Contents

1.0   Fields that AUCD *removed* from the NIRS Activities dataset forms

1.1   Covid-19 Related

Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: All Core Functions

Center/Program Types: LEND-only, UCEDD-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, PPC

The field was removed from all core functions online forms for listed center/program types.

1.2   *Is this activity addressing the transitional needs to adult health care for youth with special health care needs?

Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: All Core Functions

Center/Program Types: LEND-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, PPC

The Question was removed from all online forms for all core functions for listed center/program types.

1.3   *Is this activity promoting and/or facilitating developmental screening and follow-up in your program?

Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: All Core Functions

Center/Program Types: LEND-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, PPC

The Question was removed from all online forms for all core functions for listed center/program types.

1.4   *Activity Group

Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: Continuing Education/Community Training

Center/Program Types: LEND-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, PPC

The Question was removed from the Continuing Education/Community Training core function online forms for listed center/program types.

2.0   Questions that AUCD *updated* in the NIRS Activities dataset forms

2.1   Ages of individuals served

Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: Demonstration Services, Direct Clinical Services/Model Services, and Other Direct/Model Services.

Center/Program Types: All Types/ LEND-only, UCEDD-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, and PPC

Before 2025	2025+	
OIDD Options	**Ages of individuals served (Supply number for all that apply)**	(Supply number for all that apply)
Infants (age <1 year)	Infants (age <1 year)	_____
-Children 1 to 12 years -Adolescents 12-18 years -Young Adults 18-25 years	Children, Adolescents, and Young Adults (age 1-25)	
-CSHCN Infants <1 year		Children 1 to 12 years	_____

-CSHCN Children and Youth 1 to 25 years			
		Adolescents 12-18 years	_____
		Young Adults 18-25 years	_____
-CSHCN Infants <1 year -CSHCN Children and Youth 1 to 25 years	CYSHCN		
		CSHCN Infants <1 year	_____
		CSHCN Children and Youth 1 to 25 years	_____
Pregnant Women (All Ages)	Pregnant/ postpartum persons (all ages)		_____
Women 25+	Non-pregnant women (age 26+)		_____
Men 25+	Men (age 26+)		_____
	Others		
		Families	_____
		Others	_____
		Unknown	_____

Note: NIRS reports will comply with MCHB and OIDD definitions of the Ages of individuals served.

2.2   List A: update label and list options

Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: Continuing Education/Community Training; Technical Assistance;

   Center/Program Types: LEND-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, PPC

Core Function	FY2018-2024 Label	FY2025+ Label
Continuing Education/Community Training	*Topic Of Continuing Education/ *List A (select one)	*Continuing Education Subject Area(s) (select all that apply)
Technical Assistance	*Topic Of Technical Assistance/Collaboration/ *List A (select one)	* Technical Assistance Subject Area(s) (select all that apply)

FY2018-2024 Values	FY2025+ Values
• Clinical care related (including medical home) • Cultural Competence Related • Data, Research, Evaluation Methods (Knowledge Translation) • Family Involvement • Interdisciplinary Teaming • Healthcare Workforce Leadership • Policy • Prevention • Systems Development/Improvement	• Clinical Care Related (including medical home) • Equity, Diversity, or Cultural Responsiveness Related • Data, Research, Evaluation Methods • Family Involvement • Interdisciplinary Teaming • Health Care Workforce Leadership • Policy • Systems Development/Improvement (including capacity building, planning, and financing) • Emerging Issues_____ • None of the above

2.3   List B: update label and list options

Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: Continuing Education/Community Training; Technical Assistance;

    Center/Program Types: LEND-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, PPC

Core Function	FY2018-2024 Label	FY2025+ Label
Continuing Education/Community Training	*List B (select all that apply)	* Topic Area(s) (select all that apply)
Technical Assistance	*List B (select all that apply)	*Topic Area(s) (select all that apply)

FY2018-2024 Values	FY2025+ Values

• Women's Reproductive/ Perinatal Health
• Early Childhood Health/ Development (birth to school age)
• School Age Children
• Adolescent Health
• CSHCN/Developmental Disabilities
• Autism
• Emergency Preparedness
• Health Information Technology
	• Early Childhood
	  • Newborn Screening
	  • Safe Sleep
	  • Developmental Health (including developmental screening)
	• Adolescent Health
	• Maternal Health
	  • Maternal Mortality
	  • Perinatal/Postpartum Care

