



the campaign to prevent unplanned pregnancy

Key Information about Minnesota 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	No
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
Other state laws/policies/initiatives to increase access to contraception	-

Funding Streams for Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy Prevention**	Current Annual Funding Level
Personal Responsibility Education Funding (PREP) ¹	
State PREP (if state opted to receive formula grant)	\$818,071
Competitive PREP grants awarded in the state (if state opted out)	-
Tribal PREP	-
Personal Responsibility Education Innovative Strategies (PREIS)	-
Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program ^{1, 2}	\$2,499,999
Pregnancy Assistance Fund (PAF)	\$970,000
Title V State Sexual Risk Avoidance Education (if state opted to receive)	\$660,392
Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program ³	-
Title X Family Planning Program	\$3,187,000

State Stats
43% births are funded by Medicaid, as of 2014
See more state stats at https://powertodecide.org/what-we-do/information/national-state-data/minnesota

* 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>

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 MN

³ Replaced the Competitive Abstinence Education Program beginning in FY 2016

FEDERAL TEEN PREGNANCY PREVENTION GRANTS⁴

State Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP)

Minnesota Department of Health

\$818,071

The Minnesota state PREP grant program is directing their funding towards evidence-based programs in community-based organizations, juvenile detention centers, local public health agencies, social service agencies, clinics, foster care facilities, runaway/homeless youth facilities, tribal governments, and school alternative centers. Funded programs must serve at least one target at-risk population.

Title V State Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Grant

Minnesota Department of Health

\$660,392

Minnesota provides a sub-award to St. Paul Ramsey County Public Health, which offers programming to 11-14 year olds in school and community-based settings. Funds also support a parent education component and a community/youth mentoring project.

Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program — Tier 1

FY 2015 – FY 2019

Hennepin, County of - Minneapolis, MN

Program models: *Adult Identity Mentoring (Project AIM); All 4 You; Be Proud! Be Responsible!; Making Proud Choices!; All4You!; Safer Sex Intervention*

\$1,499,999

The Hennepin County Human Services and Public Health Department and Better Together Hennepin Initiative, a unit of local Hennepin County government, intends to reduce teen birth rates by 30% among adolescents age 10 to 19 in communities with the highest teen birth rates in Hennepin County. In order to achieve this goal, the program implements evidence-based curricula in 25 schools and community sites throughout the Minneapolis north and central neighborhoods, Richfield, Robbinsdale, and Brooklyn Center. The project ensures that young people are exposed to sequential, consistent, and reinforcing evidence-based teen pregnancy prevention programming multiple times over the course of their adolescence. Better Together Hennepin will partner with existing systems serving youth in these communities to implement It's OUR Future evidence-based programs to scale in the target communities.

Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program — Tier 2

FY 2015 – FY 2019

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

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

\$1,000,000

Planned Parenthood of the Great Northwest and the Hawaiian Islands (PPGNW) intends to prevent teen pregnancy and sexual transmitted infections in the LGBTQ youth population. In order 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

⁴ Federal teen pregnancy prevention grants are listed as annual amounts, unless otherwise noted. State PREP, Tribal PREP, and Title V Sexual Risk Avoidance Education grant amounts, where applicable, reflect the most recent annual award.

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.

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

Hennepin County - Minneapolis, MN

Program models: *Teen Outreach Program™* and *Safer Sex*

\$3,287,453

The Hennepin County Research, Planning, and Development Department (RPD) will implement a community-wide initiative targeting eight specific cities in the county (urban and suburban). The project, entitled “It’s Your Future,” will implement the *Teen Outreach Program™* (TOP) and *Safer Sex* programs. *TOP* will be implemented in 15 middle and high schools and incorporated into classrooms by local teachers co-facilitated with staff from community agencies. The *Safer Sex* program will be implemented across seven health care providers in 16 clinics by local staff. They will serve about 13,440 youth through *TOP* and 14,000 youth through *Safer Sex* over the five years. The project also includes an independently conducted rigorous evaluation.

**Pregnancy Assistance Fund
FY 2018**

Minnesota Department of Health - Saint Paul, MN

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

\$970,000

FY 2017

Minnesota Department of Health - Saint Paul, MN

Program Categories: Institutes of Higher Education, High Schools, Community Service Centers

\$1,360,940

FY 2010 – FY 2013 and FY 2013 – FY 2016

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Program Category: Institutions of Higher Education

\$1,500,000

TITLE X FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES IN MINNESOTA

- Title X–supported centers provided contraceptive care to 49,200 women in Minnesota in 2014.⁵ These services helped women avoid 11,900 unintended pregnancies, which would have resulted in 5,800 births and 4,300 abortions.
- In the absence of publicly-funded family planning services, the number of unintended pregnancies and abortions in Minnesota would be 55% higher.⁶
- By preventing sexually transmitted diseases, cervical cancer, and unplanned pregnancies, Title X-supported centers in Minnesota saved \$93.5 million in public funds in 2010.
- From FY 2010 to FY 2017, the amount of federal funding Minnesota received for Title X decreased by \$476,267, resulting in 1,483 fewer (3%) patients served.
- In 2017, 38 clinics in Minnesota received support from Title X. They included Planned Parenthood clinics (17), St. Paul-Ramsey County Department of Public Health (7), and other service sites (14).

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.*

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.

⁶ “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.