Central Michigan District Health Department

Promoting Healthy Families, Healthy Communities



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CMDHD is Promoting Maternal Infant Health Program to Support Families

Expectant parents and newborns with Medicaid coverage are eligible.

Central Michigan District Health Department (CMDHD) is excited to promote our Maternal Infant Health Program (MIHP), a vital resource designed to support individuals during pregnancy and their infants up to age 1 for no cost. MIHP offers services that focus on improving health outcomes for both parents and babies, ensuring a healthy start for Medicaid-covered families across our community.

MIHP is a voluntary program that provides families with personalized services, including home visits from nurses, social workers, and other health professionals. These visits offer valuable support and education on a range of topics, such as pregnancy, childbirth, nutrition, and infant care. Additionally, families can receive assistance with accessing community resources, such as transportation, housing, and healthcare.

"At CMDHD, our mission is to promote health and well-being across our community, and MIHP is a cornerstone of that commitment," said Janice Parrett, CMDHD's MIHP Coordinator. "By providing families with the support they need during pregnancy and early childhood, we are helping to lay the foundation for a healthier future for both parents and their children."

CMDHD encourages all eligible families to take advantage of MIHP's services. To learn more about the program or to enroll, please visit our website at <u>https://www.cmdhd.org/mihp</u> or contact us at 989-314-7570. Together, we can ensure that every child in our community has the opportunity to grow up healthy and strong.

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