

# Mississippi

## Families Served Through Evidence-Based Home Visiting in 2017

Models implemented in Mississippi included Early Head Start Home-Based Option, Healthy Families America, Home Instruction for Parents of Preschool Youngsters, and Parents as Teachers. Statewide, 20 local agencies operated at least one of these models.



**14,682**

home visits provided



**1,058**

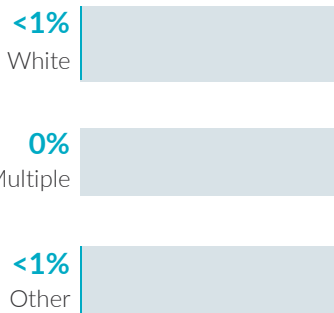
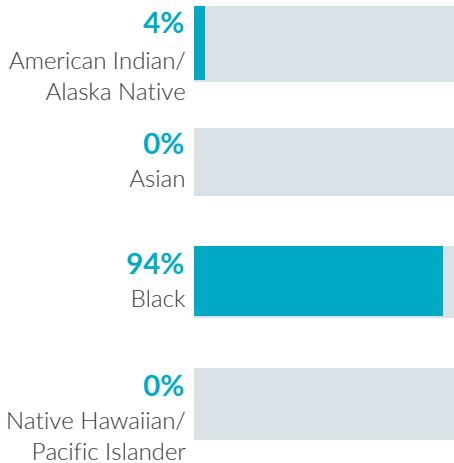
families served



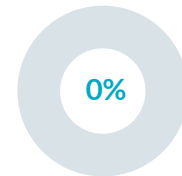
**829**

children served

### Race

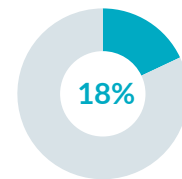


### Ethnicity



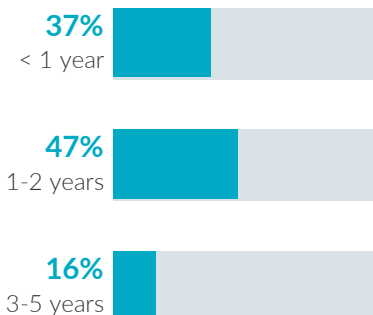
Hispanic or Latino

### Caregiver education

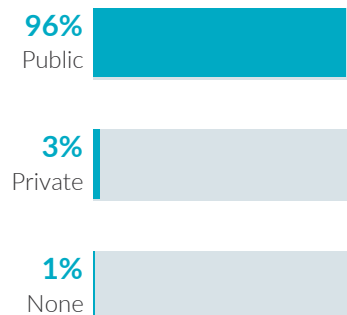


No high school diploma

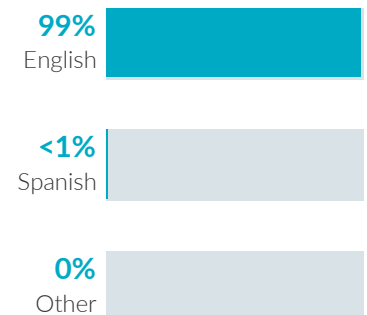
### Child age



### Child insurance status



### Primary language



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## Potential Beneficiaries in 2017

In Mississippi, there were 179,100 pregnant women and families with children under 6 years old not yet in kindergarten who could benefit from home visiting. These families included 228,000 children.

**228,000**  
**children**

could benefit from  
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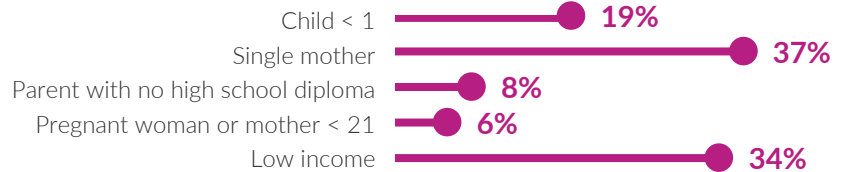
### Of the 228,000 children who could benefit—

Infants < 1 year	Toddlers 1-2 years	Preschoolers 3-5 years
<b>35,600</b> <b>16%</b>	<b>76,100</b> <b>33%</b>	<b>116,300</b> <b>51%</b>

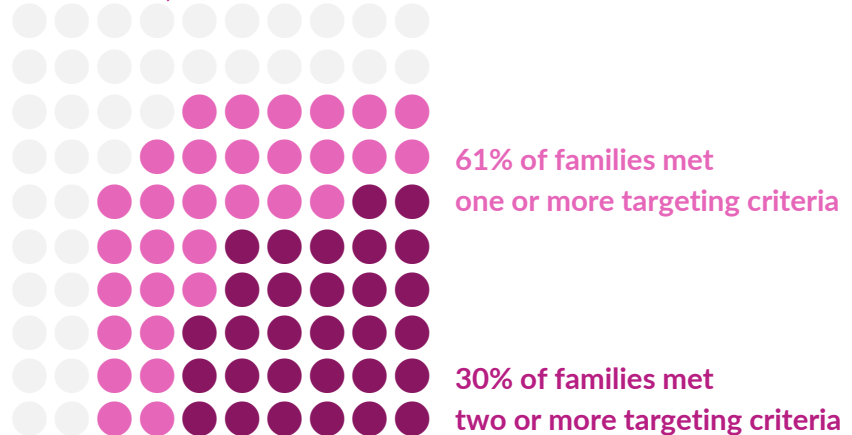
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Many home visiting services are geared toward particular subpopulations. The NHVRC estimated the percentage of families who could benefit in Mississippi who met the following targeting criteria:



### Of the 179,100 families who could benefit—



Notes • Percentages may not add up to 100 due to rounding. • Public insurance includes Medicaid, CHIP, and TRICARE. • Low income is defined as family income below the federal poverty threshold. • Single mothers include single, never married mothers or pregnant women. • To protect confidentiality, race categories with fewer than five participants were combined with "Other" race. • EHS programs in MS include a combination of center-based and home-based services. EHS data are not included because home-based service data cannot be isolated from statewide data. • HFA reports primary language of caregivers. • HIPYP public insurance also includes Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment. • PAT reports race and ethnicity of children. PAT primary language data are not included.

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