



the campaign to prevent unplanned pregnancy

Key Information about Florida as of December 2019

State Policies to Increase Access to and Information About Contraception ⁱ	Does State Have Law or Policy?
Expand Medicaid to childless adults as the ACA allows	No
Medicaid Family Planning Waiver or State Plan Amendment (SPA)	Yes
Medicaid reimbursement for postpartum LARC	Yes
State law/policies that allow pharmacists to prescribe contraception	No
State law/policies to extend the supply of prescription contraceptives	No
State law/policies to educate college students about unplanned pregnancy	No
State laws/policies to protect contraceptive coverage	No
Other state laws/policies/initiatives to increase contraceptive access	-

Funding Streams for Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy Prevention ⁱⁱ	Current Annual Funding Level
Personal Responsibility Education Funding (PREP) ¹	
State PREP (if state opted to receive formula grant)	-
Competitive PREP grants awarded in the state (if state opted out)	\$2,493,153
Tribal PREP	-
Personal Responsibility Education Innovative Strategies (PREIS)	\$478,919
Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program ^{1, 2}	\$3,621,553
Pregnancy Assistance Fund (PAF)	-
Title V State Sexual Risk Avoidance Education (if state opted to receive)	\$3,834,831
Title V Competitive Sexual Risk Avoidance Education (if state opted out)	
Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program ³	\$3,835,104
Title X Family Planning Program	\$11,800,000 ^{iv}

State Stats ⁱⁱⁱ
1,199,100 women in need of publicly funded contraception live in contraceptive deserts ^{iv}
57% births are funded by Medicaid, as of 2017

¹ Evidence-based education programs

² This may include multi-state grants and/or grants awarded to an organization in another state that benefit youth in FL.

³ Replaced the Competitive Abstinence Education Program beginning in FY 2016.

FEDERAL TEEN PREGNANCY PREVENTION GRANTS⁴

Current Grants

Competitive Personal Responsibility Education Program (CPREP) FY 2015 – FY 2019

Heartland Rural Health Network - Avon Park, FL

\$419,831

Heartland Rural Health Network intends to serve 2,000 youth annually within 9 Avon Park County middle and high schools. The program implements Get Real program, and provides programming for students on the following adult preparation subjects: healthy relationships, adolescent development, and healthy life skills.

Planned Parenthood of South Florida and Treasure Coast - West Palm Beach, FL

\$791,193

Planned Parenthood of South Florida and the Treasure Coast plans to serve 1,500 youth ages 10 to 19, and 300 parents annually. The program is implemented in 8 school or community based locations in Homestead, Miami, Boynton Beach, Delray Beach, Riviera Beach, Lake Worth, Gainesville, and Jacksonville, Florida, all of which are urban except Gainesville, a suburban location. The implements Cuidate and Teen Outreach Program curricula, and also educates students on the following adult preparation subjects: healthy relationships, adolescent development, parent-child communication, healthy life skills, financial literacy, and educational and career success.

Trinity Church, Inc. - Miami Gardens, FL

\$794,240

Trinity Church, Inc. is projected to serve 1,125 young people ages 10 to 20 annually within Miami. The program implements Reducing the Risk, Love Notes, Making Proud Choices, and Relationship Smarts curricula at 10 schools, community organizations, juvenile justice locations, and foster care group homes. Trinity Church, Inc. provides students with programming students on the following adult preparation subjects: healthy relationships, life skills, and financial literacy.

Unity Family Community Center - Williston, FL

\$487,889

Unity Family Community Center, Inc. is projected to serve 1,000 youth annually, ages 10 to 19 years old, within Alachua, Levy, Marion, and Union Counties in the State of Florida. The program implements Reducing the Risk curriculum at 19 Schools, juvenile settings and community based organizations, providing students with programming on the following adult preparation subjects: financial literacy, healthy relationships, parent-child communication, and healthy life skills.

Personal Responsibility Education Innovative Strategies (PREIS)

FY 2016 – FY 2020

Children's Home Society of Florida - Winter Park, FL

\$478,919

Title V State Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Grant

FY 2019

Florida Department of Health

\$3,834,831

The Florida Department of Health subgrants abstinence funding to 13 local public and private entities.

⁴ Federal teen pregnancy prevention grants are listed as annual amounts, unless otherwise noted.

Funded organizations are providing programming for youth ages of 12-19. Entities are also encouraged to engage parents and the local community.

Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program Grant

FY 2019

OIC of South Florida, Inc. – Ft. Lauderdale, FL	\$958,776
Be Strong International, Inc. – Miami FL	\$958,776
Trinity Church, Inc. – Miami, FL	\$958,776
Live the Life Ministries – Tallahassee, FL	\$958,776

Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program (TPP Program) — Tier 1

FY 2019 – FY 2020

Life-Skills, Empowerment, and Development Services, Inc.

Program Model: *Love Notes*

\$433,000

Life-Skills, Empowerment, And Development Services, Inc. (LEADS) will implement the Health Education and Relationship Training Services (HEARTS) project to address the problem of unintended teen pregnancy in south St. Petersburg, Pinellas County, Florida. LEADS will implement Love Notes Sexual Risk Avoidance (SRA), an evidence-based curriculum consisting of thirteen lessons and including lecture, film, music, video, art, sculpture and discussion in the presentation of its lessons. The project will bring Love Notes (SRA) to scale in south St. Petersburg by reaching 500 primarily African American youth in year one, and 600 in year two of the grant. Youth will be between the ages of 14-19 with a focus on those ages 15-19. LEADS will implement the program through two consecutive Saturday HEARTS Camps, which will be held up to 32 times per year to meet participant numbers. LEADS and the Next STEPP Pregnancy Center have organized a consortium of 11 black churches and nonprofits that will help recruit for and host the camps. LEADS' outcome evaluation seeks to understand if a culturally appropriate youth sexual health promotion and pregnancy prevention program will increase the sexual health knowledge of African American youth in a scalable and replicable model.

OIC of Broward dba OIC of South Florida

Program Model: *Love Notes*

\$433,000

OIC of South Florida will replicate Love Notes Sexual Risk Avoidance (SRA), proven effective to reduce teenage pregnancy, behavioral risk factors underlying teenage pregnancy, and other associated risk factors. The project will target 3,000 youth, ages 15-19, as well as their families, over the course of the 2-year grant in 11 zip codes in Broward County, FL with high teen birth and STD rates, and other characteristics associated with teen pregnancy such as high poverty and unemployment rates. The project is designed to take the program to scale in three settings serving youth from the target zip codes: Broward County Public Schools high schools, after-school programs operated by Broward County Parks and Recreation, and youth programs operated by faith-based organizations. AMTC & Associates will provide performance measurement and evaluation services for the project. OIC will work with key supportive service partners SunServe, Florida Department of Health in Broward County, Chrysalis Health, Trauma Resolution Center, Covenant House Florida, and 2-1-1 First Call for Help, which will help youth address risk factors and build protective factors to promote sexual delay and sexual cessation. In addition, the OIC Community Advisory Group (CAG) and Youth Leadership Council (YLC) will provide stakeholder representation, oversight, and input for project implementation.

Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program (TPP Program) — Tier 1

FY 2015 – FY 2019

OIC of South Florida - Fort Lauderdale, FL

Program models: *Love Notes; Making Proud Choices!; Reducing the Risk*

\$1,249,999

OIC of South Florida's Teen Pregnancy Prevention program, Project P.A.U.S.E, intends to help youth prevent pregnancy, STDs and HIV/AIDS; achieve their academic and personal goals; understand the risks associated with unprotected sex; and succeed in the endeavors they undertake to educate their community and peers. Project P.A.U.S.E participants not only receive teen pregnancy and STD and HIV/AIDS prevention education, but are equipped with solid decision making skills that promote post-secondary education and career preparation. Project P.A.U.S.E prepares students for leadership roles through its Youth Leadership Council, which partners with local community-based organizations, local government, colleges and universities, and local industry in an effort to develop the skills necessary for youth to be effective change agents. Project P.A.U.S.E encourages youth to pause before acting, pause to consider the possibilities, pause to develop a plan that supports their future and the future of their community, pause to educate themselves and those around them, and pause to effectively mobilize their peers and the community around positive action.

Trinity Church, Inc. - Miami Gardens, FL

Program models: *Love Notes; Making Proud Choices!; Reducing the Risk*

\$1,445,554

The goal of Trinity Church's Plan Be___ program is to see reduced rates in teen pregnancy and births, sexually transmitted infection, and disparities among racial/ethnic groups. To achieve this goal, the Plan Be___ program implements evidence-based teen pregnancy prevention programs for middle school-aged youth, and the most at-risk high school-aged populations. Trinity and partners will implement the appropriate programs with 6,000 youth annually in Miami-Dade County Public Schools and community-based organizations. Trinity's intervention community is comprised of 20 zip codes in Miami-Dade County. Services are delivered within the context of a trauma-informed, gender-responsive, culturally competent, family-centered program.

