

**7 Generations Early Childhood Intervention
FY 23 Quarter 1 and 2 Summary**

Activities	Brief Program Updates
<p>Coordination and collaboration between Lewis and Clark County Criminal Justice Service Department, Lewis and Clark Public Health and Lewis and Clark Detention Center</p>	<p>This is a combination report for Q1 and Q2. The LCPH Home visitor for the 7Generations program was on an extended vacation so there were no services during the month of September.</p> <p>All Circle of Security Classes are now in-person. A Zoom option is not available at this time.</p>
<p>Identifying Target Populations</p>	<p>LCPH receives 7Gen referrals directly from LCDC. The CONNECT referral system was down until mid-September 2022. Referrals were being received by secured email. The CJS Education and Transition Coordinator was trained on the use of CONNECT but left his position in the Fall of 2022.</p>
<p>Establishing and Providing Services</p>	<p>Circle of Security classes have returned to in-person meetings. This promotes a warm atmosphere and is more conducive to the intimacy of the class. Support groups have also returned to an in-person setting.</p> <p>LCPH Nurse Family Partnership Nurse Home Visitor has received two referrals for pregnant women who are incarcerated and coordinates services with 7Gen Home Visitor. The nurse home visitor will be able to continue providing specialized health home visits up until the baby turns two years old.</p>
<p>Comprehensive Data Sets</p>	<p>Created spreadsheets to capture required data sets. See below for Q1 and Q2 Data Sets.</p>
<p>Long Range Plans and Transferability</p>	<p>LCPH staff attend and participate in the Early Childhood Coalition Leadership Team of the Greater Helena Area.</p> <p>LCPH Home Visiting Program Supervisor chairs and is working to restructure the Home Visiting Task Force.</p> <p>LCPH Home Visiting Supervisor is working with LCPH electronic record system, Patagonia, to track children impacted by the 7Generation program over time.</p>
<p>Program Challenges</p>	<p>Long-term research and evaluation is a challenge considering the difficulties in tracking the children and families over a period time.</p> <p>Incarcerated parents are referred to the program but the children under three years of age are to be tracked over time. Logistically, this is a challenge we need to overcome.</p>

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	Vacancy in the Education and Outreach Coordinator position.
Outcomes	LCPH is actively working to develop long range research and evaluation of the 7 Generations Program.

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Total number of clients (incarcerated parents)	26	21	0	23	23	18
Total number of contacts	52	52	0	56	46	44
Total number of children served (directly or indirectly)	75	65	0	72	71	69
Total number of caregivers (not incarcerated offered services)	20	16	0	19	19	19
Total number of caregivers (not incarcerated) not incarcerated that declined services	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total number of visits between incarcerated parent and child	10	9	0	12	11	11
Services provided: (see explanation below)	Treatment Planning: 114 Support Education: 264 Stabilization: 61					
Over all quantity of those served: Incarcerated and caregivers	Incarcerated: 28 Caregivers: 22 Total: 50					
Community Partner Participants	Criminal Justice System: 1 Health Mothers Health Babies: 1 Law Enforcement: 1					

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Explanation of Services Provided:

TREATMENT PLANNING: Determine what referrals meet treatment needs: Counseling / Chemical dependency, outpatient to inpatient options / Family Treatment Court / Medical home / Psychiatric medication / Peer support / AA - NA / Etc.

STABILIZATION: Moving from incarceration to stability: Readiness to engage with family and children / Housing: sober living home , public options / Employment / Outstanding legal issues needing attention / Drivers license, Transportation, / Financial issues.

FAMILY SUPPORT AND EDUCATION: COS / COS classes / Support Group/ Hi set - College - work skills. / Problem Solving Skills / Team building such as CPS - grandparents - professionals to support and guide as wrap around support.