• Mental Health
• Nutrition
• Oral Health
• Patient Safety
• Respiratory Disease
• Vulnerable Populations
• Health Disparities
• Health care financing
• Other
	• Breastfeeding
	• Maternal Depression
	• Children, Adolescents, and Young Adults with Special Health Care Needs
	• Developmental Disabilities
	• Mental/Behavioral Health
	   • Autism
	   • Substance Use Disorder(s)
	• Clinical Care
	• Sickle Cell Disease
	• Heritable Disorders (excluding sickle cell)
	• Epilepsy
	• Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
	• Oral Health
	• Medical Home
	• Health Care Transition
	• Immunizations
	• Injury Prevention
	   • Poison/Toxin Exposure
	• Child Maltreatment
	• Emergency Services for Children
	   • Emergency Preparedness
	• Health Equity
	• Social Determinants of Health
	• Telehealth
	• Preventive Services
	• Obesity
	• Health Insurance
	• Nutrition
	• Respiratory Health
	• Life Course Approach
	• None of the above

2.4 Agencies Collaborating on the Work of the Activity.

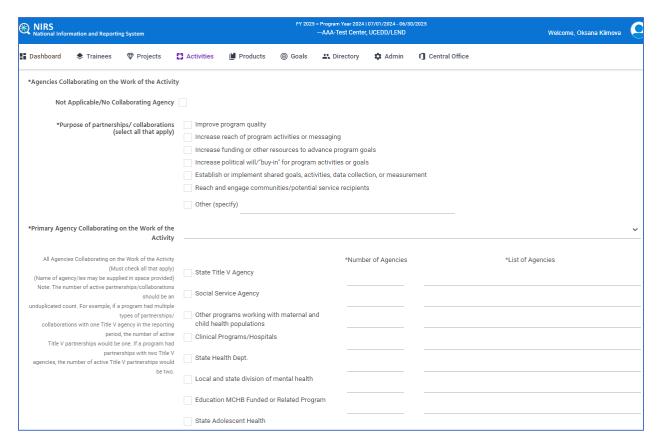**Dataset**:   Activities
Core Function(s) Affected: All core functions
Center/Program Types: All types (LEND-only, UCEDD-only, LEND/UCEDD, DBP, LEAH, PPC)

Below is the screenshot of changes to the field related to the Partnerships and Collaboration form.

New elements:

1) New Question: 'Purpose of partnerships/ collaborations (select all that apply).'
2) A new column, 'Number of Agencies,' is required for UCEDD/LEND (program type includes 'LEND') and LEND-only centers/programs.

3.0   New NIRS Question: Health Equity

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function(s) Affected: All Core Functions

3.1   Question

Question: *Did the activity actively advance health equity? (Yes/ No)

If the answer is NO, the user will not be asked to answer any additional questions.

If the answer is YES, the user will be asked to answer additional questions:

Ai   *How activity advanced Health Equity in your program (select all that apply)

Aiii   * What equity topic(s) did the activity target (select all that apply)

Options for Ai question *How activity advanced Health Equity in your program (select all that apply)	Option Definition
• Creating and supporting collaborations and partnerships (i)	Creating and supporting collaborations and partnerships with other health and non-health sectors that influence the well-being of individuals in order to advance health equity.
• Engaging persons with lived experience (i)	Engaging persons with lived experience in active roles that influence program planning and implementation, with a focus on advancing health equity.
• Social and structural determinants of health (i)	Accounting for and addressing social and structural determinants of health to drive health equity in our program's area of focus.
• Creating and supporting the infrastructure and capacity for equity (i)	Creating and supporting the infrastructure and capacity for equity by improving data collection capacity, promoting cultural responsiveness, and promoting policies and procedures that advance equity.
• Centering equity in data use and performance measurement (i)	Centering equity in data use and performance measurement, including disaggregating data across various demographic indicators and compiling and integrating diverse forms of quantitative and qualitative data.
• Providing services (i)	Providing services to individuals and communities with the greatest need in order to promote equity in a culturally responsive manner, specifically focused on those disproportionately impacted by health outcomes.
• Other (specify): text	

