Early childhood home visiting pairs nurses or paraprofessionals with pregnant and newly parenting women. Trained home visitors provide support and education to families to promote positive parenting and improve child health and development. Home visiting services have been shown to improve maternal and child outcomes when implemented by evidence-based programs during the first three years of life. Participants in California Home Visiting Program (CHVP) are assessed on a variety of health behaviors and indicators throughout their program participation. Their responses are compiled into benchmark performance measures that are required for annual federal reporting to the Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) program. This report summarizes key data from the 2018-19 MIECHV annual report.

In Federal Fiscal Year 2018-19 CHVP:
- Served 2,979 Women
- Served 2,318 Children
- Completed 29,626 Home Visits

By The Numbers

- 99% of children had no investigated reports of maltreatment
- 94% of children were screened for developmental delays
- 82% of mothers were screened for depression
- 77% of mothers were screened for intimate partner violence
- 65% of mothers received a postpartum check up
- 56% of mothers breastfed their infants at 6 months of age
- 51% of mothers were enrolled in or completed high school
- 57% of families were assessed on parent-child interaction


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