

MINNESOTA COALITION FOR TARGETED HOME VISITING

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Strategic Planning and Coalition Governance

Vision & Mission

Vision:

All Minnesota families of children age prenatal to three who are at risk for poor mental health, physical health, social, and educational outcomes will have access to home visiting services to help them succeed in school and in life. Services will be voluntary, high-quality, outcome-focused, and tailored to the resources in each community.

Mission:

Establish a unified system of home visiting services informed by common outcomes, standards and practices

Goals & Objectives

1. Public Awareness & Policy
 - 1.1. 2016 Legislative Session
 - 1.1.1. Advocate for funding of pilot projects to expand targeted home visiting services using new statewide quality standards in evidence-informed programs.
 - 1.1.2. Seek funding to implement baseline training for new home visitors.
 - 1.1.3. Support increasing Medicaid reimbursement rate for evidence-based targeted home visiting.
 - 1.2. Build Common Language
 - 1.3. Build support for expanded public investments
 - 1.4. Increase access
2. Quality & Training
 - 2.1. Finalize a common set of outcomes, indicators and program standards
 - 2.2. Comprehensive training plan for new home visitors will be developed
 - 2.3. Increase capacity of providers and stakeholders through training and consultation
 - 2.4. Identify and address gaps in knowledge or capacity of field
3. Coalition Building
 - 3.1. Continue to build and strengthen a cross-sector coalition
 - 3.1.1. Adding structure and governance
 - 3.1.1.1. Executive Team
 - 3.1.1.2. Legislative Team
 - 3.1.1.3. Practice Matters (Quality Team)
 - 3.1.1.4. Quarterly Coalition Meetings
 - 3.1.2. Strategic planning
 - 3.2. Position, align and support Coalition goals within greater early childhood community
 - 3.3. Provide regular communications with stakeholders to build common understanding

Key Accomplishments

1. Created coalition of diverse practitioners and stakeholders around a common goal
2. Built awareness and understanding around value and benefits of targeted home visiting
3. Secured funding for training assessment
4. Secured buy-in and trust to develop quality standards for evidence-informed programs

Brief History

1. 2008 convened around shared interest in Targeted Home Visiting
2. 2011 Lifetrack became fiscal host & secured funding
3. 2014 expanded or to include legislative action