



# PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP) Evaluation

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## Nationwide Implementation of PREP Programs

### BACKGROUND

The goal of the Personal Responsibility Education Program (PREP) is to help reduce teen pregnancies, sexually transmitted infections, and associated risk behaviors.

PREP is administered by the Family and Youth Services Bureau within the Administration for Children and Families of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

- The majority of PREP funding goes to 49 states and territories through State PREP (SPREP) grants.
- Additional funding was awarded through a competitive process to tribes and tribal entities (TPREP) and to direct service providers in the five states and three territories that did not take SPREP funding (CPREP).\*

In FY 2014, these three PREP grant programs provided \$62 million in funding.

\*The CPREP states and territories are Florida, Indiana, North Dakota, Texas, Virginia, Guam, American Samoa, the Northern Mariana Islands.

### PREP REQUIREMENTS AND OBJECTIVES:

- ▶ Provide evidence-based effective programs or substantially incorporate elements of them.
- ▶ Provide education on both abstinence and contraception.
- ▶ Educate youth on at least three of six adulthood preparation subjects.
- ▶ Target vulnerable populations.

During the 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 reporting periods, over 244,000 youth participated in the PREP program.

Grant program	Number of		
	Grantees	Participating youth, by year	
		2013–2014	2014–2015
SPREP	49*	84,699	98,520
TPREP	16	2,316	2,951
CPREP	36	23,439	32,225
<b>Total</b>		<b>110,454</b>	<b>133,696</b>

\*State PREP data from the 2013-2014 reporting period represents 48 grantees.

Most PREP programs are provided through sub-awards to direct service organizations (providers). Some grantees also act as providers.



**472 providers** across the country operate 543 PREP programs

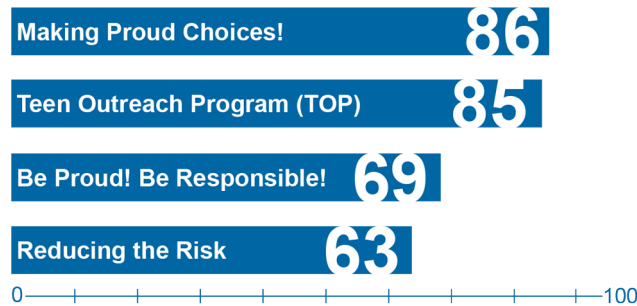


**3,545 facilitators** serve youth in these programs

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program models are most frequently implemented across the country

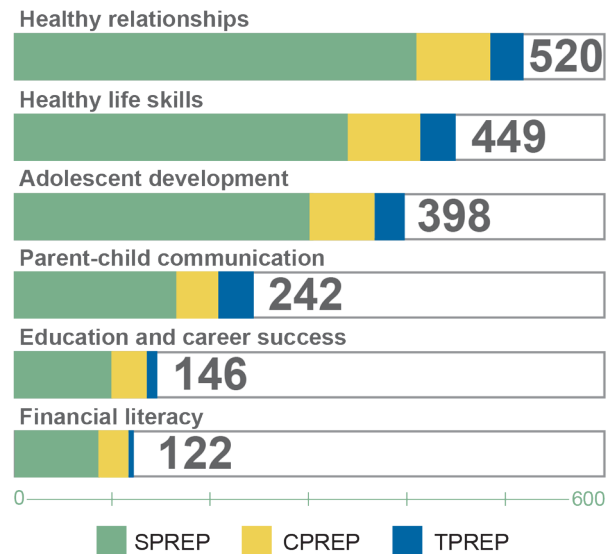
**Number of providers implementing each of the most common program models**



- The most common models implemented in CPREP programs were Teen Outreach Program (TOP) and Be Proud, Be Responsible, implemented by 15 providers each (included in the bar chart).
- The most common model implemented in TPREP programs was It's Your Game: Keep It Real, implemented by 12 providers.

**Each adulthood preparation subject** is being implemented in hundreds of programs nationwide

**Number of programs implementing each of the adulthood preparation subjects**



**For more information on PREP performance measures and emerging findings about the PREP programs, see <http://www.prepeval.com/>.**

**Source:** 2013–2014 and 2014–2015 PREP performance measures data reported by SPREP, TPREP, and CPREP grantees.

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