



## Key Information about District of Columbia

State Policies to Increase Access to and Information About Contraception*	Has State Instituted Law/Policy?
Expand Medicaid to childless adults as the ACA allows	Yes
Medicaid Family Planning Waiver or State Plan Amendment (SPA)	No
Medicaid reimbursement for postpartum LARC	Yes
State law/policies to increase pharmacy access to contraception	No
State law/policies to extend the supply of prescription contraceptives	Yes
State law/policies to educate college students about unplanned pregnancy	No
Other state laws/policies/initiatives to increase access to contraception	-

Funding Streams for Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy Prevention**	Current Annual Funding Level (if applicable to state)
Personal Responsibility Education Funding (PREP) <sup>1</sup>	
State PREP (if state opted to receive formula grant)	\$250,000
Competitive PREP grants awarded in the state (if state opted not to receive PREP formula grant)	-
Tribal PREP	-
Personal Responsibility Education Innovative Strategies (PREIS)	\$686,332
Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) Program <sup>1, 2</sup>	-
Pregnancy Assistance Fund (PAF)	-
Title V State Abstinence Education (if state opted to receive formula grant)	-
Sexual Risk Avoidance Education Program <sup>3</sup>	-
Title X Family Planning Program	\$1,239,000

State Stats
46% births are funded by Medicaid, as of 2014
See more state stats at <a href="http://thenationalcampaign.org/data/state/washington-dc">http://thenationalcampaign.org/data/state/washington-dc</a>

\* For an overview of these state policies, see <https://thenationalcampaign.org/resource/key-state-policies-glance>

\*\* For an overview of federal funding for teen pregnancy prevention, see <https://thenationalcampaign.org/resource/federal-funding-streams-teen-pregnancy-prevention>

<sup>1</sup> Evidence-based education programs

<sup>2</sup> This may include multi-state grants and/or grants that were awarded to an organization in another state, but are benefitting youth in your state.

<sup>3</sup> Replaced the Competitive Abstinence Education Program beginning in FY 2016.

## **FEDERAL TEEN PREGNANCY PREVENTION GRANTS<sup>4</sup>**

### **State Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP)**

Office of the State Superintendent of Education

\$250,000

The Office of the State Superintendent of Education granted PREP funding to five different community-based organizations that work within school and community-based settings. The programs serve youth ages 11–19 in all wards with a specific focus on high-risk youth.

### **Personal Responsibility Education Innovative Strategies (PREIS)**

**FY 2016 – FY 2020**

The Urban Institute

Washington, DC

\$686,332

### **Competitive Abstinence Education Grant Program**

**FY 2015**

The National Organization of Concerned Black Men

Washington, DC

\$447,374 (to be spent through FY 2016)

### **Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program (TPPP) — Tier 2**

**FY 2015 – FY 2019**

The National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy

Washington, DC

Project name: *Innovation 2.0: Using Technology to Support and Enhance Adolescent Health*

\$1,499,988

The National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy (the Campaign) uses Design Thinking as a strategy to unlock innovation and develop solutions to complex challenges. In order to accomplish this goal, the Campaign has implemented Innovation Next, a program that engages two cohorts of approximately 10 innovation teams who are using Design Thinking to address complex problems like reducing rates of teen pregnancy. Design Thinking, done right, guarantees that you will find solutions to the problems you seek to solve through insights that come directly from the target audience. You can't move forward without a deep empathy for your audience gained through interviews and observation.

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<sup>4</sup> Federal teen pregnancy prevention grants are listed as annual amounts, unless otherwise noted. State PREP, Tribal PREP, and Title V State Abstinence grant amounts, where applicable, reflect the most recent annual award.

**Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program (TPPP) — Tier 1**  
**FY 2010 – FY 2014**

Sasha Bruce YouthWork, Inc.

Washington, DC

Program model: *Teen Outreach Program™*

\$634,849

Sasha Bruce YouthWork will incorporate the *Teen Outreach Program™* within a 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning Center program at Ballou High School. They will serve 500 African- American youth annually. Sasha Bruce YouthWork has over 30 years of experience delivering positive youth development programming in DC. The project will work closely with the school and the community to effectively implement this 9-month youth development focused project.

**Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program (TPPP) — Tier 2**  
**FY 2010 – FY 2014**

George Washington University

Washington, DC

Program model or strategy: *Sé Tú Mismo* (Be Yourself)

\$1,000,000

George Washington University (GWU) is implementing *Sé Tú Mismo* as a 16-week intervention that offers 4 core components that include eight weeks of curriculum based group sessions, a social media and text messaging campaign, a weekend retreat and individual action plan development. GWU is serving 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade Latino youth in Washington, DC and Montgomery County, MD. A total of 1,000 youth will be served throughout the five-year period. The program will take place at three Montgomery County high schools and Mary's Center in DC.

**CDC Grants**

**FY 2015 – FY 2019**

Promundo

\$500,000

Promundo is adapting and rigorously evaluating an innovative teen pregnancy prevention curriculum, *Program H*, for young men in juvenile justice centers. *Program H* is an 18-hour gender-transformative curriculum delivered over nine 2-hour sessions. The program takes a holistic, gender-transformative approach and addresses reproductive health knowledge, healthy relationships, healthy masculinity, and explicit and proactive support of female partners' contraceptive use. Activities are designed to engage young men in critical reflection and dialogue about gender norms and then apply these discussions to a range of key issues, including intimate relationships, gender-based violence, substance abuse, sexually transmitted diseases, and teen pregnancy. Promundo will conduct a randomized controlled trial to evaluate the impact of the intervention at 3- and 12-month follow-up.

**Pregnancy Assistance Fund  
Funded 2010 – 2013**

Washington, DC

Service location: Throughout the District of Columbia

Strategies: High schools/Community Service Centers; Public Awareness and Education

\$1,559,207

**TITLE X FAMILY PLANNING SERVICES IN WASHINGTON, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

- Title X–supported centers provided contraceptive care to 30,990 women in DC in 2014.<sup>5</sup> These services helped women avoid 7,900 unintended pregnancies, which would have resulted in 3,800 births and 2,800 abortions.
- In the absence of publicly-funded family planning services, the number of unintended pregnancies and abortions in DC would be 91% higher.<sup>6</sup>
- By helping women avoid unintended pregnancies and the births that would follow, the services provided at Title X-supported centers in DC saved \$8.6 million in public funds in 2010.
- In DC, 26 clinics receive support from Title X. They include federally qualified health centers (20), Planned Parenthood clinics (1), hospital outpatient clinics (1), and other independent clinics (4).

**About The National Campaign:** The National Campaign to Prevent Teen and Unplanned Pregnancy works to improve the lives and future prospects of children and families by ensuring that all children are born into families committed to and ready for the demanding task of raising the next generation by reducing unplanned pregnancy among teens and young adults. For more information, visit [www.TheNationalCampaign.org](http://www.TheNationalCampaign.org).

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<sup>5</sup> “Title X-supported centers” are supported by a mix of funding sources (in addition to Title X funding) including Medicaid, funding from state and local governments, private grants and fundraising, reimbursement from commercial insurance, patient fees, and federal grants.

<sup>6</sup> “Publicly-funded family planning services” refers to all public funding sources that support family planning services, including Medicaid, Title X, and other state and federal resources.