State Teen Pregnancy Prevention Efforts

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Affordable Care Act
Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP)

- $930,024
- Five year grant
  - 2011-2014
- 1.0 FTE Program Coordinator (contracted position)
- Competitive RFA to be released in late Spring 2011
PREP Goals

- Educate youth ages 10 – 19 on teen pregnancy prevention
  - Key measures include:
    - Delay initiation of sexual activity
    - Reduce teen pregnancy
    - Reduce STI/HIV
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- Provide education, guidance and programming on adult preparation topics of financial literacy, educational and career advancements and healthy relationships for 15 – 19 years
  - Key measures include:
    - Reduce poverty
    - Reduce drop out rates
PREP Proposed Implementation

- Three phases
  - Targeted approach to assure youth access to reproductive health services
  - Community level innovation around adult preparation programming
  - Use evidence based practices to address teen pregnancy prevention
Additional Teen Pregnancy Prevention Efforts

- Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention Committee – DPI, DCF, DHS
  - Increase statewide coordination
  - Decrease organizational duplication
  - Maximize limited resources
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- Adolescent Sexual Health Coalitions of Milwaukee (ASHCOM)
  - Increase communication and coordination among key Milwaukee community-based providers
    - United Way, Community Advocates, Milwaukee Teen Pregnancy Prevention Network, MPS, MAPPP
  - Synthesize Milwaukee sexual health program and policy developments