



National Home Visiting
Resource Center

*Helping Children &
Families Thrive*

2026

Home Visiting Yearbook

An Overview

The *2026 Home Visiting Yearbook* presents 2025 data on early childhood home visiting, a proven service delivery strategy that helps children and families thrive. It builds on past National Home Visiting Resource Center (NHVRC) publications to present an up-to-date look at home visiting in action and to continue answering critical questions.

- ✓ Where are home visiting programs located?
- ✓ How many families and children are being served by home visiting, and how many more could benefit?
- ✓ What do we know about home visiting models?
- ✓ Who provides home visiting?
- ✓ What is happening in the states?



About Home Visiting

Home visiting connects expectant parents and caregivers of young children with a designated support person who guides them through the early stages of raising a family. For many, it is a bridge to becoming the kind of caregivers they want to be so they can unlock their child's potential. Home visiting is voluntary and tailored to meet families where they are—all at no cost to participants.

2026 Yearbook Highlights

- ✓ Evidence-based home visiting was implemented in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, 5 territories, and 51 percent of U.S. counties, including counties served by 38 Tribal Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) grantees in 2025.
- ✓ Home visiting programs reached families in an estimated 85 percent of U.S. counties in 2025, with home visitors serving areas beyond the 51 percent of counties where programs were located.
- ✓ More than 301,000 families received evidence-based home visiting services in 2025, over the course of more than 3.1 million home visits. Approximately 11 percent of these visits were provided virtually, down from nearly 14 percent the prior year, reflecting a continued return to in-person visits.
- ✓ Over 73,000 additional families received home visiting services through 12 emerging models that provided more than 567,000 home visits in 2025.
- ✓ Nearly 22,000 home visitors and supervisors delivered evidence-based services in 2025.
- ✓ More than 16.7 million pregnant women and families (including over 21 million children) could benefit from home visiting. Of those, approximately 301,000 received services in 2025—only 1.8 percent of all potential beneficiaries or 3.9 percent of high-priority families.

The following pages offer a look at the families served by evidence-based home visiting in 2025 and the children and families who could benefit. Read the full *2026 Home Visiting Yearbook* on our website (<https://nhvrc.org/yearbook/2026-yearbook>).

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Families Served Through Evidence-Based Home Visiting