Options for Aiii question * What equity topic(s) did the activity target (select all that apply)
• Race/ethnicity
• Sex/gender/sexual orientation/gender identity
• Income/socioeconomic status
• Disability
• Age
• Language
• Geography – rural/urban
• Other (specify): text

3.2   Required Requirements

The new questions are required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new questions are NOT required for the following center/program type:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

3.3   New NIRS Report(s) associated with the new questions.

Two new Standard reports:

1. Activities > Standard reports > All > Health Equity: question Ai (2025+)
2. Activities > Standard reports > All > Health Equity: question Aiii (2025+)

4.0   New NIRS Question: Direct Services

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: Direct Clinical Services/Model Services

4.1   Questions

1) Question (Ai): *Types of direct services provided (select all that apply)

Options
*Types of direct services provided (select all that apply)
• Clinical assessments
• Screening
• Preventive care visits
• Primary care visits
• Specialty care visits
• Emergency department visits
• Inpatient services

• Outpatient and/or inpatient mental and behavioral health services
• Oral health care
• Vision care
• Prescription drugs
• Occupational and/or physical therapy
• Speech therapy
• Purchase of durable medical equipment and medical supplies (for use at a person's home)
• Purchase of medical foods
• Other (specify):

The new Question Ai is required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new Question Ai is NOT required for the following center/program type:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

2) **Question (Aii)**: Insurance

Options Insurance (supply number for all that apply)
• Public
• Private
• Uninsured
• Unknown/Unrecorded

The new Question Aii is not required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. UCEDD-only
3. LEND/UCEDD
4. DBP
5. LEAH
6. PPC

4.3   New NIRS Report(s) associated with the new questions.

Two new Standard reports:

1. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Types of direct services provided (question Ai)
2. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Age for Direct and Enabling (Other Direct) Services (2025+)

5.0   New NIRS Question: Enabling Services

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: Other Direct/Model Services

5.1   Questions

1) Question (Bi): *Types of enabling services provided (select all that apply)

Options * Types of enabling services provided (select all that apply)
• Care coordination
• Care management
• Consultation
• Eligibility assistance
• Environmental health risk reduction
• Health education
• Health literacy and outreach
• Purchase of equipment and medical supplies (for use in a care setting)
• Referrals
• Transition services
• Translation/interpretation
• Transportation
• Other (specify)

The new Question Bi is required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new Question Bi is not required for the following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

2) **Question (Bii)**: Insurance

Options
Insurance (supply number for all that apply)
• Public
• Private
• Uninsured
• Unknown/Unrecorded

The new Question Bii is not required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. UCEDD-only
3. LEND/UCEDD
4. DBP
5. LEAH
6. PPC

5.3   New NIRS Report(s) associated with the new questions.

Two new Standard reports:

1. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Type of Enabling (Other Direct) Services provided (2025+) (question Bi)
2. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Age for Direct and Enabling (Other Direct) Services (2025+)

6.0   New NIRS Questions: Training and Workforce Development

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: Continuing Education/Community Training

6.1   Questions

Question A: * Did the activity provide training and workforce development through a Degree, Certification, or Formal Course? (Yes/ No)

Question B: * Did the activity provide training and workforce development through Continuing Education? (Yes/ No)

The new questions A and B are required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new questions are not included for the following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

6.3   How questions A and B function

Question A: *Did the activity provide training and workforce development through a Degree, Certification, or Formal Course? (Yes/ No)

If the option YES is selected	If the option NO is selected
The online form will expand and display three required questions (Ai, Aii, and Aiv)	The form will not expand.
Ai: *Trainee Type reached (select all that apply): • Undergraduate • Graduate • Post-graduate • Non-degree seeking • Other (specify)_____ Aii: *Training Focus (select all that apply): • Clinical care • Care support (including allied health) • Research • Public health, non-research (for example, policy, planning, leadership, etc.) • Other (specify)_____	

