



the campaign to prevent unplanned pregnancy

Key Information about Oregon 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	Yes
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	Yes
State law/policies to extend the supply of prescription contraceptives	Yes
State law/policies to educate college students about unplanned pregnancy	No
State laws/policies to protect contraceptive coverage	Yes
Other state laws/policies/initiatives to increase access to contraception	Yes [†]

[†] A 2017 law appropriates state funds to provide coverage for the services named under the federal Women’s Preventive Services to women of reproductive age who are disqualified from Medicaid due to their immigration status.

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)	\$607,558
Competitive PREP grants awarded in the state (if state opted out)	-
Tribal PREP	\$316,782
Personal Responsibility Education Innovative Strategies (PREIS)	-
Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program ^{1, 2}	\$5,950,727
Pregnancy Assistance Fund (PAF)	\$970,000
Title V State Sexual Risk Avoidance Education (if state opted to receive)	\$644,256
Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program ³	-
Title X Family Planning Program	\$3,100,000 (but losing 100% of funds) ^{iv}

State Stats ⁱⁱⁱ
263,960 women in need of publicly funded contraception live in contraceptive deserts. ^{iv}
50% births are funded by Medicaid, as of 2018

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 OR

³ Replaced the Competitive Abstinence Education Program beginning in FY 2016

FEDERAL TEEN PREGNANCY PREVENTION GRANTS⁴

Current Grants

State Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP)

FY 2019

Oregon Health Authority Public Health Division

\$607,558

Oregon uses their PREP funding to provide evidence-based programming in school- and community-based settings in Jackson, Jefferson, Marion, and Multnomah counties. The programs focus on Latino youth living in areas with high teen pregnancy or birth rates.

Tribal PREP

FY 2016 – FY 2020

Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde \$316,782

Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon serves approximately 150 7th and 8th grade youth annually, at Willamina Middle School. Although the program hasn't determined which curriculum to implement, *Native It's Your Game!* is being strongly considered.

Title V State Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Grant

FY 2019

Oregon Department of Human Services

\$644,256

Implemented by the Children, Adults and Families Division of the Department of Human Services, the program awards sub-grants to 17 local entities to provide in-class instruction to 6th & 7th grade students.

Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program — Tier 2 (Phase 1)

FY 2018 – FY 2019

Northwest Family Services – Portland, OR

\$375,000

Northwest Family Services (NWFS) will deliver the Deceptions project curriculum to youth ages 12-13 in schools in Multnomah and Clackamas Counties, OR. The Deceptions curriculum, delivered in six lessons, blends elements from an evidence-based sexual risk avoidance curriculum developed by NWFS and includes a supplement focusing on preventing sex trafficking. A caring adult will be available in schools part-time to support students as part of the effort to incorporate a positive youth development aspect to the curriculum. Parent sessions and parent homework will be included to engage families.

Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program — Tier 1

FY 2015 – FY 2019

Multnomah County Health Department - Portland, OR

\$1,249,999

Program models: *Get Real; Making Proud Choices!; Reducing the Risk*

Multnomah County Health Department Adolescents and Communities Together (ACT) project intends to reduce disparities in sexual health among young people and improve their ability to thrive, succeed educationally, maintain sexual and reproductive health, and be in healthy relationships. To achieve this goal, schools in participating districts will support the implementation of classroom-based curricula in

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

middle schools and high school health classes in priority neighborhoods. Community partners will also reach youth and parents using culturally-relevant evidence-based programming along with other locally-identified youth development activities. MCHD plans to serve more than 12,000 young people annually.

Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest - Seattle, WA

Program model: *Stronger Together*

\$750,000

The goal of the Stronger Together program is to assist organizations in implementing sexual health education to adolescents at high risk for unintended pregnancy; to increase organizational capacity to provide evidence-based sex education; and to reduce unintended teen pregnancy and improve health outcomes in areas of demonstrated need. In order to achieve this goal, Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest and the Hawaiian Islands works with youth-serving community partner organizations to build capacity in three communities: **Medford, OR; Grants Pass, OR;** and Tacoma, WA. Training Specialists and Managers work directly with partner organization staff to provide training, skill building, and planning and program development assistance. Project staff provide observation and coaching to partner staff delivering evidence-based programs and work directly on sustainability efforts to assist partner organization in building long term capacity to engage in teen pregnancy prevention work.

Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest - Seattle, WA

Program models: *All4You, Families Talking Together, Love Notes, Sisters Saving Sisters, Safer Sex Intervention, Get Real, Positive Prevention Plus*

\$999,999

The Northwest Coalition for Adolescent Health will deliver evidence-based teen pregnancy prevention programs to scale across 7 communities with disparately high teen pregnancy rates. The communities are Caldwell, ID; **Salem, OR;** South Salt Lake City, UT; Centralia, WA; East Tacoma, WA; and Mt. Vernon, WA. In each community there are three implementation settings ranging from faith-based institutions, to foster care youth programs, high school settings and school-based health centers.

Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program — Tier 2 FY 2015 – FY 2019

Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest (PPGNW) - Seattle, WA

Program models: *Linking Families and Teens (LiFT)*

\$1,000,000

PPGNW intends to reduce teen pregnancy rates, increase use of contraceptives, and delay initiation of sexual activity among rural, 9-12th grade youth by increasing parent-child connectedness, and increasing youth's self-efficacy, knowledge, and skill related to sexual health and pregnancy prevention in Alaska, Hawaii, Idaho, **Oregon,** Hawaii, Utah, and Washington. To achieve this goal, PPGNW implements LiFT, a program designed specifically for rural communities that brings 9-12th grade youth and their parenting adult together to share family values, strengthen family bonds, and talk about healthy relationships and sexual health.

Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest - Seattle, WA

Program model: *IN•cluded: Inclusive Healthcare—Youth and Providers Empowered*

\$1,000,000

PPGNW intends to prevent teen pregnancy and sexual transmitted infections in the LGBTQ youth population. To achieve this goal, PPGNW implements the In•cluded program delivered in 14

communities in Alaska, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Montana, **Oregon**, Utah, and Washington through the PPGNW Teen Council Peer Education program. Each teen council group will deliver trainings to two different audiences: 1) IN•cluded for health care staff and providers, a three hour workshop delivered by peer teen educators in two 1.5 hour segments that include best practices for working with LGBTQ youth; and 2) IN•cluded for LGBTQ youth, a three hour interactive workshop delivered by teen peer educators to their peers who identify as gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, or queer/questioning. The workshop includes education related to sexual risk prevention and information about how to access sexual health services.

WestEd - Woburn, MA

\$575,729

WestEd and its partners Efficacy and the **Oregon Youth Authority (OYA)**, are conducting a randomized controlled trial of an innovative teen pregnancy prevention program, Healthy U, for youthful male offenders. This study involves male teenagers (age 14-19) at high risk for involvement in risky sexual behavior, including teen pregnancy. The innovative, non-curricular, technology-based intervention, Healthy U, is self-directed, low-cost, user friendly, and offers great promise in reaching incarcerated youth. The purpose of this study is to test this intervention on a population of young men incarcerated at the OYA who will soon be released into the community. The intervention is tailored to this population by updating the design, videos, and examples to best reflect the youth in the study, and OYA staff are being trained to facilitate the self-guided intervention.

Prior Grants

Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program — Tier 1 FY 2010 – FY 2014

Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest - Seattle, WA

\$4,000,000

Tribal PREP

FY 2011 – FY 2015

Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde \$144,953

Competitive Abstinence Education Grant Program

FY 2015

Northwest Family Services - Portland, OR

\$440,850 (to be spent through FY 2016)

FY 2012

Northwest Family Services - Portland, OR

\$412,430 (to be spent through FY 2013)

PREGNANCY ASSISTANCE FUND

FY 2018 – FY 2020

Oregon Health Authority - Portland, OR

Settings: Institutes of Higher Education, Community Service Centers

\$970,000

FY 2017

Oregon Health Authority - Portland, OR

Settings: Institutes of Higher Education, High Schools, Community Service Centers

\$1,360,939

FY 2010 – FY 2013 and FY 2013 – FY 2016

Oregon Department of Justice - Salem, OR

Program Category: Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Prevention

\$1,000,382

TITLE X FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES IN OREGON^{iv}

- Title X–supported centers provided contraceptive care to 41,908 women in Oregon in 2018.⁵
- Services at Title X-supported centers helped women avoid 13,300 unintended pregnancies, which would have resulted in 6,500 births and 4,800 abortions.
- By preventing sexually transmitted diseases, cervical cancer, and unplanned pregnancies, Title X-supported centers in Oregon saved \$64.3 million in public funds in a single year.
- From FY 2010 to FY 2017, the amount of federal funding Oregon received for Title X decreased by \$489,000, resulting in 27,153 fewer (38%) patients served.
- In 2017, prior to the new Title X rule, 97 clinics in Oregon received support from Title X. They included health department clinics (63), school-based health centers (24), federally qualified health centers (6), and Planned Parenthood clinics (4).
- in August 2019, the new Title X rule went into effect, forcing Oregon’s sole Title X grantee to exit the program. As a result, the state is losing 100% of its Title X funds.

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/oregon>

^{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.*