

# Home Visiting Rates

## 2025 DECISION PACKAGE

Home visiting (HV) programs are voluntary, family-focused services offered to expectant parents and families with young children to support the physical, social, and emotional health of children and families. While HV programs have expanded in recent years, providers have not received sufficient funding to cover the increased costs to deliver home visiting. DCYF seeks to implement rates to adequately cover costs for providers and sustain recent expansion for child welfare involved families.



## HOME VISITING RATES

DCYF has conducted a rate setting process for HV models to support provider wage and cost increases, supporting more equity in contracting for HV services. Funding is needed to implement rates for:

- ✓ Nurse Family Partnership
- ✓ Parents as Teachers

This request builds on previous rates requests which supported other HV models.

## SB 6109 CONTINUATION

SB 6109 (2024) established a pilot program for targeted, contracted home visiting slots in locales with high rates of child welfare intakes to serve families experiencing substance use disorder. DCYF requests to sustain these slots.

### DCYF Strategic Priority Alignment

- Improve quality and availability of provider services.
- Safely reduce the number/rate of children in out-of-home care.

## COST

2025 BIENNIUM - \$11.25M

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