



Annual Report 2007

Pregnancy Support Programs:

- ◆ 84 Prenatal Yoga classes
- ◆ 54 Childbirth Education classes
- ◆ 78 Mothers with Doulas
- ◆ 84 Itsy Bitsy Baby Yoga classes

33 married, husband present
1 married, husband not present (military)
39 single, accompanied by Father, friend or family.
5 single, unaccompanied

Collaborations

DFMA and the Springfield/Greene County Health Department are in year two of a collaboration to bring our educational and doula program into the WIC (Women, Infants & Children) agency;

DFMA is a member of Partners for a Better Tomorrow: a community organization created to support local agencies to provide continuous care to at-risk families.

DFMA is a part of the Springfield Public Schools Parents as Teachers program reaching teens in the high schools;

DFMA is partnering with the Pregnancy Care Center, Lutheran Family & Children Services, and Catholic Charities to meet the needs of pregnant women and their families.

DFMA has found a shared facility with Parenting Life Skills Center that is located in downtown Springfield Grace United Methodist Church.

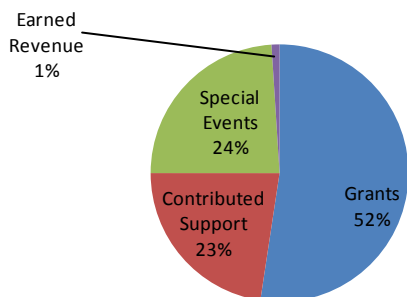
DFMA is continuing discussions with local health care facilities and hospitals regarding a community outreach program that would provide an innovative way to bring high-touch, low-tech prenatal educational services to at-risk women.

Medical Outcomes

65 initiated breastfeeding (83%)
0 low birthweight babies (0%)
1 pre-term baby (.01%)

Doulas ensure that mothers receive adequate prenatal care. They are educated and knowledgeable about childbirth and the postpartum experience. Research shows parents who receive support have greater success with breastfeeding less postpartum depression and lower incidence of child abuse and neglect.

2007 Income \$155,342



2007 Expense \$147,471

