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Summary:

1. During the 1991-92 school years, six school districts in southern California and 11 school districts in northern California implemented the Nurturing Parenting classes for teen parents.
2. Results indicated that 16 of the 17 participating school districts/agencies showed a drop in the rate of teen pregnancies.
3. Improved access to resources was reported in re-enrollment in GED or vocational programs, childcare programs, health care programs, housing services and legal services.
4. School personnel indicated that there had been a noticeable reduction in abusive parent-teen interactions.
5. Additional findings showed a significant increase in knowledge related to appropriate child-rearing techniques, and significant increases in Expectations, Empathy, Alternatives to Corporal Punishment and Appropriate Family Roles as measured by the Adult-Adolescent Parenting Inventory (AAPI).