# **Home Visiting**









#### **EARLY BRAIN LEARNING**

Helps children reach developmental milestones

#### **RESILIENT PARENT-CHILD RELATIONSHIP**

Helps families be healthier and stronger across a wide range of outcomes

#### **HOME VISITING**

# Helping parents be their child's first teachers

Voluntary program for parents of young children offering support, mentoring and coaching in the home

- · Building positive parenting skills
- · Connecting families to resources and community support
- · Increasing family self-sufficiency
- · Identifying gaps of children in achieving developmental milestones

# **Ensuring health outcomes across** two generations

Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) in South Carolina

#### **CHILDREN**



86% born at term



recommended well-child visit



developmental

#### **CAREGIVERS**



read, sang or told stories daily to their children



had timely post-partum care visits



depression

## Home visiting meets families where they are

THIS YEAR

2,676 caregivers and children

17,814 visits

**SINCE 2011** 

12,540 caregivers and children

149,951 visits



39 counties 15 local partners

## Need outpaces available resources and services



44 of 46 counties

were identified as at-risk for prenatal, maternal, newborn, or child health outcomes

10% of eligible families

are being served by home visiting services





coordination of services



increase awareness and access to home visiting in rural areas



#### **COLLABORATION**

Strong collaboration among service providers leads to better outcomes for children and families.

Children's Trust convenes the South Carolina Home Visiting Consortium to collaborate and strengthen the infrastructure serving all the state's home visiting programs. In addition to work funded through MIECHV, a wide array of home programs is at work in South Carolina, supported by public and private initiatives.

**Beginnings SC** 

**BirthMatters** 

Children's Trust of South Carolina

**Early Head Start** 

Early Steps to School Success – Save the Children

**Fact Forward** 

**Family Connection of South Carolina** 

**Family Connects** 

**Family Solutions of the Lowcountry** 

**Healthy Families of America** 

**Healthy Start** 

**Nurse-Family Partnership** 

Parents as Teachers

PAS0s

**Piedmont Community Action Spartanburg** 

S.C. Department of Education, Part B 619

S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control

S.C. Department of Health and Human Services, BabyNet

S.C. Department of Social Services – South Carolina Head Start Collaborative Office

S.C. First Steps

S.C. Infant Mental Health Association – Help Me Grow

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