

Birth justice policy and advocacy work

Breath of My Heart is a founding member organization of the New Mexico Birth Justice Coalition. We are involved in advocacy work on a community and state level to advocate for access to birthing options for low-income, communities of color in New Mexico. We work with the NM legislator, NM medicaid, NM department of health and many other organizations to protect birthing options and increase availability of quality, respectiful pregnancy and birth care for New Mexican families.

Details

Genders: All

Services

Pregnancy, Childbirth & Infant Care Community Action/Social Advocacy Groups

Locations

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Parent Organization

Breath of My Heart Birthplace

Breath of My Heart Birthplace is a BIPOC and LGBTQ-led community Birth Center in Espanola, NM serving the communities and tribes of northern NM.

Mission: To bring to reality a sustainable birthing place that celebrates pregnancy and birth as a sacred rite of passage through midwifery care. To raise awareness and promote wellness, growth, and healing in our multi-cultural communities by honoring woman as our first environment.

Vision: To attain greater community wellness through the growth and reclamation of birth traditions and practices in Northern New Mexico, by cultivating a nurturing environment that welcomes all families' cultural strengths, and Ways of Knowing.

Primary Goals:

1.

Decrease racial and economic health disparities for low-income families of color and tribal families in the Espanola Valley Region.

- Increase the number of birth workers of color from indigenous and historical New Mexico communities.
- 3. Increase access to Birthing options for low-income communities of color in Northern New Mexico.

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