Aiv: *Provide the number of participants in the activity for Degree, Certification, or Formal Course (read definition) (type-in text field)	

Question B: *Did the activity provide training and workforce development through Continuing Education? (Yes/ No)

If the option YES is selected	If the option NO is selected
The online form will expand and display three required questions (Bi and Biv)	The form will not expand.
Bi: *Continuing Education Participant Type reached (select all that apply): • Clinical care provider (for example, MD, DO, NP, PA, etc.) • Care support provider (including allied health) • Researcher • Public health professional, non-researcher • Community-based participant (for example, community outreach worker, family advocate, etc.) • Other (specify) Biv: *Provide the number of participants in the activity for Continuing Education (read definition)	

6.4   Other updates for Continuing Education/Community Training core function online form.

See list of modifications for List A and List B:

2.2 List A in Continuing Education/Community Training and Technical Assistance core functions: update list options – page 4

2.3 List B in Continuing Education/Community Training and Technical Assistance core functions: update list options – page 5

6.5   New NIRS Report(s) associated with the new questions.

1. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Training and Workforce Development through a Degree, Certification, or Formal course: Trainee Types, Focus, and Total # (2025+)

2. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Training and Workforce Development through a Continuing Education: Trainee Types, Focus, and Total # (2025+)

7.0   Partnerships and Collaboration

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: All core functions

7.1   Questions

Question (Ai): *Purpose of partnerships/ collaborations (select all that apply)

Options   *Purpose of partnerships/ collaborations (select all that apply)
• Improve program quality
• Increase reach of program activities or messaging
• Increase funding or other resources to advance program goals
• Increase political will/"buy-in" for program activities or goals
• Establish or implement shared goals, activities, data collection, or measurement
• Reach and engage communities/potential service recipients
• Other (specify)

The new Question Ai is required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. UCEDD-only
3. LEND/UCEDD
4. DBP
5. LEAH
6. PPC

7.4   How question Ai function

Question (Ai): *Purpose of partnerships/ collaborations (select all that apply) is active only if the question "Not Applicable/No Collaborating Agency" is unchecked.

"Not Applicable/No Collaborating Agency" is checked:

"Not Applicable/No Collaborating Agency" is unchecked:

7.5   Other updates for Agencies Collaborating on the Work of the Activity area.

Data in the column 'List of Agencies' is required only for:

1. LEND-only
2. UCEDD-only
3. LEND/UCEDD
4. DBP
5. LEAH
6. PPC

The data is not required for the fields 'Number of Agencies' and 'List of Agencies' following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

7.6   New NIRS Report(s) associated with the new questions.

Standard reports:

1. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Partnerships and Collaboration: Purpose (2025+) (questions Ai)
2. Activities > Standard reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Numbers of partnerships and collaborations (2025+)

Report details:

MCHB Partner/Collaborator Categories	Mapping values
• Title V • Social service agency • Medicaid agency • Other state/local agencies • Health care providers/ clinical providers • Community/family groups • Educational institutions • Health insurance (non-public) • Tribal entities • Federal partners • Others	AUCD proposes mapping MCHB options to the existing list. See mapping instructions below.

MCHB Partner/Collaborator Categories	NIRS Mapped Categories
• Title V	• State Title V Agency
• Social service agency	• Social Service Agency • State/Local Social Services • Provider Organization
• Other state/local agencies	• State Health Department

	• State Adolescent Health • Medical Agency • Local and state division of mental health • Developmental disability agencies • State Health Dept. • State Adolescent Health • Protection & Advocacy Agency (P&A) • State/Local DD Agency or Provider • Health Agency - Public/Private • Mental Health/Substance Abuse Agency • Housing Agency/Provider • Recreation Agency • Transportation Agency • State/Local Coalition
• Health care providers/ clinical providers	• Early Intervention • Home Visiting • Clinical Program/Hospital • Clinical Programs/Hospitals • Other Health-Related Program
• Community/family groups	• Family and/or Consumer Group • Consumer/Advocacy Organization • Community or Faith-Based Organization
• Educational institutions	• Education • Childcare/Early Childhood/Part C Infants and Toddlers • Head Start/Early Head Start • State/Local Special Education (3-21) • State/Local General Education • Post Secondary Education (Community College-University)
• Health insurance (non- public)	• Health Insurance/Managed Care Organization
• Tribal entities	• Tribal entities
• Federal partners	• Federal partners
• Others	• Juvenile Justice • Professional Organizations/Associations • Foundations • Other programs working with maternal and child health populations • Developmental Disabilities Council • Employment/Voc Rehab

