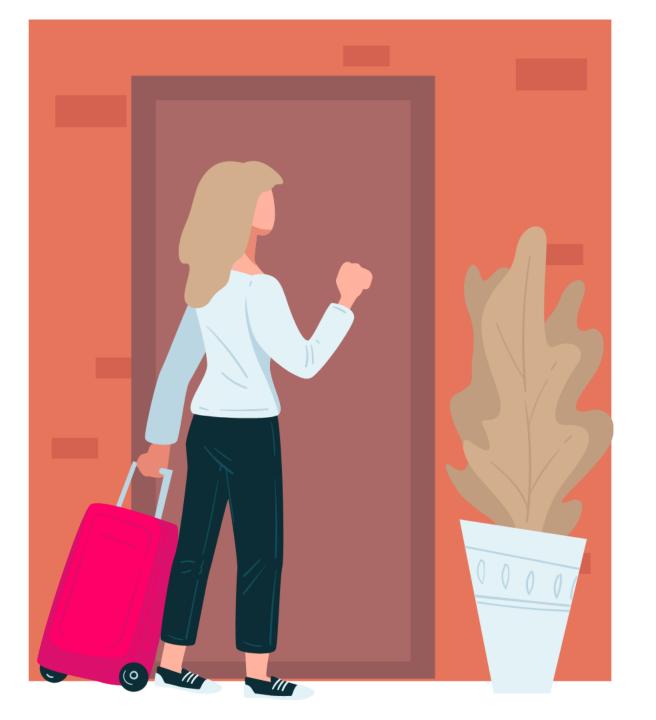


# Allergy & Asthma -NETWORK **Asthma Home** Visit Programs

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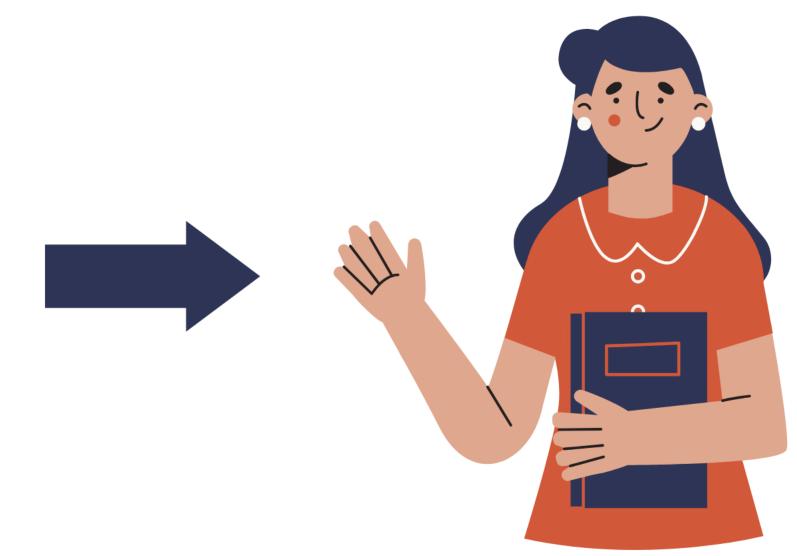


