

Serving Iowa's Expectant and Parenting Students

Pregnancy Assistance Fund

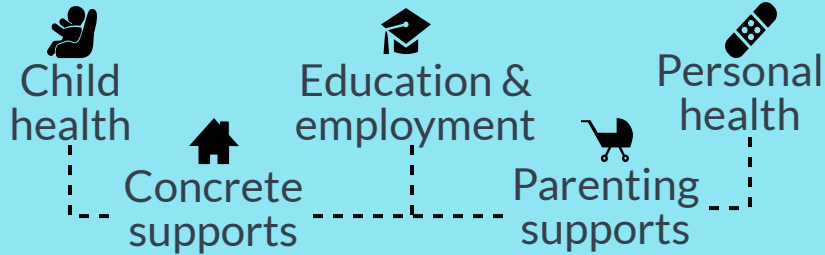
Needs Assessment: Statewide Results

University of Iowa College of Public Health and Public Policy Center, Iowa Department of Public Health

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An Office of Adolescent Health grant awarded to the Iowa Department of Public Health to provide services for expectant and parenting students at community colleges across Iowa

Core Project Areas



Needs Assessment

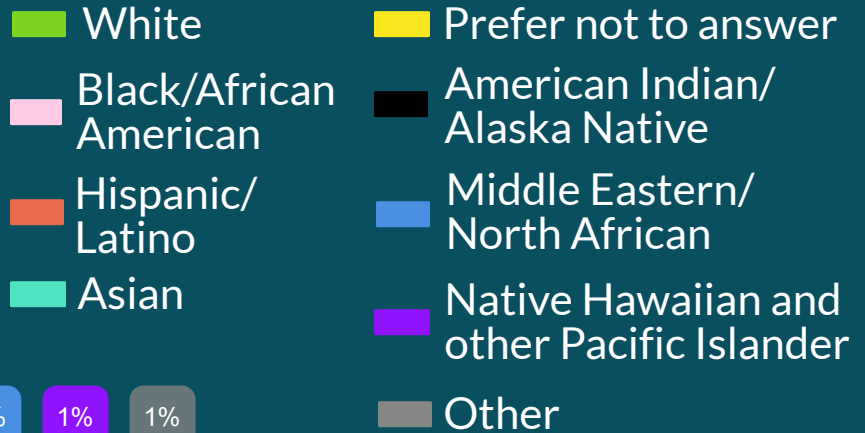
Why: To understand how community colleges can better serve expectant and parenting students

How: The University of Iowa surveyed expectant and parenting students at three community colleges:

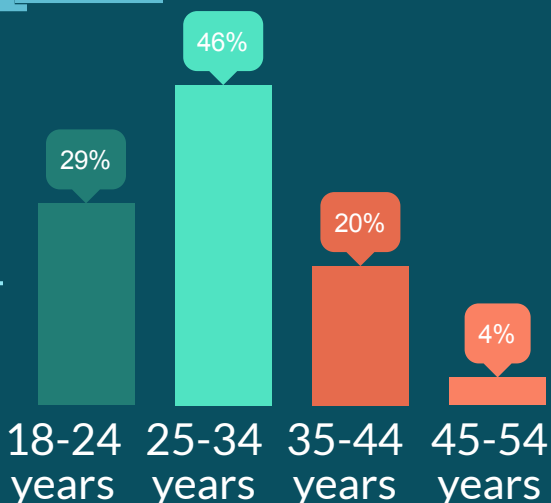
- Des Moines Area Community College (n=227)
- Indian Hills Community College (n=124)
- Kirkwood Community College (n=258)

STUDENT DEMOGRAPHICS (n=608)

Race/Ethnicity



Age



Gender

86% female

Country of Origin

15% born outside the U.S

Child Status

92% have at least one child

18% expecting a child