



KANSAS MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH | TITLE V MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH
5-YEAR STATE ACTION PLAN

2016-2020



PRIORITY 5
CROSS-CUTTING/LIFE COURSE

Professionals have the knowledge and skills to address the needs of maternal and child health populations

- OBJECTIVE 5.1** Build MCH capacity and support the development of a trained, qualified workforce by providing professional development events at least four times each year through 2020.
- OBJECTIVE 5.2** Deliver annual training and education to ensure that providers have the ability to promote diversity, inclusion, and integrate supports in the provision of services or the Special Health Care Needs (SHCN) population into adulthood.
- OBJECTIVE 5.3** Increase the number of providers with capacity to provide mental health services/supports and trauma-informed care by 2020.
- OBJECTIVE 5.4** Implement collaborative oral health initiatives to expand oral health screening, education, and referral by 2020.

SPM

Number of MCH grantees, families and partners that participated in a state sponsored workforce development event.



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PRIORITY 7 CROSS-CUTTING/LIFE COURSE

Information is available to support informed health decisions and choices

- OBJECTIVE 7.1** Increase the proportion of MCH grantees that provide health information education to clients to improve health decision making among women, pregnant women, children, adolescents, and children and youth with special health care needs annually.
- OBJECTIVE 7.2** Increase youth-focused and youth-driven initiatives to support successful transition, self-determination, and advocacy by 2020.
- OBJECTIVE 7.3** Incorporate information regarding changes to the health care system into existing trainings and technical assistance by 2020.
- OBJECTIVE 7.4** Increase opportunities to empower families and build strong MCH advocates by 2020.

SPM

Percent of adults who report that it is somewhat difficult or very difficult to understand information that doctors, nurses and other health professionals tell them