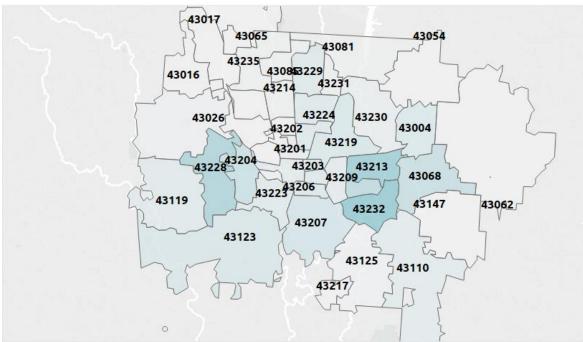
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#### What is OEI?



- Funded through Ohio Dept of Health
- 9 counties funded throughout the state
- Focused on expanding **non-traditional outreach**
- Focused on **new zip codes**

Locations of Eligible Women, Oct 2019-Sept 2020



#### **Our Target**

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Non-traditional avenues:

- Retail stores/Convenient Stores
- Canvass Neighborhoods/Apartment Complexes
- Community Events

Priority population:

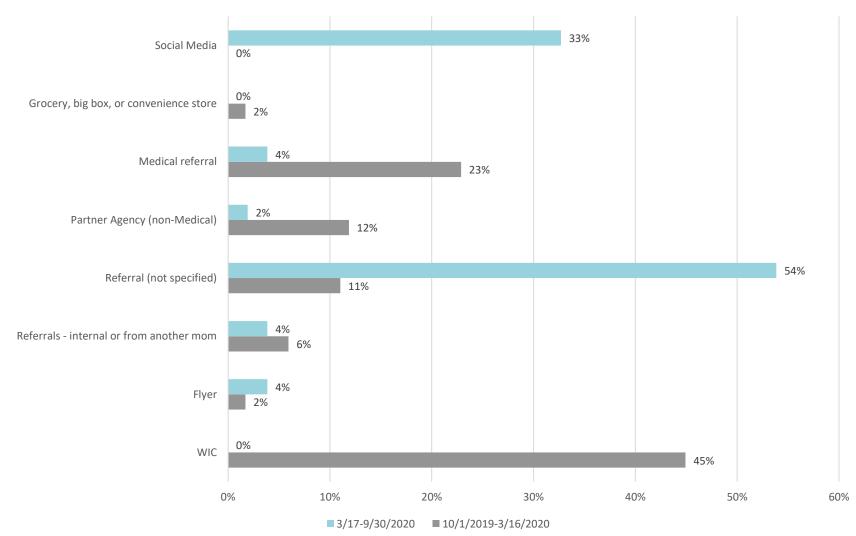
- Black, pregnant women
- 80% of women served need to live in a household under 200% of the Federal Poverty Level (FPL)
- Have needs that can be addressed by referrals

Our team has five Neighborhood Navigators dedicated to the OEI work.

#### **Non-Traditional Outreach**



#### Since March, referrals and social media have been the primary recruitment avenues



### COVID couldn't stop us!



#### How we had to pivot and be determined in our outreach:

- Yard Signs
- Social Media
- Drive Up Food Giveaways (650 families served)
- Partnerships with businesses and organizations
- Convenient Stores/ Retail Stores/Gas Stations
- Community P.O.P Ups (Present on Purpose)
- Partnerships with Food Trucks

How were we able to be successful?

- We remained consistent and creative.
- Weekly goals and metrics
- Weekly Brainstorming meetings
- The diversity amongst our team of Navigators

#### The Power of Three!

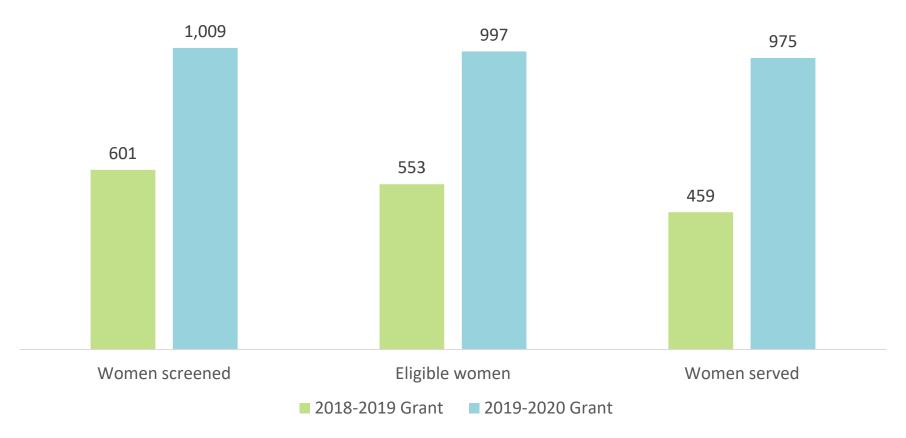








# Navigators served more than twice as many women in 2019-2020 than in 2018-2019



\*Served means the Connector completed at least three follow ups



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