## **Evaluating Your Fatherhood Initiative Tip Sheet**

## Collect Feedback from Male Participants

- Administer surveys at recruitment events.
- Ask volunteers to complete a brief evaluation after each scheduled visit; leave the materials and a drop box in the office where they sign in and out.
- Conduct informal evaluations through conversation; ask participants about their experience and if there is anything that would increase their level of satisfaction.

## Collect Feedback from Staff

- Complete the Recap form with the Man Power Team after each event.
- Ask staff to complete a brief evaluation of the volunteer visits; either after each visit or monthly.
- Invite all staff to offer input to be considered during Man Power planning meetings.

## Respond Promptly to Questions, Concerns and Requests

- Review and compile data from event reflections within a week after the event, respond to any questions or concerns.
- Assign a person (or establish a rotation schedule for Man Power team members) to review and respond to the daily evaluations at least weekly.
- When staff feel heard and valued, they are more likely to support the program. Review and respond to staff input within a week of collection.

