



NOTICE OF FUND AVAILABILITY (NOFA) – GRANTS

NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program

NOFA REFERENCE NO.:

DFHS26MCV

PURPOSE FOR WHICH THE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS SHALL BE USED:

The Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program supports pregnant people and parents with young children who live in communities that face greater risks and barriers to achieving positive maternal and child health outcomes. Families choose to participate in home visiting programs and partner with health, social service, and child development professionals to set and achieve goals that improve their health and well-being.

ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF MONEY

IN THE GRANT PROGRAM: \$ 1,244,222.00

AWARD PERIOD:

From 10/1/25 **Through** 9/30/26

ELIGIBLE APPLICANTS MUST COMPLY WITH THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

1. Terms and Conditions for the Administration of Grants. https://www.nj.gov/health/grants/documents/terms_conditions.pdf
 2. General and specific grant compliance requirements issued by the awarding division or commission.
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GROUP OR ENTITIES WHICH MAY APPLY FOR THE GRANT PROGRAM:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Government | <input type="checkbox"/> Institution of Higher Education |
| <input type="checkbox"/> County Government | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital |
| <input type="checkbox"/> State Government | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Non-profit Organization (501(c)3) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Indian Tribal Gov't (Federally Recognized) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: |
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QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED BY APPLICANT TO BE CONSIDERED FOR A GRANT:

Eligible applicants are nonprofit, tax-exempt 501(c)(3) community-based organizations (tax exempt status documentation must be provided). Examples of CBOs include civic and social organizations, faith-based organizations, and other non-traditional partners that have a track record of and the capacity to educate and engage vulnerable communities. Applicants that have experience in past MIECHV programs will be given preference.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES:

Eligible applicants will submit grant applications through the Department's System for Administering Grants Electronically (SAGE), in accordance with the Request for Applications (RFA). The RFA may be requested from the contact listed below.

Applicants must have a valid NJ Charities Registration Letter and Tax Clearance Certificate to apply. A grant application will be made available to all "eligible" agencies in the System for Administering Grants Electronically (SAGE), <https://dohsage.intelligrants.com/>. The applicant will initiate and submit a grant application via "My Opportunities" on the SAGE home page by selecting the "Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program 2026" grant program.

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DATE ON WHICH APPLICATION WILL BE AVAILABLE: 01/16/26

SAGE PROGRAM NAME: Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program 2026

DEADLINE BY WHICH APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED: 01/31/26

DATE BY WHICH APPLICANT SHALL BE NOTIFIED WHETHER THEY WILL RECEIVE FUNDS: 01/31/26
