

CABINET FOR HEALTH AND FAMILY SERVICES CABINET FOR HEALTH AND FAMILY SERVICES DEPARTMENT FOR PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION OF MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH

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RE: Opportunity for Public Comment on the Maternal and Child Health Services Title V Block Grant FFY2025 Needs Assessment.

The Cabinet for Health and Family Services announces the Maternal and Child Health Services Title V Block Grant findings of the required comprehensive needs assessment performed prior to application for federal funds as authorized by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA).

This is available for review and public comment beginning 8:00am, **June 30, 2025**, through 4:30pm, **July 30, 2025**. These funds support many programs affecting health outcomes for pregnant women, infants, children and children with special health care needs.

The application is available at https://chfs.ky.gov/agencies/dph/dmch/Pages/default.aspx annually by September 30. The application includes the required 5-year needs assessment and updates, a report of activities conducted for the previous year with review and reporting for the identified national performance measures (NPMs) and state action plan.

Upon receipt and approval of this application, Kentucky will receive a funding dependent upon federal budgetary appropriations. Grant funds require a state match of \$3 dollars for every \$4 received in the grant. The application is in a format required by HRSA. The Department for Public Health accepts written comments related to the application or needs assessment through close of business, 4:30pm, **July 30, 2025**. Written comments may be sent to: MCH Title V Block Grant Administrator, CHFS, DPH, 275 E. Main St., HS2WC, Frankfort, KY 40621 or to email address mchdivision@ky.gov.