# People still do home visits?!

### **Diagnose & Prescribe**

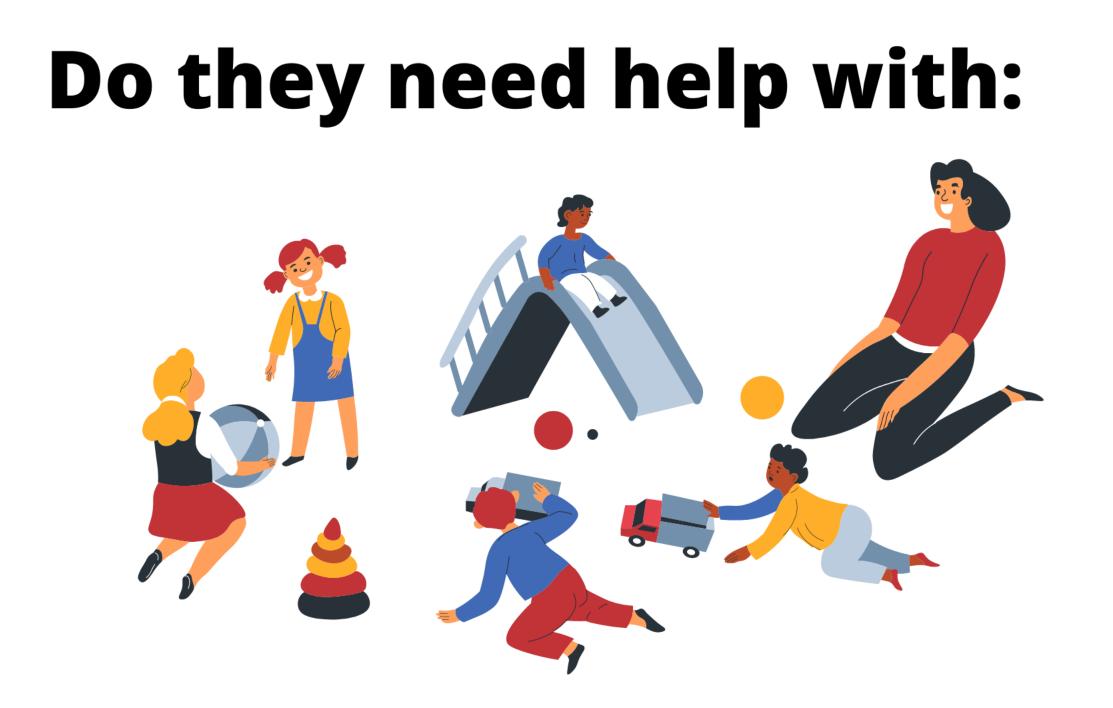
### **Reinforce & Educate**



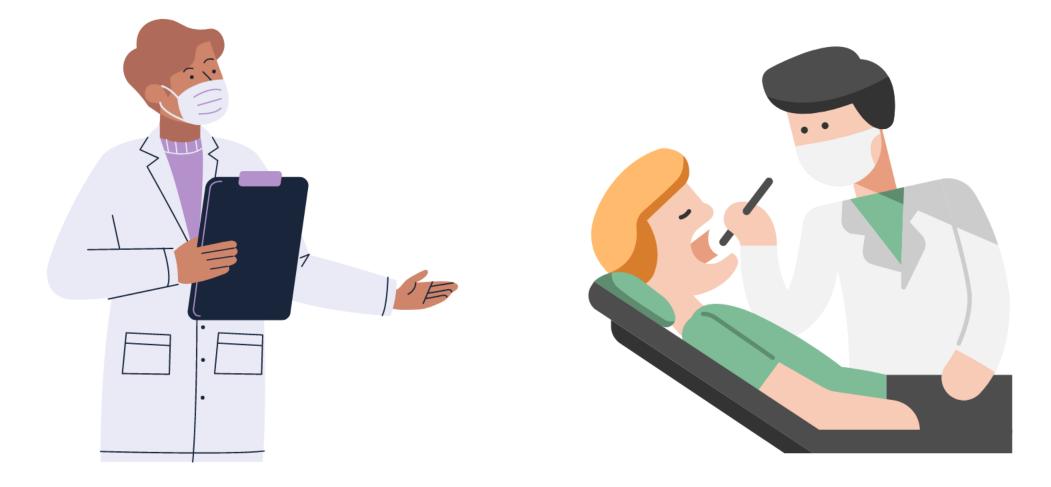


