

**Report for the Missouri Coordinating Board for Early Childhood**  
*January 10, 2011*

**Partner Group:** *Home Visitation Workgroup*

**Liaison to the Board:** *Valeri Lane; Sharon Rohrbach*

**Date of last meeting:** *Thursday, Jan 6, 2011*

**Date of next meeting:** *TBD (late Feb.)*

**Action Items Completed:**

- Completed a survey of county-based HV programs to determine what programs are operating on a “less-than-statewide” basis, and a profile of the model.
- Those meeting criteria (see next page) were included in the matrix.

**Action Items In-progress/Pending:**

- A draft matrix is included in today’s board packet for CBEC review and input.
- The workgroup’s next step is to add a row to show the target outcomes for each model, and begin to define the evidence base for each.
- Still waiting for guidance from MCH on evidence base so our work is consistent with the federal initiative through DOHSS.
- A projected “end” to the matrix work will be a map of MO, showing which counties have evidence-based models of HV available to families of young children. Which models operating where, etc.

**Announcements:**

- There will be a National Summit on Quality in Home Visiting in DC in February. Melinda Sanders (DOHSS) will be attending.
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**Questions for the board/larger group:**

- The HV workgroup would appreciate any input or guidance from the CBEC re the direction of our efforts.
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**Other Notes:**

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**Coordinating Board for Early Childhood (CBEC) - Home Visiting Work Group**

**Data on Community- or County-Based Early Childhood Home-Visiting Programs**

The CBEC is conducting a survey on home visiting programs in Missouri serving young children and their families. While we have data on programs provided statewide or across multiple counties, we lack information on smaller community- or county-based home visiting programs. If you operate such a program, please let us know by reviewing and sending in this form.

Definition<sup>1</sup>/Criteria – please review the following criteria:

1. *Does the program design assume home visits as the primary method for delivering the intervention?*
2. *Are a majority of services delivered (or a majority of clients served) through home visits?*
3. *Are staff trained to deliver services and supports through home visits?*
4. *Does the program design include a sustained and ongoing relationship with enrolled families over time?<sup>2</sup>*
5. *Does your program serve children within the age range of prenatal to five years? (Can serve birth to three for example.)*

**If your program meets all of these criteria** please fill out the remainder of this form and return via email to the address provided below.

**PLEASE KEEP ALL RESPONSES TO ONE PAGE.**

Name of Program:

Community or County served:

Number of children or families served: \_\_\_\_\_ per month **and/or** \_\_\_\_\_ annually

**Primary** funding source(s):

Please provide a brief description of your program model (e.g., purpose, frequency & duration of visits, target population, eligibility criteria, etc.).

If your program is modeled on a nationally recognized home visiting model, please indicate the model you are using:

**Contact person:**

**Phone or email:**

**Please return this survey to: Angie Hull, Executive Director, CBEC at [angela.m.hull@mac.com](mailto:angela.m.hull@mac.com)**

<sup>1</sup> State-Based Home Visiting Program: Strengthening Programs through State Leadership from the National Center for Children in Poverty, February 2009 [http://www.nccp.org/publications/pub\\_862.html](http://www.nccp.org/publications/pub_862.html)

<sup>2</sup> Criteria #4 & 5 were added by the Coordinating Board for Early Childhood Home Visiting work group.