



maine family planning

The FPA provides training, technical assistance and resources to schools and community organizations committed to comprehensive sexuality education for the youth they serve. Our goal is to build capacity to deliver evidence-based approaches to prevent teen pregnancy, HIV and sexually transmitted infections (STIs).

Our Prevention Coordinators can assist your school or organization to:

- Identify the needs of the youth you serve.
- Review your existing sexuality education program or curriculum.
- Select an evidence-based program that meets the needs of the youth you serve and fits with your school or community environment.
- Purchase selected programs or curricula, along with the materials needed to effectively implement them.
- Provide training and ongoing technical assistance to staff in delivering an evidence-based program or curriculum.
- Ensure the curriculum is carried out successfully, resulting in positive behavior changes among the participants.
- Develop a plan for gaining support for your program in your school or community and for responding to resistance or controversy.
- Link you to resources in your community to address teen pregnancy, HIV and STI prevention.
- Align your program or curriculum to meet Maine's Learning Results and the National Sexuality Education Standards, K-12.

For more information on the services we offer, contact Lynette Johnson, Director of Prevention Programs, at 622-7524 or education@fpam.org.