Thank you for making Home Visiting a priority!

State and federal investments in home visiting are up to $16.6 million

But we still reach just a fraction of the babies and families who would most benefit

Eligible families reached 5%
Eligible families not reached 95%

Home visiting saves money\(^1,2\) in both the short-term and the long-term

**Short-term savings:**
- Fewer unnecessary visits to the E.R.
- Fewer unnecessary visits to primary-care clinics
- Healthier babies
- Decreases in child abuse

**Long-term savings:**
- Better school outcomes
- Lower remedial education costs
- Lower criminal justice costs

New Mexico could leverage its investments even more by drawing down a federal match through Medicaid

Home visiting returns at least $5.70 for every $1 invested\(^3\)

And it helps put our babies, our families, and our state on the path to success!

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