

SAN DIEGO COUNTY Black Infant Health Program



Did you know that compared to San Diego County infants overall, African-American infants are...

- 1.3 times more likely to be born premature.
- Over one-and-a-half times more likely to be born with low birthweight.
- More than one-and-a-half times as likely to die during their first year of life.

TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE TO HELP ENSURE THAT ALL BABIES ARE BORN HEALTHY!

PROGRAM GOALS:

- Reduce African-American infant deaths
- Empower African-American women to build resilience, reduce stress, and increase social support
- Improve the health and well-being of African-American women and infants
- Increase awareness in the community of African-American infant health disparities

OUR SERVICES:

- 10-week prenatal sessions for pregnant women
- 10-week postpartum sessions for new moms
- Healthy meals, transportation assistance, and other supportive resources during sessions
- Individual client plans that address the most important concerns in a woman's life
- Referrals for health and social services

ELIGIBILITY:

- African-American women
- 26 or fewer weeks pregnant
- 18 years of age or older

ALL SERVICES ARE AT NO COST

For more information or to enroll, call:

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Providing Support to Pregnant and Parenting African American Women in San Diego County Since 1992

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