



Florida

# Maternal, Infant & Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Initiative

## 2020 Year in Review

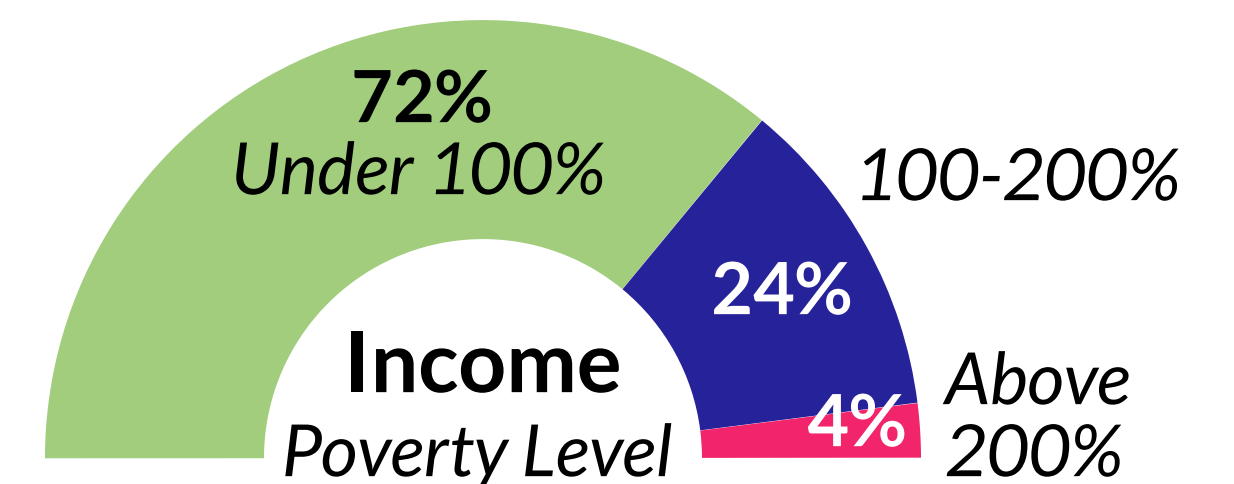
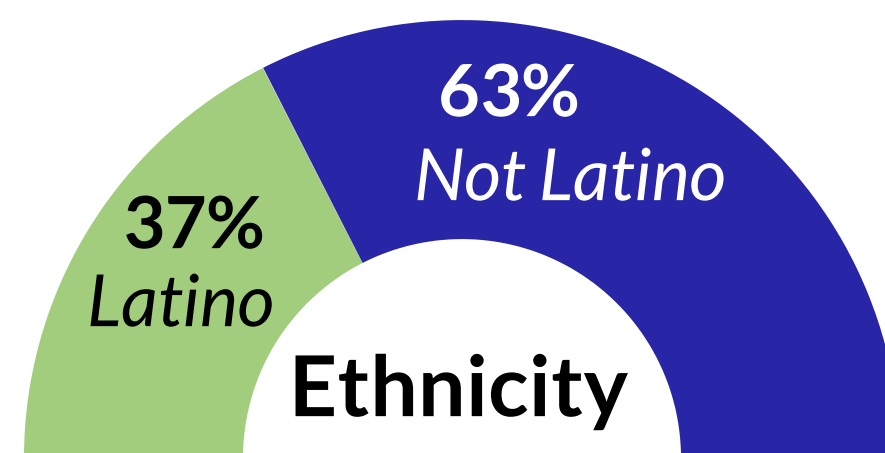
