



**CHILD ABUSE
PREVENTION
COUNCIL**
OF SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY

Home Visitation Initiative (HVI) Need Statement

DESCRIPTION:

Home Visitation Initiative (HVI) is a free weekly home-based program aimed towards prenatal families or families with children 0-3 living in Stockton (95206) or Tracy. This program helps enhance parenting skills, provides free child developmental/health screenings & monthly parent workshops, connects families to community resources, and teaches parents how to interact with their children using age-appropriate developmental activities from the Parents as Teachers Curriculum.

NEEDS:

- Diapers and pull-ups are in high need for families in this program. Some parents have an infant and toddler in the home.
- Baby wipes, formulas, and baby food is greatly appreciated.
- Clothes for infant through preschool aged children are welcome and much needed.
- Pop-up food pantries can be a great benefit for families in this program. Things like canned food, non-perishable food, cereal, and milk can really make a difference in ensuring families are able to eat and sustain food in the home.
- \$25-\$50 dollar gift cards/food vouchers (coupons) to grocery stores and/or stores like Wal-Mart are greatly appreciated.

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The Child Abuse Prevention Council protects children and strengthens families through awareness and outcome driven programs delivered with compassion.