## So much to worry about





# Do they need help with:



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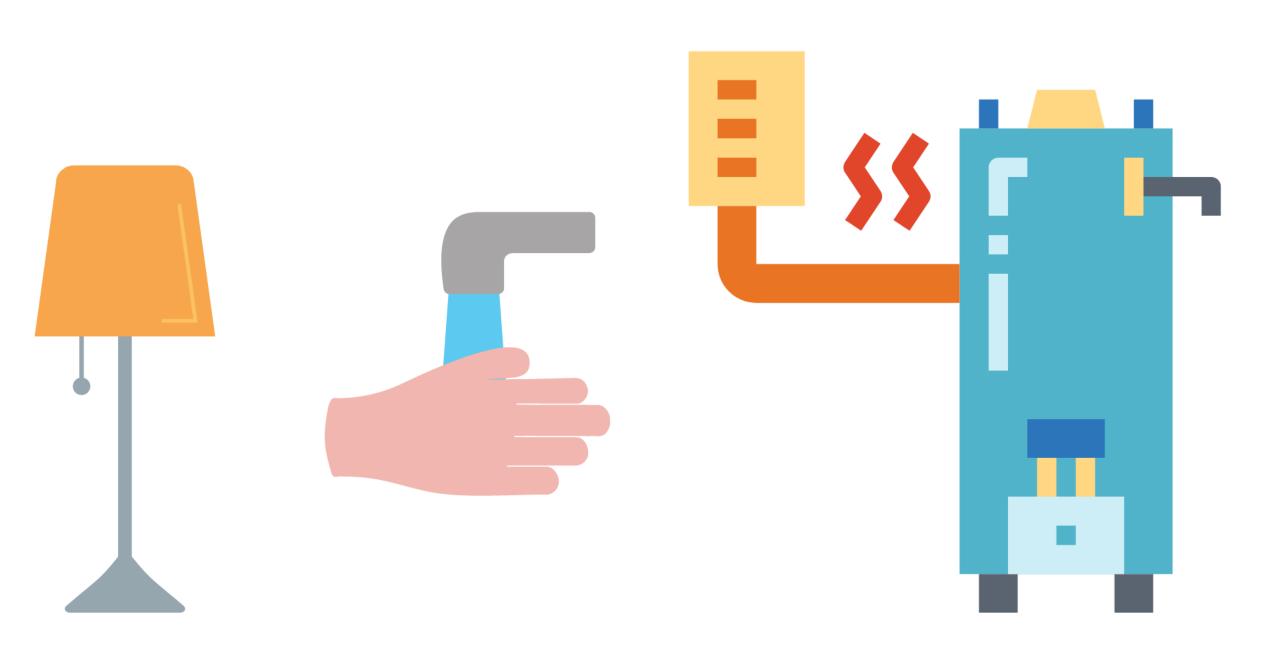




