



the campaign to prevent unplanned pregnancy

## Key Information about Maine as of January 2019

State Policies to Increase Access to and Information About Contraception*	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	No
State law/policies to extend the supply of prescription contraceptives	Yes
State law/policies to educate college students about unplanned pregnancy	No
Other state laws/policies/initiatives to increase access to contraception	Yes <sup>†</sup>

<sup>†</sup> [LD 1237](#) requires most private insurance plans to cover all FDA-approved prescription contraceptive methods.

Funding Streams for Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy Prevention**	Current Annual Funding Level
Personal Responsibility Education Funding (PREP) <sup>1</sup>	
State PREP (if state opted to receive formula grant)	\$250,000
Competitive PREP grants awarded in the state (if state opted not to receive PREP formula grant)	-
Tribal PREP	-
Personal Responsibility Education Innovative Strategies (PREIS)	-
Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program <sup>1, 2</sup>	-
Pregnancy Assistance Fund (PAF)	-
Title V State Sexual Risk Avoidance Education (if state opted to receive formula grant)	-
Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program <sup>3</sup>	-
Title X Family Planning Program	\$1,965,000

State Stats
43% births are funded by Medicaid, as of 2015
See more state stats at <a href="https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/information/national-state-data/maine">https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/information/national-state-data/maine</a>

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

<sup>1</sup> Evidence-based education programs

<sup>2</sup> This may include multi-state grants and/or grants awarded to an organization in another state that benefit youth in ME

<sup>3</sup> Replaced the Competitive Abstinence Education Program beginning in FY 2016

## FEDERAL TEEN PREGNANCY PREVENTION GRANTS<sup>4</sup>

### State Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP)

State of Maine, Center for Disease Control and Prevention

\$250,000

Through a sub-award to Jobs for Maine's Graduates, Maine is using its PREP funds to provide evidence-based programming to high-risk youth in alternative education programs.

## TITLE X FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES IN MAINE

- Title X–supported centers provided contraceptive care to 20,010 women in Maine in 2013.<sup>5</sup> These services helped women avoid 4,800 unintended pregnancies, which would have resulted in 2,300 births and 1,700 abortions.
- In the absence of publicly-funded family planning services, the number of unintended pregnancies and abortions in Maine would be 70% higher.<sup>6</sup>
- By preventing sexually transmitted diseases, cervical cancer, and unplanned pregnancies, Title X-supported centers in Maine saved \$25.4 million in public funds in 2010.
- From FY 2010 to FY 2017, the amount of federal funding Maine received for Title X declined by \$184,810, resulting in 4,280 fewer (15%) patients served.
- In 2017, 42 clinics in Maine received support from Title X. They included Maine Family Planning clinics (18), federally qualified health centers (15), school-based health centers (5), and Planned Parenthood clinics (4).

***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](http://PowerToDecide.org).*

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<sup>4</sup> Federal teen pregnancy prevention grants are listed as annual amounts, unless otherwise noted. State PREP, Tribal PREP, and Title V State Abstinence grant amounts, where applicable, reflect the most recent annual award.

<sup>5</sup> “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.

<sup>6</sup> “Publicly-funded family planning services” refers to all public funding sources that support family planning services, including Medicaid, Title X, and other state and federal resources.