3,138,327

home visits provided
Including 349,976 virtual visits



301,595

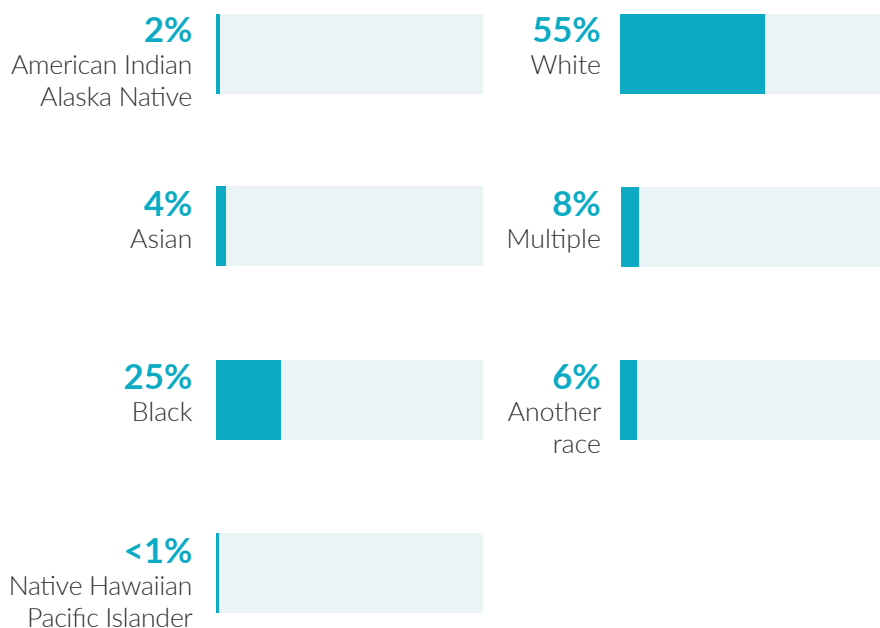
families served



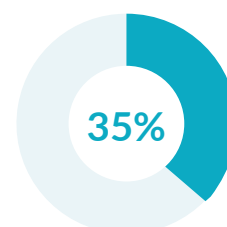
346,644

children served

Race

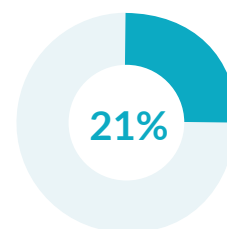


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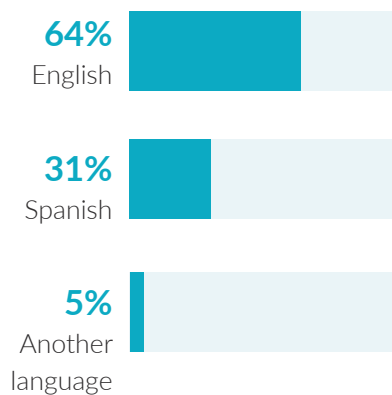
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Caregiver education

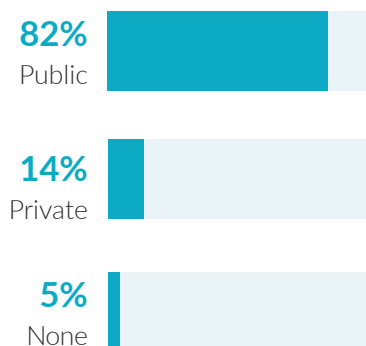


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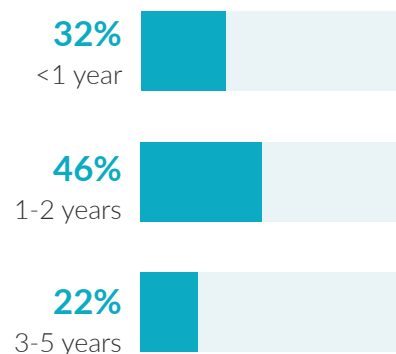
Primary language



Child insurance status



Child age



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Potential Beneficiaries

21,774,500
children

could benefit from
home visiting

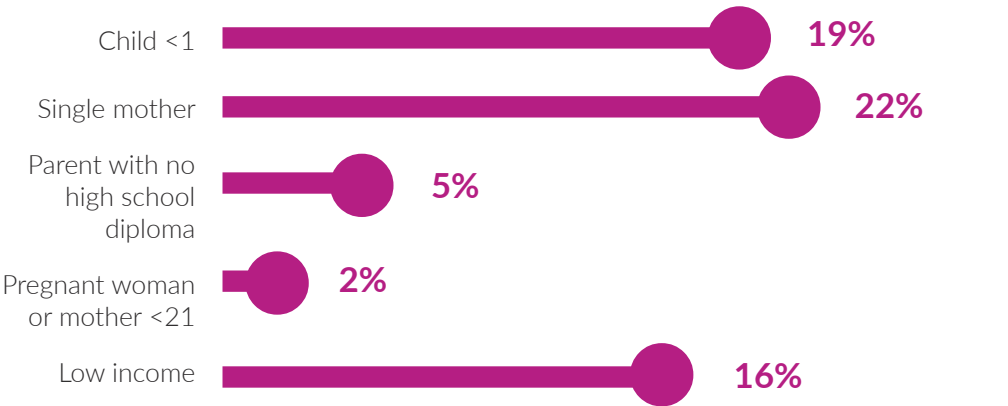
Of the over 21 million children who could benefit—

Infants <1 year	Toddlers 1-2 years	Preschoolers 3-5 years
3,458,600 16%	7,434,600 34%	10,881,300 50%

16,752,200
families

could benefit from
home visiting

Many home visiting services are geared toward particular subpopulations. The NHVRC estimated the percentage of families who could benefit nationally who met the following priority criteria:



Of the over 16.7 million families who could benefit—

