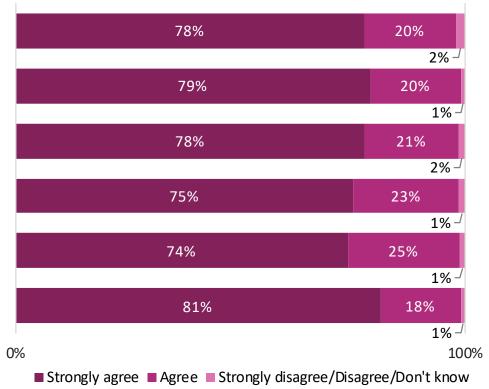
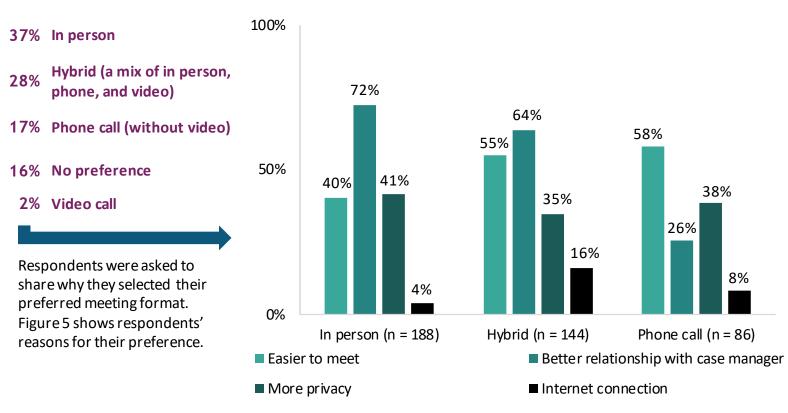


Figure 4. Preferred meeting format Figure 5. Frequency of reasons for meeting format preference. with case managers (n = 518).





Open-Ended Questions

The boxes below include a summary of themes from the survey respondents' most frequent responses to open-ended questions.

Box 1. Please share examples of resources and services you were referred to that have been the most helpful.

Out of 405 responses to this question, the most frequent included:

- Essential supplies and resources for their children (e.g., diapers, clothes, and childcare)
- Educational and career support (e.g., college applications and school enrollment)
- Health care services including insurance
- Nutrition and food resources (e.g., WIC, food bank, and food stamps)

"Thanks to this program I am receiving prenatal care, dental care, WIC, and I'm going back to school."

-AFLP PYD Participant

Box 2. What about this program is most helpful for you?

Out of 448 responses to this question, the most frequent included:

- Support for emotional well-being
- Setting goals and thinking about the future
- Increasing access to needed resources
- Receipt of essential supplies and resources for their children

"This program helps me to know I'm not alone as a young single mom and that I can ask for help anytime I need it."

-AFLP PYD Participant

Box 3. What could make the program more helpful for you?

Out of 91 responses to this question, the most frequent included:

- More visits with case managers, as well as activities and outings
- Support with baby supplies and other essential resources, including money, housing, and food
- Opportunities for social events, group meetings with other young parents, and parenting classes
- Ease of program accessibility (e.g., reducing travel to visits and/or alternative methods of meeting)

"I think it would be nice to be able to meet in groups with different moms or parents."

-AFLP PYD Participant



Data Notes:

- **Table 1.** Total youth served includes all youth with an open AFLP Service File during the data collection window.
- Figure 1. For the gender variable, while the survey has more than two possible categories, only Male or Female responses were selected by survey respondents represented by this dashboard. Two participants were missing data for age; 26 participants were missing data for race and/or ethnicity. Missing data were not included in calculated percentages.
- All other n's listed on the dashboard reflect the total number of surveys completed minus the number of missing data for each question or indicator.
- Figures 2 and 3. Responses for "I don't know," "Strongly disagree," and "Disagree" are combined because the numerators are less than five respondents. Percentages may not equal 100 due to rounding.
- **Figure 5.** Reasons for video preference are not shown because the denominator is less than 20 respondents. Percentages may not equal 100 because respondents could select more than one option.

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- Survey data reported by AFLP PYD participants. The data reflect online survey administration from May 16 through June 30, 2022.