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.

**LOUISIANA MOMS**

- **22** Median age of intake
- **85%** Unmarried at intake
- **88%** Clients enrolled in Medicaid at intake
- **Less than or equal to $6,000** Annual median household income at intake

**Race**
- 34% White
- 65% Black or African American
- 1% Asian
- 1% American Indian or Alaska Native
- 0% Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander
- 3% Multi-racial
- 3% Declined

**Ethnicity**
- 6% Hispanic
- 92% Non-Hispanic
- 2% Declined

**OUTCOMES FOR LOUISIANA**

- **86%** Babies born at term
- **71%** Mothers initiated breastfeeding
- **93%** Babies received all immunizations by 24 months
- **56%** Of clients 18+ were employed at 24 months

*Babys born at term are those who reached 37 weeks gestation

*Aggregate data provided by the NSO. Includes state data from 01/01/2019 to 12/31/2021

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EVERY $1 INVESTED IN NFP SAVES $6.30 IN FUTURE COSTS FOR THE HIGHEST-RISK FAMILIES SERVED
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: 1999
FAMILIES SERVED SINCE 1999: 25,364
CURRENT FUNDED CAPACITY: 2,300

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