



## Newsblast for Home Visit Heroes

### W.K. Kellogg Foundation awards two-year support of PTHV National Evaluation

W.K. Kellogg Foundation (WKKF) has awarded crucial support to the PTHV National multi-site evaluation, specifically looking at PTHV as an equity strategy. The grant provides \$150,000 over two years. Guided by the belief that all children should have an equal opportunity to thrive, WKKF puts special emphasis on places where there are high concentrations of poverty and where children face significant barriers to success. WKKF joins Flamboyant Foundation, Stuart Foundation and participating districts in making this unprecedented evaluation possible.



For more information, please contact Teresa Cummings, [teresa@pthvp.org](mailto:teresa@pthvp.org)  
Read more: [New Study Examines How Home Visits Can Improve Teacher Effectiveness and Student Outcomes](#)

### Save the Date

#### **2017 National Gathering, Oct 26-28, Sacramento, CA**

**"Growing Leaders: Families, Educators, Students" will be at the beautiful Sheraton Grand in Sacramento, the nation's "Farm to Fork Capitol."  
Special event: 20th Anniversary Gala honoring Carrie Rose**

**Request for Presentations:** suggest a breakout session or workshop

**Sponsorship Request PTHV Conference and Gala**

Watch [Highlights video of 2016 conference](#)

Registration begins September 1.

### Toolbox

April 2017

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Toolbox: brochure in 7 languages

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### Tools

Have you seen the Videos section of the [pthvp.org](http://pthvp.org) [Toolbox](#)? In addition to some good overall introductory videos, you'll also find individual testimonies from families, teachers, administrators and a researcher! Check it out.

Did you know our training manual is available in Spanish translation? If you would like a copy, please contact [Yesenia@pthvp.org](mailto:Yesenia@pthvp.org)

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### Calendar/Trainings

#### April

Hartford, CT - Intro (ECE)  
Sacramento, CA - Intro

## New Brochure: Intro to high-impact Parent Teacher Home Visits in 7 languages

Salt Lake City, UT - Intro National Board of Directors Meeting - Washington, DC

For more information, please contact Yesenia Gonzalez, Training Coordinator, [yesenia@pthvp.org](mailto:yesenia@pthvp.org)



Our brochure is available in two formats: a print-ready trifold, and a digital full page, in the [Training and Outreach](#) section of the [pthvp.org](http://pthvp.org) Toolbox. In addition to English, you'll find translation in Arabic, Chinese (Simplified), Hmong, Spanish and Vietnamese. The languages were chosen based upon a need survey we did among our Hubs and Projects. If you need a brochure in another language, please contact us.

## In the News

**Framingham Schools Launch Home Visits Pilot** by Mike Carraggie, National Staff, Framingham Patch

**[Sacramento City Unified teachers march outside trustee meeting](#)** by Loretta Kalb, Sacramento Bee

**[Adams 14 teachers visiting students at home to improve parent involvement](#)** (video) by Adam Hammond, News7, Denver, CO

**Parent Teacher Home Visits** in St. Paul, MN (video)

**Manchester Public Schools Receive \$720,000 Grant from Hartford Foundation to Enhance School, Parent, Community Partnership Efforts**, Hartford Courant

## [Support Home Visits](#)

PTHV is a nonprofit grassroots network that must fundraise its operating budget every year. Like the local home visit projects we help, our network is sustained by collaboration at the grass roots. We are a small organization with a big impact!

Your gift of any amount goes a long way towards helping PTHV say YES to communities that ask us for help in starting and sustaining home visits.

[Give securely online](#)

About PTHV

Thanks for reading our newsblast. And thank you for your support of Parent Teacher Home Visits! As always, don't hesitate to contact me with your questions, concerns, success stories, challenges, kudos and suggestions.

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Parent Teacher Home Visits are a fast, inexpensive and replicable strategy for engaging families, educators and students as a team. Our nonprofit network trains public schoolteachers and staff to make a meaningful relationship with the families of their students, starting with a home visit. In addition to proven increases in attendance and academic scores, these visits build trust, cross-cultural understanding, mutual accountability, more relevant instruction and leadership opportunities for the most important adults in a child's life - the family and the teachers.

[Learn more](#)