Prior Grants

Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program Grant

FY 2016 – FY 2018

OIC of Broward dba OIC of South Florida - Fort Lauderdale, FL	\$548,104
Trinity Church, Inc. - Miami Gardens, FL	\$507,019
Abstinence Between Strong Teens International Inc. - Palmetto Bay, FL	\$548,103

Title V Competitive Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Grant

FY 2018 – FY 2019

Trinity Church Inc. - Miami Gardens, FL	\$450,000
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CPREP

FY 2012 – FY 2014

Family and Children Faith Coalition, Inc.	Miami, FL	\$633,505
Family Resources, Inc.	Pinellas Park, FL	\$500,000
Northeast Florida Healthy Start Coalition Inc.	Jacksonville, FL	\$526,339
OIC of Broward County, Inc.	Fort Lauderdale, FL	\$900,000
Planned Parenthood of Southwest and Central Florida, Inc.	Sarasota, FL	\$356,427
Planned Parenthood of South Florida and the Treasure Coast	West Palm Beach, FL	\$422,902
School Board of Orange County, Florida	Orlando, FL	\$610,217

South Broward Hospital District H d/b/a/ MHS	Hollywood, FL	\$304,876
Unity Family Community Center, Inc.	Williston, FL	\$367,397
Womankind, Inc.	Key West, FL	\$200,845

Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program (TPP Program) — Tier 1

FY 2010 – FY 2014

Florida Department of Health	Tallahassee, FL	\$3,565,351
JWB Children’s Services Council of Pinellas County	Clearwater, FL	\$600,000
OIC of Broward County	Fort Lauderdale, FL	\$998,500
Planned Parenthood of Greater Orlando	Orlando, FL	\$477,790
Switchboard of Miami	Miami, FL	\$800,000
Trinity Church, Inc.	Miami Gardens, FL	\$998,500

Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program Grant

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Competitive Abstinence Education Grant Program

FY 2015

Abstinence Between Strong Teens International, Inc. – Miami, FL
\$346,141 (to be spent through FY 2016)

FY 2013

Unity Family Community Center, Inc. - Williston, FL
\$412,864 (to be spent through FY 2014)

FY 2012

Abstinence Between Strong Teens International, Inc. - Miami, FL
\$649,342 (to be spent through FY 2013)

TITLE X FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES IN FLORIDA

- Title X–supported centers provided contraceptive care to 106,483 women in Florida in 2018.⁵
- Services at Title X-supported centers helped women avoid 38,700 unintended pregnancies, which would have resulted in 18,800 births and 14,000 abortions.
- By preventing sexually transmitted diseases, cervical cancer, and unplanned pregnancies, Title X-supported centers in Florida saved \$202 million in public funds in a single year.
- From FY 2010 to FY 2017, the amount of federal funding Florida received for Title X decreased by \$1.9 million resulting in 111,937 fewer (49%) patients served.
- In 2017, prior to the new Title X rule, 157 clinics in Florida received support from Title X. They included health department clinics (138), federally qualified health centers (13), Planned Parenthood clinics (3), school-based health centers (2), and other service sites (1).
- In August 2019, the new Title X rule went into effect, forcing some of Florida’s Title X clinics to exit the program.

For Further Information

ⁱ For an overview of these state policies, see <https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/information/resource-library/key-state-policies-glance>

ⁱⁱ For an overview of federal funding for teen pregnancy prevention, see <https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/information/resource-library/federal-funding-streams-at-a-glance>

ⁱⁱⁱ See more state statistics at <https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/information/national-state-data/florida>

^{iv} See our contraceptive deserts map <https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/access/birth-control-access> and the impact of forcing out safety-net providers from the Title X clinic network in your state <https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/information/resource-library/health-centers-offering-full-range-methods-excluding-title>

⁵ “Title X-supported centers” are supported by a mix of funding sources (in addition to Title X funding) including Medicaid, funding from state and local governments, private grants and fundraising, reimbursement from commercial insurance, patient fees, and federal grants.

About Power to Decide: *Power to Decide, the campaign to prevent unplanned pregnancy, works to ensure that every young person has the power to decide if, when, and under what circumstances to get pregnant and have a child—increasing their opportunity to pursue the future they want. Join us at PowerToDecide.org.*