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.

VIRGINIA MOMS

22
Median age at intake

88%
Unmarried at intake

47%
Clients enrolled in Medicaid at intake

$6,000-9,000
Annual median household income at intake

Race
52% White
39% Black or African American
1% Asian
2% American Indian or Alaska Native
<1% Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
2% Multi-racial
<1% Declined

Ethnicity
45% Hispanic
52% Non-Hispanic
<1% Declined

OUTCOMES FOR VIRGINIA

89% BABIES BORN FULL TERM

83% MOTHERS INITIATED BREASTFEEDING

94% BABIES RECEIVED ALL IMMUNIZATIONS BY 24 MONTHS

63% OF CLIENTS 18+ WERE EMPLOYED AT 24 MONTHS

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

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.

ESTABLISHED: 2012
FAMILIES SERVED: 1,195
NETWORK PARTNERS: 3
COUNTIES CURRENTLY SERVED: 5

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