



COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO HEALTH AGENCY
PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT
PROVIDER HEALTH ADVISORY

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Clarification: Nurse Home Visiting Service Expected to Be Reduced, Not Ended

As a follow up to our [May 21, 2025 provider notice](#), we are clarifying that our countywide Nurse Home Visiting Programs, part of the Maternal Child Health (MCH) Division, is preparing for a reduction in services — not a full closure. The Public Health Department is preparing for service cuts and reductions, beginning at the start of the upcoming fiscal year (**July 1, 2025**). While these expected cuts are not final, they represent the possibilities that we must reasonably prepare for, pending approval of the 2025-26 County operating budget by the Board of Supervisors at their June 9-11 budget hearings.

A partial reduction may result in longer wait times for patient services. The Nurse Home Visiting Programs promote healthy pregnancies, nurturing parenting skills, positive child health and development, and family self-sufficiency. Services are voluntary and provided in the comfort of the client's home or a location of their choosing. For more information about home visiting programs or to learn how to refer someone, please visit slocounty.gov/NurseVisiting or call (805) 788-2068 (se habla español).

Thank you for standing by us as we navigate these difficult changes amid our ongoing work to promote and protect the health of our community.

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