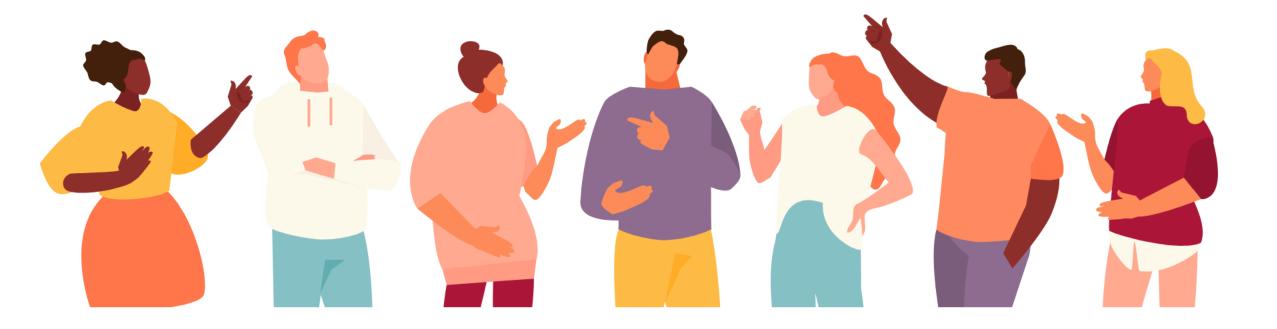




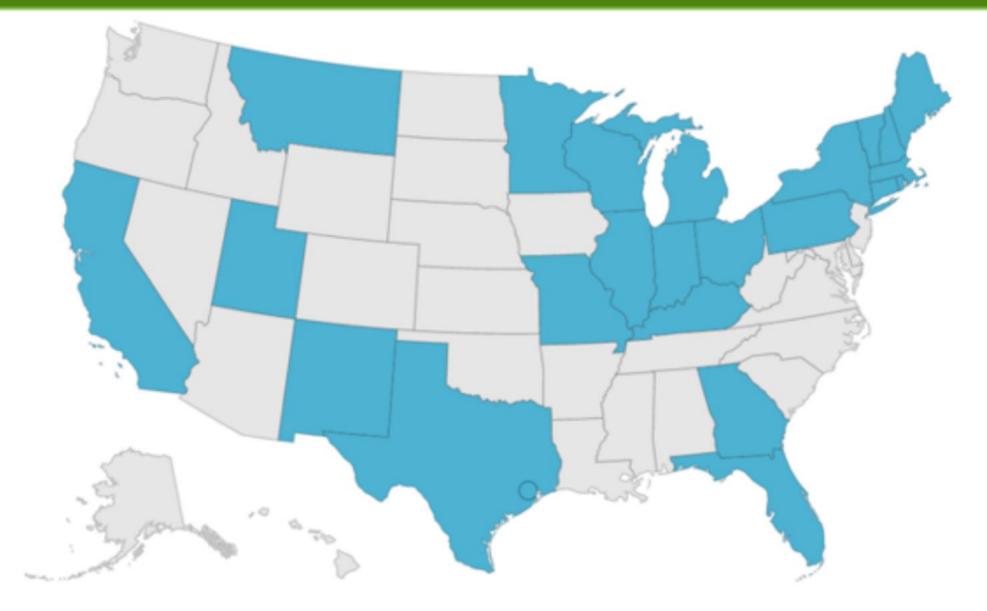




# **Community Health Workers**



### CDC National Asthma Control Program Grantees







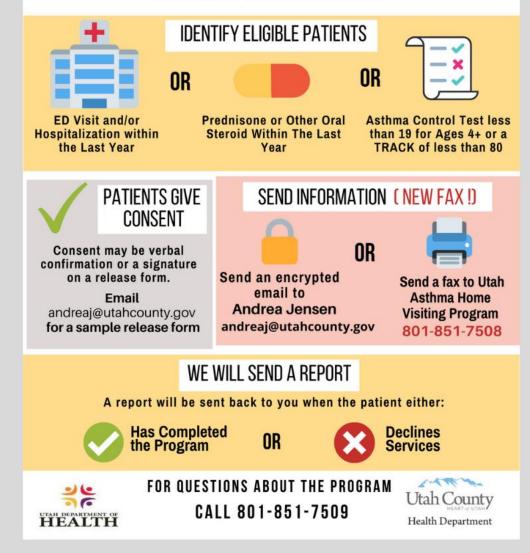


1. In-depth asthma management

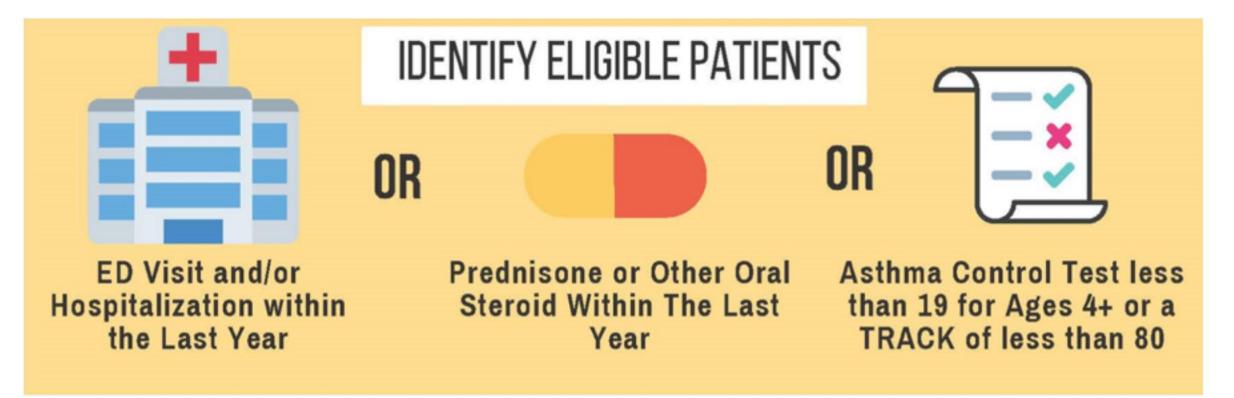
# 2. Home-based trigger reduction

### REFER A PATIENT TO THE ASTHMA HOME VISITING PROGRAM

UTAH COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT



### Utah's Target Population: Persistent/Uncontrolled Asthma









### No income requirement No age limits

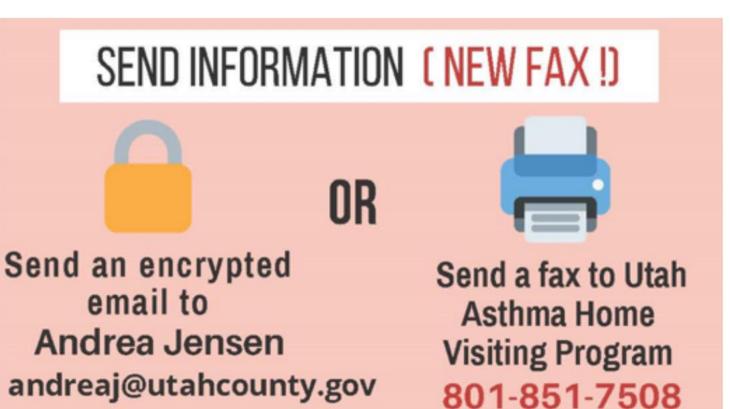
**\*\*** Every Home Visit Program is different **\*\*** 

# Sending a referral



Consent may be verbal confirmation or a signature on a release form.

Email andreaj@utahcounty.gov for a sample release form



# **Close the Referral Loop**

### WE WILL SEND A REPORT

A report will be sent back to you when the patient either:



Has Completed the Program

OR



### ASTHMA HOME VISIT PROGRAM

Now providing virtual visits!

A free program to make your home asthma friendly



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# Visits

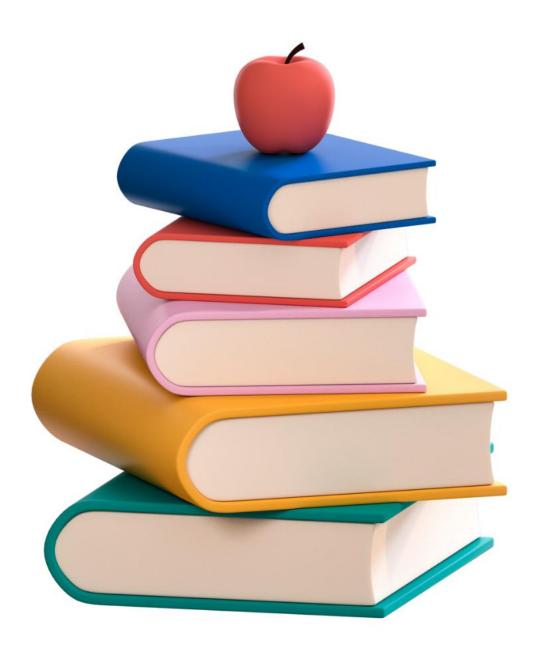
# Follow up calls





Learn about asthma symptoms, triggers, medications and inhaler techniques





# In-depth asthma education







### **Controlled Asthma**





You sleep through the night without asthma symptoms

You have no trouble with your daily activities or exercising

### **Uncontrolled Asthma**



You take your rescue inhaler more than 2 times per week You wake up at night with asthma symptoms more than 2 times a month You refill your rescue inhaler more than 2 times per year

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### Rules of TWO® When is quick relief for asthma NOT ENOUGH? DO YOU....

- Take your quick relief inhaler more than TWO TIMES A WEEK?
- Awaken at night with asthma more than TWO TIMES A MONTH?
- Do you refill your quick-relief inhaler more than TWO TIMES A YEAR?
- Use prednisone TWO or more times a year for flares of asthma?
- Measure changes in peak flow with asthma symptoms of more than TWO TIMES 10 (20%)?

If you answer "yes" to any of them, talk to your doctor.

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# **Chef Cards and Autoinjectors**

### CHEF: ALLERGY ALERT

### I have a severe allergy to SEAFOOD.

Even trace amounts of seafood (fish or shellfish) can cause a life threatening reaction. Avoid cross contamination by cleaning all utensils, pans, cooking surfaces and cutting boards. Please verify safe cooking oils, marinades, sauces, seasonings, and ingredients are used in my meal.

