

MINNESOTA
SECTION 1115 FAMILY PLANNING DEMONSTRATION
FACT SHEET

Program Name: Minnesota Family Planning Project

Initial Application

Date Proposal Submitted: July 3, 2002
Date Proposal Approved: July 20, 2004
Date of Implementation: July 1, 2006
Expiration Date: June 30, 2011
Temporary extension granted to January 1, 2012

First Renewal

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Expiration Date: December 31, 2015 – Operating under temporary extension

SUMMARY

The Demonstration provides family planning and family planning-related services to men and women, ages 15 through 50, who have a family income at or below 200 percent of the Federal poverty level (FPL), and who are not otherwise enrolled in Medicaid, the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP), a Medicare Savings Program, or any other Minnesota health care program administered by the Minnesota Department of Human Services.

ELIGIBILITY

Men and women, ages 15 through 50, who have family income at or below 200 percent of the FPL who are not otherwise enrolled in Medicaid, the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP), a Medicare Savings Program, or any other Minnesota health care program administered by the Minnesota Department of Human Services.

DELIVERY SYSTEM

The benefits for this demonstration are offered through a Fee for Service model.

BENEFITS

Family planning services and supplies are those services and supplies whose primary purpose is family planning and which are provided in a family planning setting, such as approved methods of contraception, sexually transmitted infection (STI)/sexually transmitted disease (STD) testing, Pap smears and pelvic exams, contraceptive management, patient education and counseling.

Family planning-related services and supplies are defined as those services provided as part of or as follow-up to a family planning visit. Such services are provided because a “family planning-related” problem was identified and/or diagnosed during a routine or periodic family planning visit, such as a colposcopy or repeat Pap smears as follow up to an abnormal Pap smear, and drugs/treatment for STIs/STDs.

EVALUATION PLAN

The state's evaluation plan focuses on the following objectives to:

- Increase the number of Minnesotans who have access to family planning services through Minnesota Health Care Programs (MHCP);
- Increase the proportion of men and women enrolled in MHCP who utilize family planning services;
- Reduce the proportion of births to MHCP enrollees that are spaced less than 2 years apart; and
- Reduce the teen birth rate among MHCP enrollees.