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.

**CALIFORNIA MOMS**

- **23** Median age at intake
- **81%** Unmarried at intake
- **86%** Clients enrolled in Medicaid at intake
- **Less than or equal to $6,000** Annual median household income at intake

**Race**

- 53% White
- 14% Black or African American
- 4% Asian
- 3% American Indian or Alaska Native
- <1% Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- 7% Multi-racial
- 17% Declined

**Ethnicity**

- 61% Hispanic
- 36% Non-Hispanic
- <1% Declined

**OUTCOMES FOR CALIFORNIA**

*Aggregate data provided by the NSO. Includes state data from 01/01/2018 to 12/31/2020.

- **91%** Babies born full term
- **95%** Mothers initiated breastfeeding
- **92%** Babies received all immunizations by 24 months
- **52%** Of clients 18+ were employed at 24 months

$4X$ RETURN

EVERY $1 INVESTED IN NFP SAVES $4.50 IN FUTURE COSTS FOR THE HIGHEST-RISK FAMILIES SERVED
Proven Results

The Nurse-Family Partnership program has been independently reviewed and evaluated, and is ranked as the Gold Standard of home visiting programs. A report from the Center on the Developing Child at Harvard University shows the extent to which very early childhood experiences influence later learning, behavior and health.

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— DAVID OLDS, PH.D., NURSE-FAMILY PARTNERSHIP’S FOUNDER

PROFESSOR OF PEDIATRICS AT UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO

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.

ESTABLISHED: 1996
FAMILIES SERVED: 31,601
NETWORK PARTNERS: 29
COUNTIES CURRENTLY SERVED: 22

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