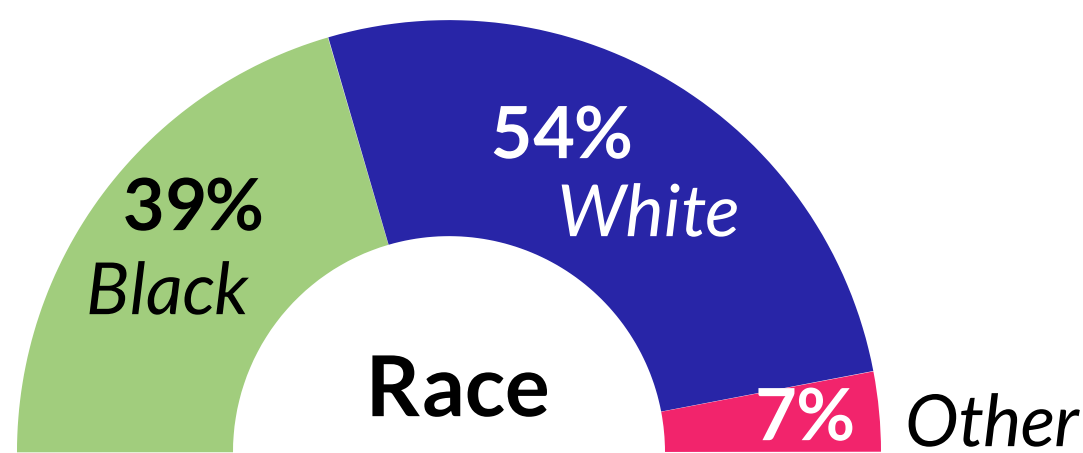
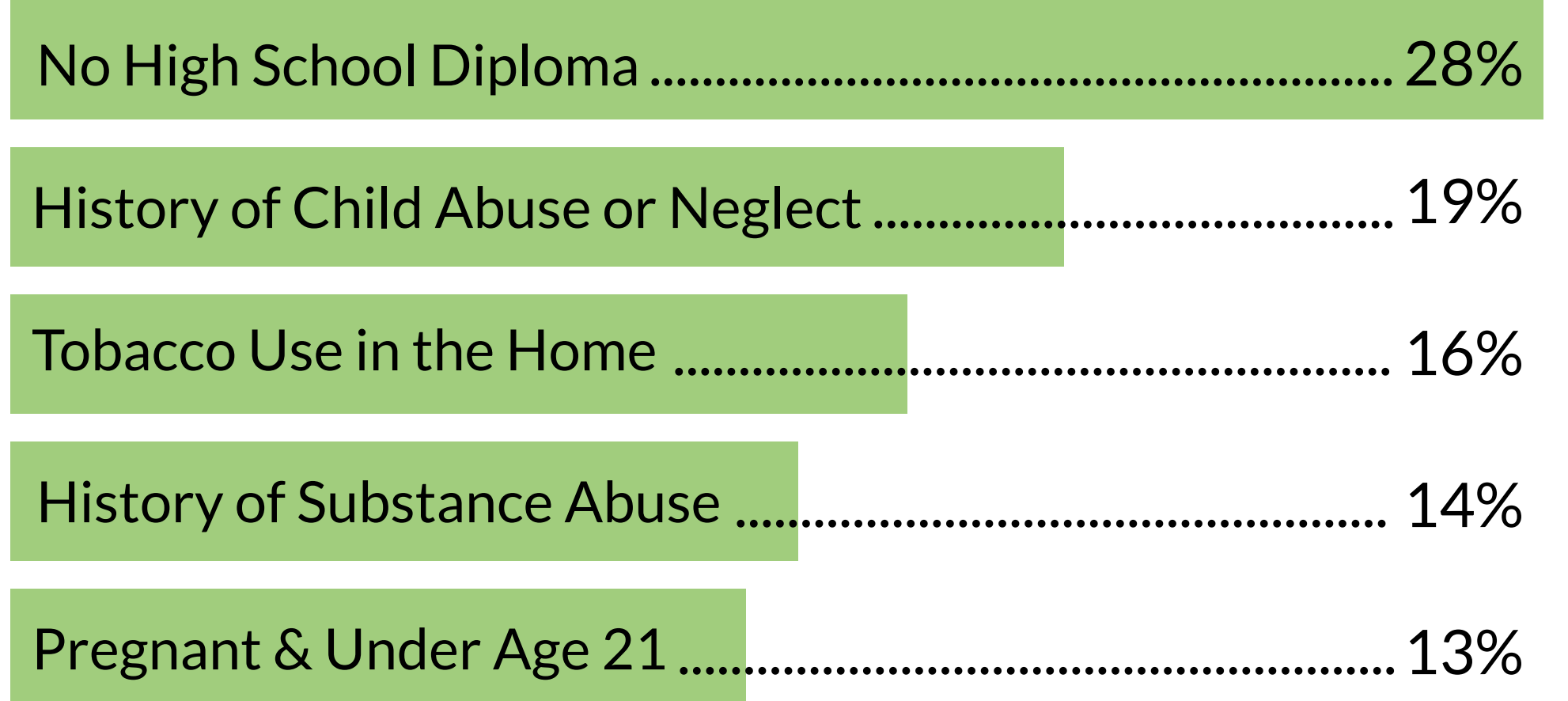
### MIECHV Serves Families from Diverse Backgrounds in High-Need Communities in Florida