	• Legislative Body
	• Justice/Legal Organization
	• National Association
	• Independent research or policy organization
	• Foundation
	• Other

8.0   New NIRS Questions: Engagement of Persons with Lived Experience

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: All core functions

8.1   Question

Question: *Did the activity support engagement with Family Members AND/OR Persons with Lived Experience?

Note: AUCD is dropping all Optional fields listed in the MCHB documentation to ensure that online forms will not get too lengthy.

The new Question is required for all center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. UCEDD-only
3. LEND/UCEDD
4. DBP
5. LEAH
6. PPC

Below is the screenshot of the Question's layout in NIRS.

The "read definition" links open a pop-up window with definitions for Family Engagement and Persons with Lived Experience/ Other Persons with Lived Experience.

8.3   New NIRS Report associated with the new Question.

Activities > Standard reports > All > Engagement of Persons with Lived Experience (2025+)

9.0   New NIRS Questions: Technical Assistance

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: Technical Assistance core function
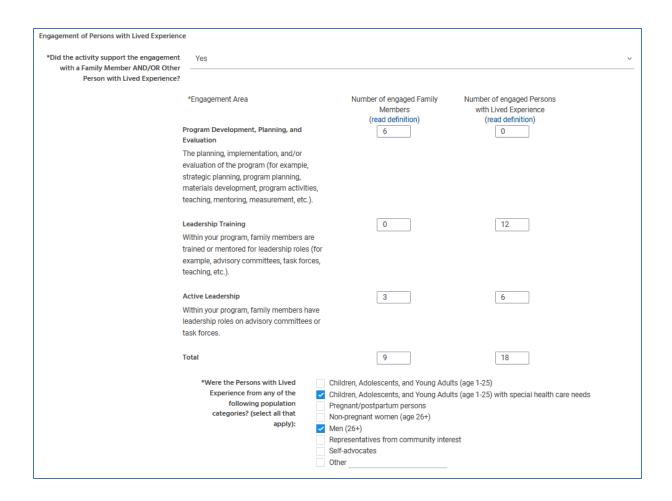
9.1   Question

Question A iii, 3: TA Method of Activity (listed by order of relative intensity of method, from most intensive to least intensive)

Options
*Method Of Technical Assistance
• One-on-one consultation, training, or site visits
• Group consultation or training (for example, workshops, continuing education courses, etc.)
• Peer-to-peer networks or collaborative networks
• Presentations (for example, webinars, invited speaking engagements, etc.)

The new Question Ai is required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new Question Ai is not included for the following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

9.3   Other updates for Technical Assistance core function online form.

See list of modifications for List A and List B:

2.2   List A in Continuing Education/Community Training and Technical Assistance core functions: update list options – Page 5

2.3   List B in Continuing Education/Community Training and Technical Assistance core functions: update list options – Page 6

See the modifications for the list of collaborating agencies:

2.4.1   Agencies Collaborating on the Work of the Activity – Page 7

9.4   New NIRS Report(s) associated with the new questions.

1. Activities > Standard Reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Number of TA activities by Target audience (2025+)
2. Activities > Standard Reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > TA Methods (2025+)

10.0   New NIRS Questions: Outreach and Education

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: Product Development and Information Dissemination

10.1   Questions

Question Ai: *Mechanism of Outreach/Education (select all that apply)

Options * Mechanism of Outreach/Education (select all that apply)
Webinar
Educational material
Community/public event
Conference presentation
Other (specify) _____

The new Question Ai is required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new Question Ai is not included for the following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

Question Aii: *Subject area(s) of outreach/education (select all that apply)

