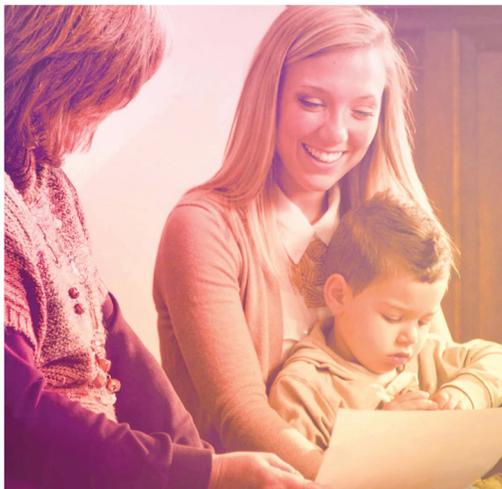


In-Home Family Education Programs Help WV Children Grow Up Healthy, Strong, and Ready to Learn

WV families can enroll in an in-home family education program as early as pregnancy and continue to ages 3-5 years old. Trained and supported Home Visitors are invited by families to meet in their homes and tailor the information and skills to the areas parents want to strengthen.

More than 1,500 West Virginia families received in-home family education last year.



New mothers and fathers learn crucial and often life-saving information about:

Healthy Pregnancy
Infant Safe Sleep
Coping with Crying
Breastfeeding

Discipline Strategies
Child Development
Parenting Support
Community Referrals

9 out of 10 parents want access to parenting education and skills.

In-Home Family Education Outcomes

Children raised by parents who receive in-home family education:

- Are more likely to receive better and more regular health care
- Experience reduced injuries and hospitalizations during the first 2 years of life
- Have reduced risk of infant death
- Experience reduced risk of abuse or neglect from birth to age 5



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