The Latest News for Home Visit Champions

The new year has been full of home visit activity. From introductory trainings in new communities, to convening HUB meetings across the US, to training student teachers to commissioning evaluations of our effectiveness, the first year of our national network's strategic plan is well underway.

"That can feel revolutionary because it's so different from the typical relationship teachers often have with parents. Parents are used to getting a phone call only when their kids behave badly in class, and they don't usually see the teacher outside school."  “The Power of Home Visits to Connect Teachers With Kids and Their Families” The California Report (Radio and Print)

Regional HUBs

Planning meetings have already been held for HUBs in Massachusetts, California, Minnesota, Nevada, and Colorado.

Here is a pic of some of the Colorado HUB leaders, building infrastructure for home visits at the Colorado Department of Education!

Recent Trainings

Nick, Sarah, Miesha, Yesenia, Carrie, Lysette and other trainers have been to Austin, TX; Windsor, CT; Phoenix, AZ; Rome, NY; Oakland and Rancho Cordova, CA; and more!

If you are in need of training info (is it time to schedule a basic or a refresher in your community?), please contact Yesenia Gonzalez, yesenia@pthvp.org or (916) 448-5290.

Info graphic

Most importantly, we are doing home visits across the US! This little infographic shows our latest numbers, and how much we've grown.

Basketball Tickets

If you want to go to a Sacramento KINGS game (this is pro basketball, folks) the night to do it is February 19th, Educator Appreciation Night! If you register here, and enter promotion code "Educator," your tickets will be 50% off, plus 20% of the game's proceeds will go to the...
Yesenia Gonzalez and Lysette Lemay of PTHVP national office; Darcy Hutchins, Family Leadership Director of CDE; Gabriela Aguayo and Janice Phelps, teacher and principal using home visits in Mapleton, CO; Patsy Roybal, PTHVP Colorado HUB director; and Yoni Geffen, Home Visit Leader of Denver Public Schools.

Student Teachers

Sacramento Coordinator Lysette Lemay looooves the student teacher trainings, such as in Phoenix, AZ two weeks ago, because of their enthusiasm!

Here’s a pic of Magda, Sacramento State Noyce Scholar, who said she is so excited to visit her future students.

Join Us! Membership is powerful.

Educators, parents, community advocates, elected officials, academics and others support the PTHVP model of high-impact family engagement with a personal donation.

Be counted! In addition to providing much needed funds, our membership numbers help PTHVP leverage our grassroots support with regional and national foundations.

SEC Collaboration groups, including PTHVP.

PTHVP In the News

- Family Engagement that Works: Parent-Teacher Home Visits, Edutopia
- DCPS Bridges the Gap Between Communities and Classrooms, TNTP

About Us

At Parent/Teacher Home Visit Project, we train school teachers and staff to form a relationship with their students' families, starting with a home visit. These visits help build trust, mutual accountability, cross-cultural understanding, more relevant instruction, leadership opportunities and improved academic, social and emotional development for all children. Our model has been successfully adapted in 17 states by grassroots collaborations between parents, schools, teachers and community organizations.

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Thanks for reading our news! As always, please don't hesitate to contact me with your questions, concerns, kudos, photos and stories about home visits.

With warm regards,
Carrie Rose
Executive Director

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