Thank you for a safe dining experience. www.AllergyFreeTable.com

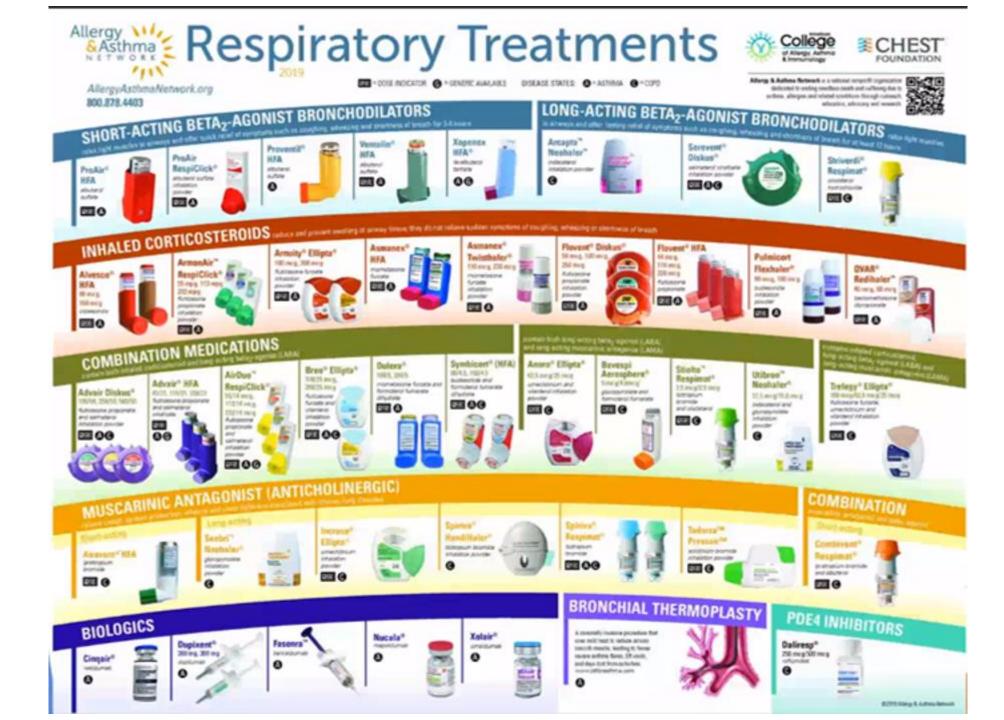
### What Epinephrine Products Are Currently Available in the U.S.?

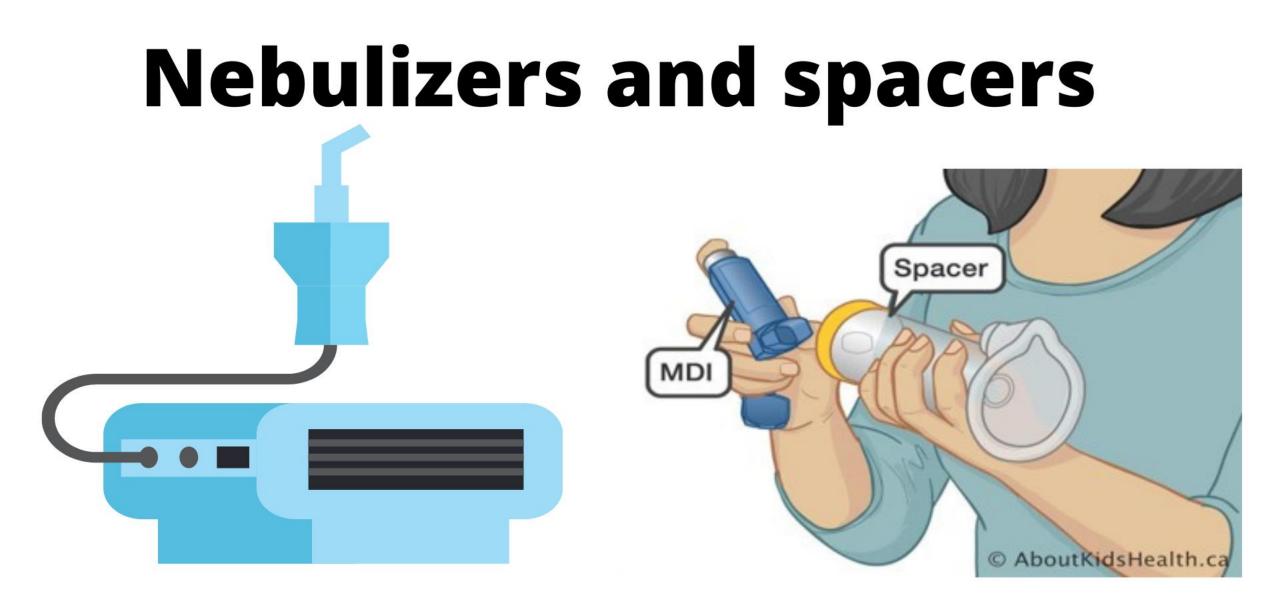


### **Controller vs Reliever/Rescue**



















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# **NEW Biologic!**





Walk through your home to identify asthma triggers, then set goals to reduce the triggers