Options Subject area(s) of outreach/education (select all that apply)
Clinical Care Related (including medical home)
Equity, Diversity, or Cultural Responsiveness Related
Data, Research, Evaluation Methods

• Family Involvement
Interdisciplinary Teaming
• Health Care Workforce Leadership
• Policy
• Systems Development/Improvement (including capacity building, planning, and financing)
• Emerging Issues_____
• None of the above

The new Question Aii is required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new Question Aii is not included for the following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

Question Aiii: *Topics of outreach/education (select all that apply)

Options
*Topics of outreach/education (select all that apply)

• Early Childhood
    • Newborn Screening
    • Safe Sleep
    • Developmental Health (including developmental screening)
• Adolescent Health
• Maternal Health
    • Maternal Mortality
    • Perinatal/Postpartum Care
    • Breastfeeding
    • Maternal Depression
• Children, Adolescents, and Young Adults with Special Health Care Needs
• Developmental Disabilities
• Mental/Behavioral Health
    • Autism
    • Substance Use Disorder(s)
• Clinical Care
• Sickle Cell Disease
• Heritable Disorders (excluding sickle cell)
• Epilepsy

- Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
- Oral Health
- Medical Home
- Health Care Transition
- Immunizations
- Injury Prevention
    - Poison/Toxin Exposure
- Child Maltreatment
- Emergency Services for Children
    - Emergency Preparedness
- Health Equity
- Social Determinants of Health
- Telehealth
- Preventive Services
- Obesity
- Health Insurance
- Nutrition
- Respiratory Health
- Life Course Approach
- None of the above

The new Question Aiii is required for the following center/program types:

6. LEND-only
7. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
8. DBP
9. LEAH
10. PPC

The new Question Aiii is not included for the following center/program types:

3. UCEDD-only
4. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

10.4   New NIRS Report(s) associated with the new questions.

Activities > Standard Reports > LEND, LEAH, PPC, DBP > Mechanism of outreach/education (2025+)

11.0 New NIRS Question: Research

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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Dataset: Activities

Core Function Affected: Performing Research or Evaluation

11.1   Questions

Question Ai: Type(s) of research conducted or supported (select all that apply)

Options
Type(s) of research conducted or supported (select all that apply)
• Intervention research
• Other primary research (for example, research that involves collection of own data, including experimental, quasi-experimental, observational studies, etc.)
• Secondary data analysis

The new Question Ai is NOT required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new Question Ai is not included for the following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

Question Aii: *Topic(s) of research conducted or supported (select all that apply)

Options
*Topic(s) of research conducted or supported (select all that apply)

• Early Childhood
    • Newborn Screening
    • Safe Sleep
    • Developmental Health (including developmental screening)
• Adolescent Health
• Maternal Health
    • Maternal Mortality
    • Perinatal/Postpartum Care
    • Breastfeeding
    • Maternal Depression

- Children, Adolescents, and Young Adults with Special Health Care Needs
- Developmental Disabilities
- Mental/Behavioral Health
    - Autism
    - Substance Use Disorder(s)
- Clinical Care
- Sickle Cell Disease
- Heritable Disorders (excluding sickle cell)
- Epilepsy
- Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
- Oral Health
- Medical Home
- Health Care Transition
- Immunizations
- Injury Prevention
    - Poison/Toxin Exposure
- Child Maltreatment
- Emergency Services for Children
    - Emergency Preparedness
- Health Equity
- Social Determinants of Health
- Telehealth
- Preventive Services
- Obesity
- Health Insurance
- Nutrition
- Respiratory Health
- Life Course Approach
- None of the above

The new Question Aii is NOT required for the following center/program types:

1. LEND-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type include 'LEND'
3. DBP
4. LEAH
5. PPC

The new Question Aii is not included for the following center/program types:

1. UCEDD-only
2. LEND/UCEDD + Program Type = 'UCEDD'

12.0   Guidelines and Policy

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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13.0   Data and Information Systems

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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14.0 Quality Improvement and Evaluation

Source:

https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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15.0   Knowledge Change

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https://mchb.hrsa.gov/sites/default/files/mchb/data-research/grant-information-system-2023.pdf

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16.0   Behavior Change

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