

Healthy North Carolina 2020
EVIDENCE BASED STRATEGIES

FOCUS AREA	Infectious Disease & Foodborne Illness
OBJECTIVE	1. Increase percentage of children aged 19-35 months who receive recommended vaccines

EBS PROGRAM DESCRIPTION	Education site visits to assess the coverage rates of providers and determine strategies for improvement (AFIX)
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EBS LEVEL <i>CDC Ranking</i>	B = Best/Proven
REFERENCE/CITATION <i>Data Supporting Level/Ranking</i>	Source: CDC/NCIRD http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/afix/index.html Last updated November 2012

PROGRAM ATTRIBUTES	
Influence Level	Community
Target Population	Children ages 19-35 months in need of recommended or required vaccinations.
Intervention Setting	Provider Office
Key Measures	Number of providers receiving AFIX visits Increase in coverage rate of children ages 19-35 months seen by provider upon completion of AFIX visit.
Cost	Free to implement. All reports are available to provider on NCIR.
Time to Implement	<u>Organization</u> : Approximately 2 hours per AFIX visit. <u>Patient/Client</u> : Appointment with provider to receive necessary immunizations.
Difficulty to Implement <i>Resource Intensity</i>	Low difficulty. Visits are scheduled and are educational and concise. Additional efforts by provider will not overburden staff or generate additional cost.
ROI if known	

PROGRAM CONTACT INFORMATION	
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CURRENT NC-DPH SUPPORT	
T.A. – Yes/No Specific group? Other limitations?	Yes
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Funding – Yes/No Specific group? Other limitations?	Yes
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EBS PROGRAM IMPLEMENTED BY / NC EXAMPLES	
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#3 – Organization Name / Contact Information	

OTHER COMMENTS / NOTES
Provided by Immunization branch to all providers participating in the North Carolina Immunization Program