# Visit 2

### **Irritants and Allergens**





# Triggers in the home





### What to do about them





# **Housing Partners**





#### \*\*Salt Lake County ONLY \*\*



#### Critical Home Repair & Housing Rehabilitation Program

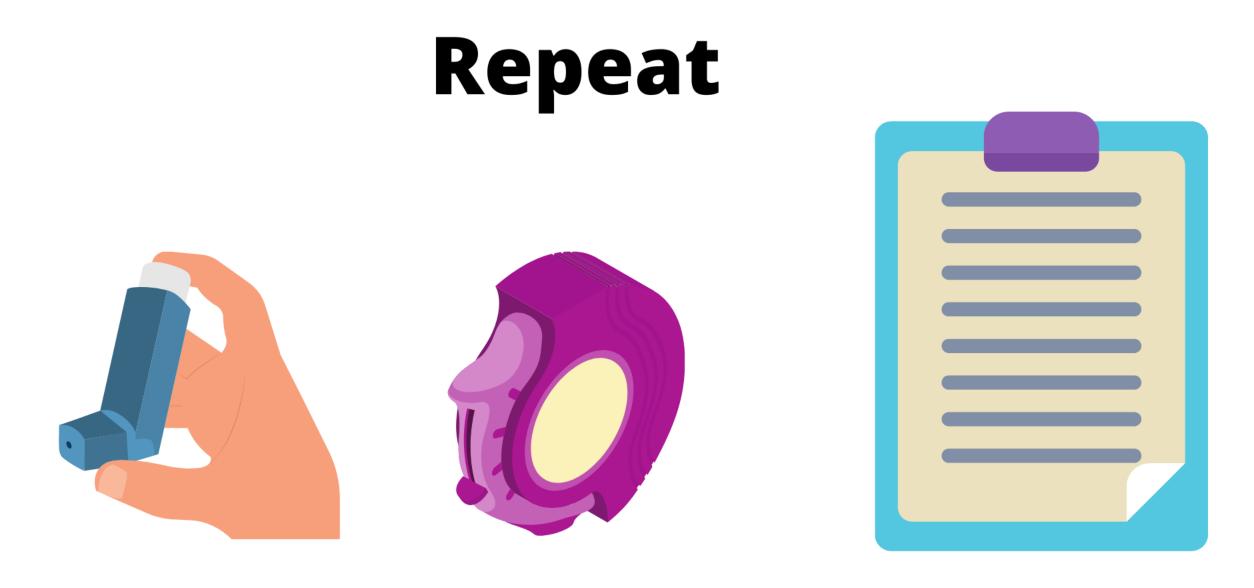
CDBG funding - Community Development Block Grants



