

Technical Assistance to Expand and Sustain In-Home Environmental Asthma Interventions Through Policy and Systems Change

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The RAMP and NCHH teams have been such a valuable asset for our program, providing technical assistance and thought partnership in support of our work to support sustainable asthma home visiting services across our state. They have provided responsive and thoughtful insights and perspectives, contributing both their national and local experience and perspective in support of our existing programs. Beyond this, they have been immensely helpful thought partners as we have explored additional funding opportunities and work towards long term sustainability of asthma home visiting models within the context of our state.
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State Asthma Program TA Recipient

Regional Asthma Management & Prevention (RAMP), a project of the Public Health Institute, and the National Center for Healthy Housing (NCHH) have a long history of partnering to build systems to sustain home-based asthma interventions. In 2021, we jointly received a three-year cooperative agreement from the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency to improve the capacity of states and communities to expand and sustain in-home environmental asthma interventions through policy and systems change.

Our Strategy

95 TA sessions

28 TA partners

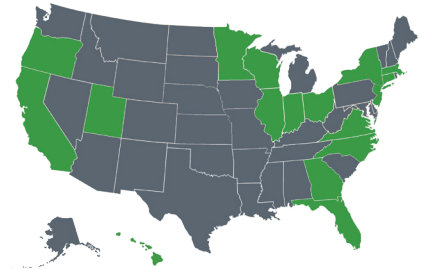
17 states

3 new learning modules

- *Racism, Housing, and Asthma*
- *Building Healthy Indoor Environments with Healthcare*
- *Incorporating Virtual Visits into Home-Based Asthma Services*

2 new TA tools

- *Roadmap to Sustainable Asthma Home Visiting*
- *Unlocking the Power of Home-Based Asthma Services: Model Health Benefit Packages*



Our TA

Examples of our TA include:

- Providing strategic guidance on program and policy development
- Sharing best practices from other programs across the country
- Serving as a thought partner in establishing and achieving goals
- Strategizing to overcome challenges and continue progress
- Facilitating peer-to-peer learning
- Supporting fundraising by identifying opportunities and supporting proposals
- Sharing examples of tools developed by programs across the country
- Helping develop new tools by providing content and providing feedback
- Conducting presentations to build capacity of TA recipients and their partners
- Highlighting TA partners' successes to advance the field

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Our Impact



Selected reflections from TA recipients:

Working with RAMP and NCHH has given us the knowledge, insights, and confidence to continue pursuing our healthy homes work, even when it has been really challenging and we've hit roadblocks. Their expertise has been a tremendous support to achieving our goals and making a difference for our residents!

— Natalie Talis, Alexandria Health Department

We have benefited from the ability to learn from others in the field who are working on similar projects, access to great resources, mentorship, and guidance. Flexibility has allowed us to gain knowledge, and assistance, to meet us where we are in the development of our projects.

— Judi Magaldi, Indiana Department of Health

The TA offering has benefitted us in utilizing existing state models to propel ongoing conversations, and hopefully this type of national TA will continue.

— Jordan Fuhrmeister, Hawai'i State Department of Health

