

Proposed or Current Priority	2011-2015 MCH Priorities	2016-2020 MCH Selected Priority
Domain 1: Maternal and Women’s Health		
Reduce maternal mortality and morbidity	X <i>Specifically:</i> Eliminate disparities in birth outcomes; also a specific state outcome measure for maternal mortality rates	X
Increase use of preconception and interconception (“well-woman”) services among women of reproductive age <i>(as part of priority on use of preventive health care services across the life course)</i>	X <i>Specifically:</i> Eliminate disparities in birth outcomes; Reduce unintended pregnancies in adults and adolescents	X
Increase use of prenatal and postpartum health care services <i>(as part of priority on use of preventive health care services across the life course)</i>	X <i>Specifically:</i> Improve access to early, adequate and high quality prenatal health with focus on health disparities	X
Improve diagnosis and treatment of asthma in MCH population	X	
Domain 2: Perinatal and Infant Health		
Reduce infant mortality and morbidity	X <i>Specifically:</i> Eliminate disparities in birth outcomes especially with regard to low birth weight and infant mortality	X
Increase use of preventive (“well baby”) health care services for infants <i>(as part of priority on use of preventive health care services across the life course)</i>	X <i>Specifically:</i> Improve access to comprehensive, high quality primary and preventive health care for children	X
Domain 3: Child Health		
Support and enhance children’s social-emotional development and relationships for children <i>(as part of shared priority for children and adolescents)</i>		X
Increase use of preventive (“well child”) health care services by children	X <i>Specifically:</i> Improve access to comprehensive, high quality primary and preventive health care for children	X

Improve diagnosis and treatment of asthma in MCH population	X	
Domain 4: Children with Special Health Care Needs		
Increase supports to address the special health care needs of children and youth	X <i>Specifically:</i> Improve access to comprehensive, high quality primary and preventive health care consistent with medical home model for children including CSHCN	X
Domain 5: Adolescent Health		
Support and enhance adolescents' social-emotional development and relationships for children <i>(as part of shared priority for children and adolescents)</i>	X <i>Specifically:</i> Improve adolescent sexual health and development; Reduce tobacco, alcohol and substance use among youth	X
Increase use of preventive ("well teen") health care services by adolescents	X <i>Specifically:</i> Improve access to comprehensive, high quality primary and preventive health care for children; reduce unintended pregnancies among adolescents	X
Domain 6: Cross-Cutting Life Course		
Increase use of preventive health care services across the life course: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preconception/ Interconception ("well woman", including pregnancy planning and prevention) • Prenatal and Postpartum • Infants ("well baby") • Children ("well child") • Adolescents ("well teen", including family planning) 	X <i>see domain-specific language above for women, children and teens</i>	X
Promote oral health and reduce tooth decay across the life course	X <i>Specifically:</i> Improve oral health, particularly for pregnant women, mothers and children and those with low income	X

<p>Promote home and community environments support health, safety, physical activity and healthy food choices</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">X</p> <p><i>Specifically:</i> Reduce overweight and obesity; Eliminate tobacco, alcohol and substance use among children and pregnant women; Eliminate childhood lead poisoning.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">X</p>
<p>Reduce racial, ethnic, economic and geographic disparities and promote health equity for MCH population</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">X</p> <p><i>Specifically:</i> elimination of health disparities was emphasized explicitly across priorities for prenatal care, birth outcomes, overweight and obesity and unintended pregnancy.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">X</p>