Discuss progress on controlling your asthma triggers or reducing triggers







# Follow ups!



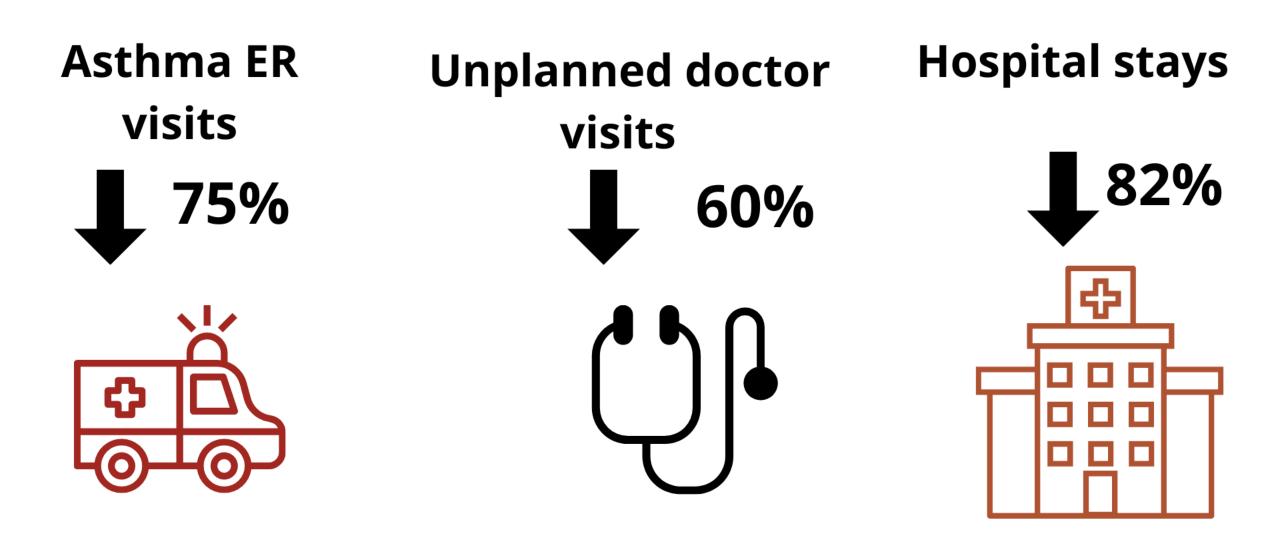
You will get a phone call 6 months after Visit 3 to talk about questions or concerns You will get a phone call 1 year after Visit 3 to talk about questions or concerns

CALL 2

# Follow ups!



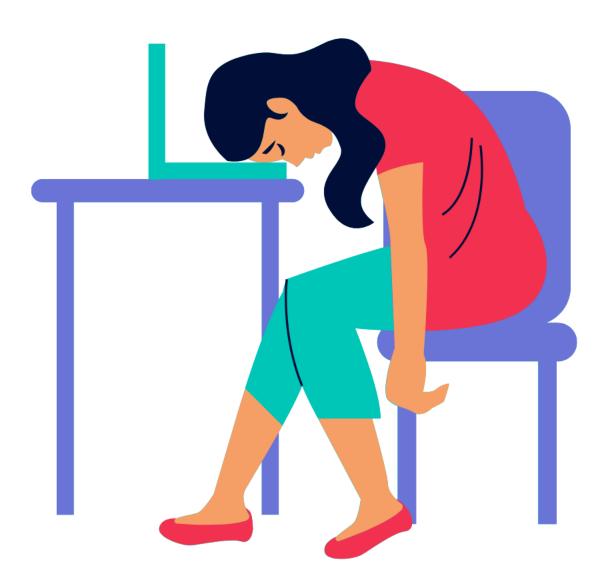
## Outcomes



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# **Administrative Problems**



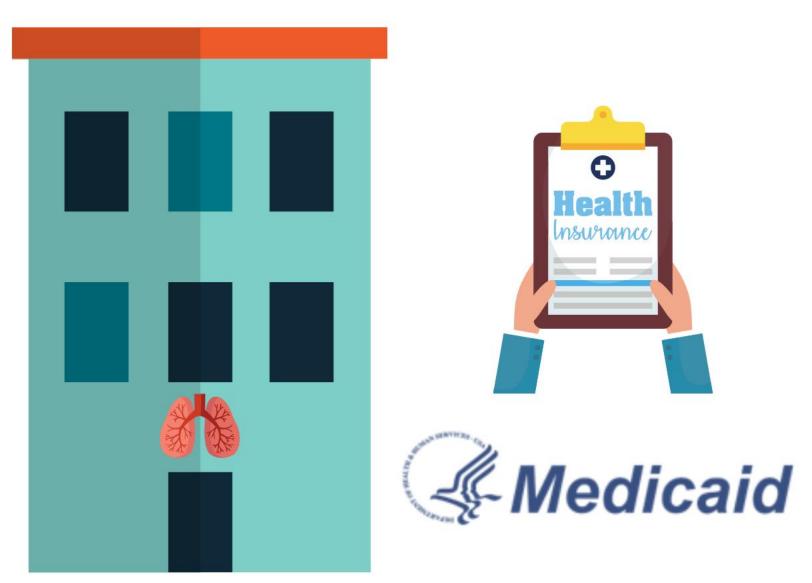
# Barriers



## **Other barriers**



#### Partners







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