



The Office of Population Affairs, Office of Adolescent Pregnancy Programs (OAPPP)
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Promising Approaches
for Supporting Pregnant
and Parenting Adolescents*

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What's Different About These Teens?

- Educational challenges
- Unstable relationships; cohabiting relationships
- Early sexual experiences
- Pre-existing mental health issues
- Family discord

Unintended Pregnancies

- The average annual cost of teen childbearing is approximately \$9.1 billion each year.
(Hoffman 2006)
- 414,870 teen births (under age 20) in 2009
- Repeat Births per state range from 12-28% in 2009
(Child Trends 2011)

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What to do?



Objectives

- Present research, policies and programs that serve pregnant and parenting adolescents
- Learn the current gaps, challenges, and opportunities for action serving pregnant and parenting adolescents
- Discuss the needs and challenges we face in best serving young families



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