Nurse-Family Partnership® is an evidence-based, community health program with over 40 years of evidence showing significant improvements in the health and lives of first-time moms and their children living in poverty.

Nurse-Family Partnership works by having specially trained nurses regularly visit young, first-time moms-to-be, starting early in the pregnancy, continuing through the child’s second birthday. Mothers, babies, families and communities all benefit.

MARYLAND MOMS

18 Median age at intake
97% Unmarried at intake
87% Clients enrolled in Medicaid at intake

Less than or equal to $6,000 Annual median household income at intake

MARYLAND OUTCOMES

$ RETURN
EVERY $1 INVESTED IN NFP SAVES $6.60 IN FUTURE COSTS FOR THE HIGHEST-RISK FAMILIES SERVED

OUTCOMES FOR MARYLAND

* Aggregate data provided by NSO, includes data for the state from Jan 1st, 2019 to Nov 30th, 2019

87% BABIES BORN FULL TERM
77% MOTHERS INITIATED BREASTFEEDING
83% BABIES RECEIVED ALL IMMUNIZATIONS BY 24 MONTHS
42% OF CLIENTS 18+ WERE EMPLOYED AT 24 MONTHS
**Nurse-Family Partnership Goals**

1. Improve pregnancy outcomes by helping women engage in good preventive health practices.
2. Improve child health and development by helping parents provide responsible and competent care; and
3. Improve the economic self-sufficiency of the family by helping parents develop a vision for their own future.

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**Better Worlds Start with Great Mothers**

Nurse-Family Partnership empowers vulnerable first-time moms to transform their lives and create better futures for themselves and their babies.

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**ESTABLISHED: 2008**

**FAMILIES SERVED: 628**

**NETWORK PARTNERS: 1**

**CURRENTLY SERVING: CITY OF BALTIMORE**

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"There is a magic window during pregnancy... a time when the desire to be a good mother and raise a healthy, happy child creates motivation to overcome incredible obstacles including poverty with the help of a well-trained nurse."

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*David Olds, Ph.D., Nurse-Family Partnership’s Founder, Professor of Pediatrics at University of Colorado*

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