Florida MIECHV funds local agencies to implement three evidence-based home visiting programs:

Nurse-Family Partnership, Parents as Teachers, and Healthy Families America.

In 2020, MIECHV programs in high-need communities across 29 counties provided more than 37,000 home visits, serving:

**2,790 families**, including 1,121 pregnant women & **2,445 children**, including 1,648 infants.



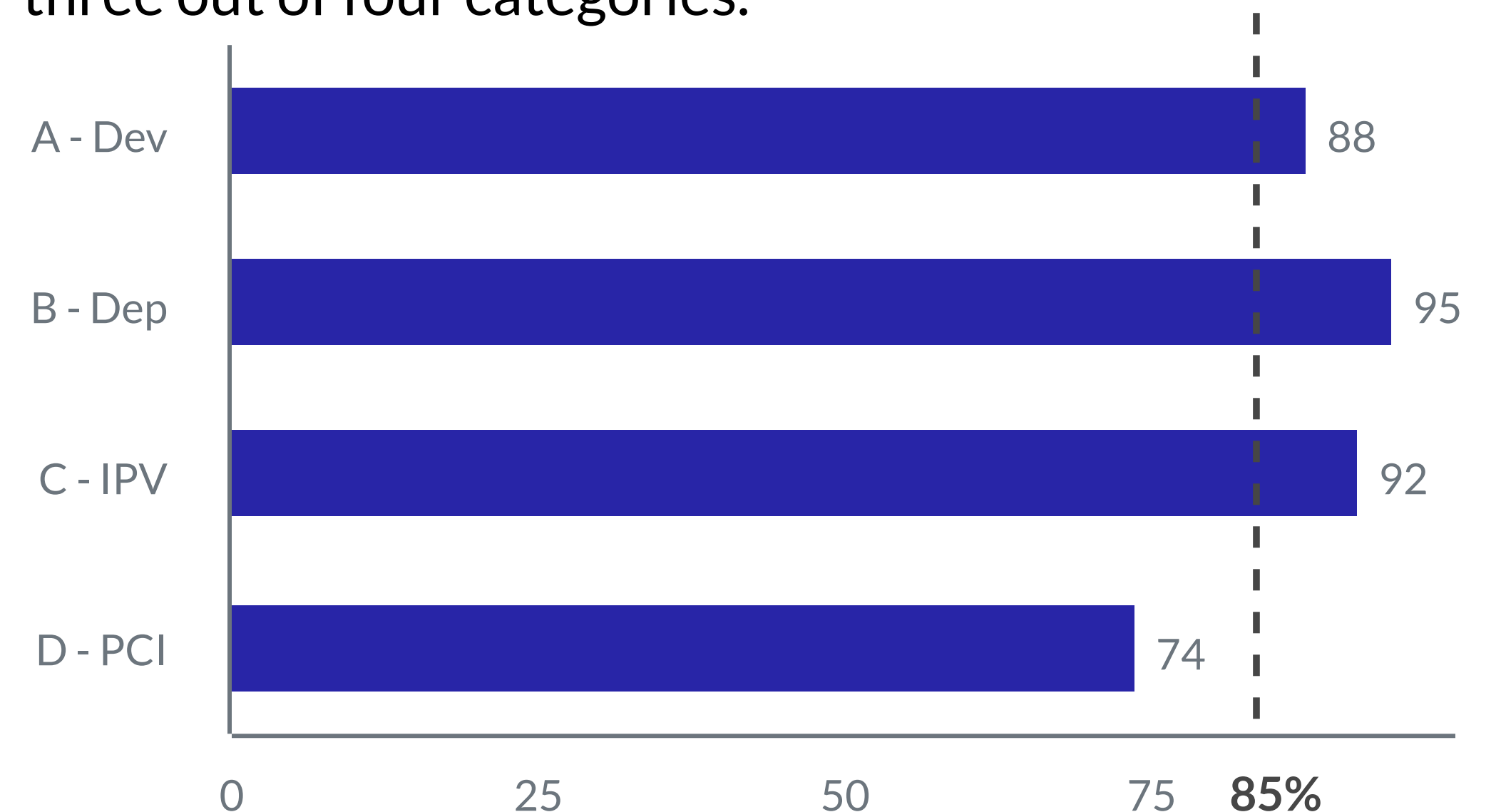
### Key Performance Outcomes

- 96%** of enrolled children had no investigated reports of **abuse** or neglect.
- 90%** of mothers initiated **breastfeeding**, and more than 42% breastfed for six months or longer.
- 78%** of caregivers reported always using **safe sleep** practices with their infants, compared to 70% in 2019.
- 77%** of enrolled children received their last recommended **well child visit** based on the American Academy of Pediatrics.
- 75%** of mothers received a **postpartum health visit** from their provider within 8 weeks of giving birth.

### Screening & Coordination of Services

MIECHV Programs screen children for Developmental issues (A), their caregivers for Depression (B) and Intimate Partner Violence (C), and both for healthy parent-child interactions (D).

In 2020, screening rates surpassed the 85% target in three out of four categories.



- 66%** of children identified with a developmental concern received timely supports and services.
- 92%** of caregivers with a positive depression screen were referred and 46% received mental health services.
- 91%** of caregivers with a positive IPV screen were referred to a certified domestic violence center.