

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Reauthorization

Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) provides federal funding to support home visiting in Washington state.

Home visiting is a voluntary, proven program where trained home visitors and parents work together to strengthen and support families in their child's first years of life.



Washington state's Home Visiting Advocacy Coalition supports robust and timely reauthorization of MIECHV by September 30, 2022.

We call on Congress to increase MIECHV funding to reach more families, address system inequities and support a strong workforce.



HOME VISITING OUTCOMES

Research shows home visiting provides multiple benefits, including:

- Improved Birth Outcomes & Maternal/Infant Health
- Strengthened Parenting Skills
- Early Detection of Developmental Delays
- Improved School Readiness
- Improved Family Self-Sufficiency
- Improved Coordination & Referral to Community Services

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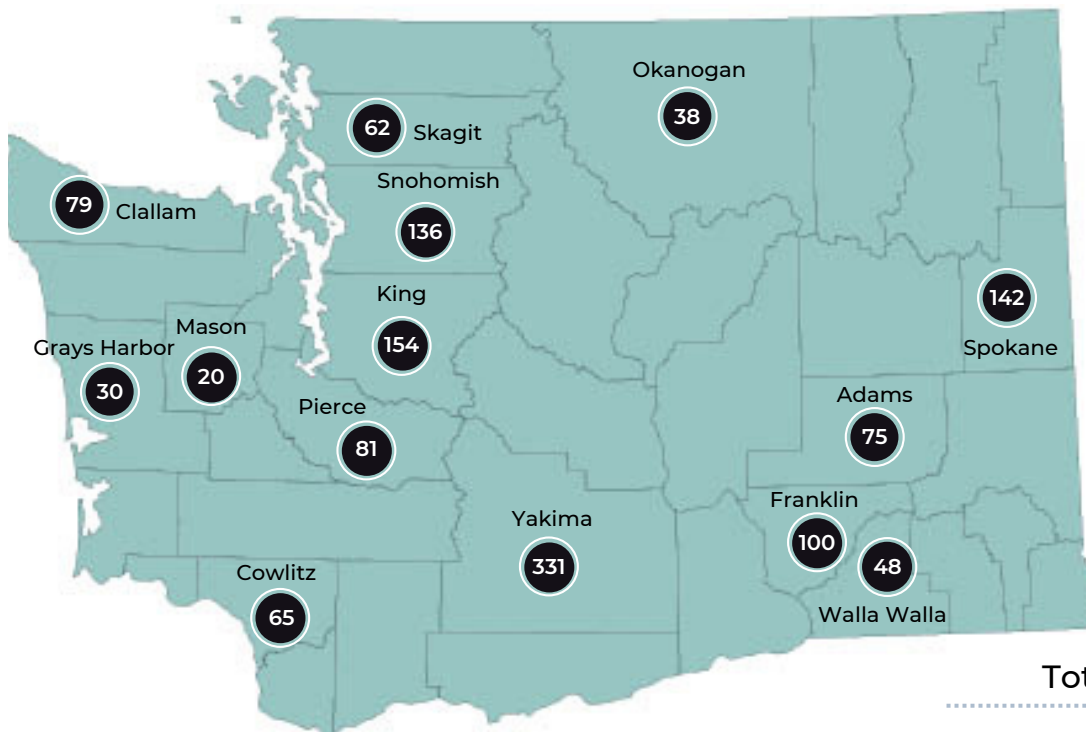
WASHINGTON STATE
MIECHV FUNDING:
STATE FISCAL YEAR 2022

\$10,475,441

45%

MIECHV provides 45% of Washington's total home visiting funding

WASHINGTON FAMILIES SERVED BY MIECHV FUNDING



Total Families

1,361*

*MIECHV data provided by the Washington State Department of Children, Youth and Families

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