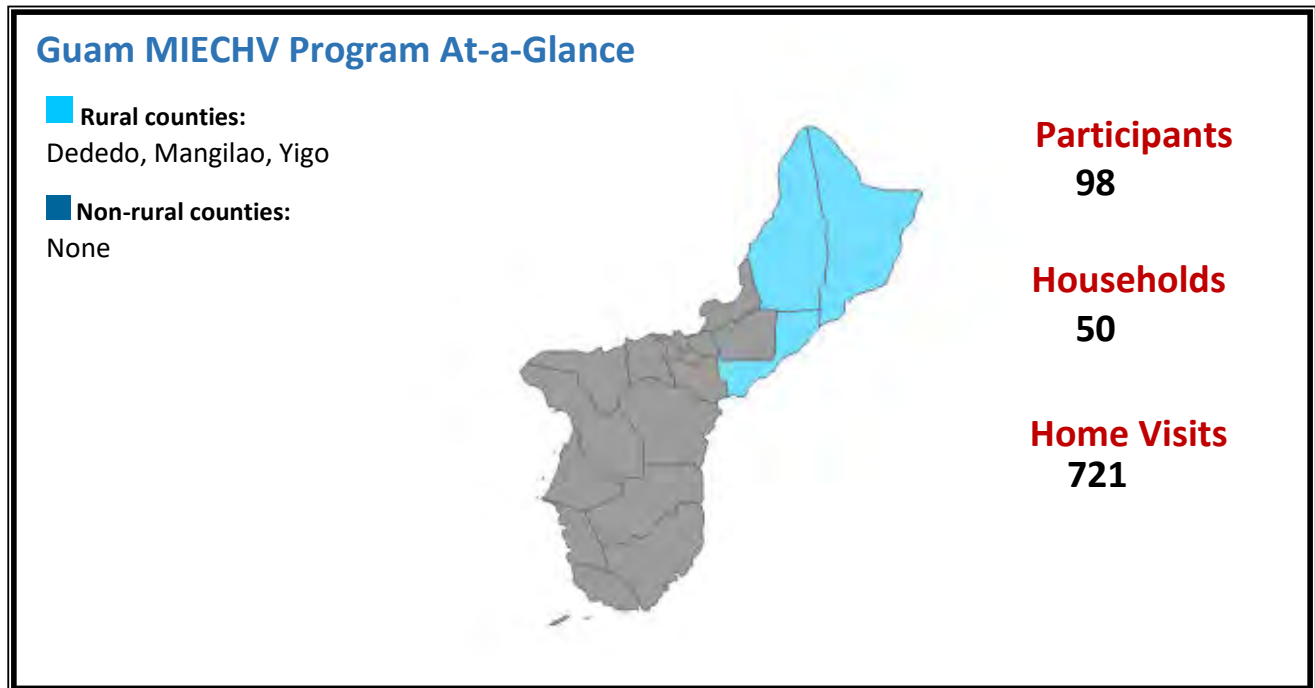


HRSA's Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program

- Supports the [Guam Home Visiting Program](#) and provides voluntary, evidence-based home visiting programs for at-risk pregnant women and families with children through kindergarten entry
- Builds upon decades of scientific research showing that home visits by a nurse, social worker, early childhood educator, or other trained professional during pregnancy and in the first years of a child's life helps prevent child abuse and neglect, supports positive parenting, improves maternal and child health, and promotes child development and school readiness



Guam Serves a High-Risk Population

MIECHV Program awardees serve high-risk populations. Awardees tailor their programs to serve populations of need within their state.

- 84.0% of households were low income
- 34.0% of households included pregnant teens
- 22.2% of households included someone who used tobacco products in the home

Evidence-Based Home Visiting Models in Guam

[Healthy Families America \(HFA\)](#)

Guam Performance Highlights

- **Developmental Screening:** 95.0% of children enrolled in home visiting had a timely screen for developmental delays
- **Safe Sleep:** 91.7% of infants enrolled in home visiting were always placed to sleep on their backs, without bed-sharing or soft bedding