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# Social Innovation for America

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# A Possible Overall Vision for the Challenges?

How do we create a society that enables everyone to achieve their full potential and insures that everyone is cared for when needed?

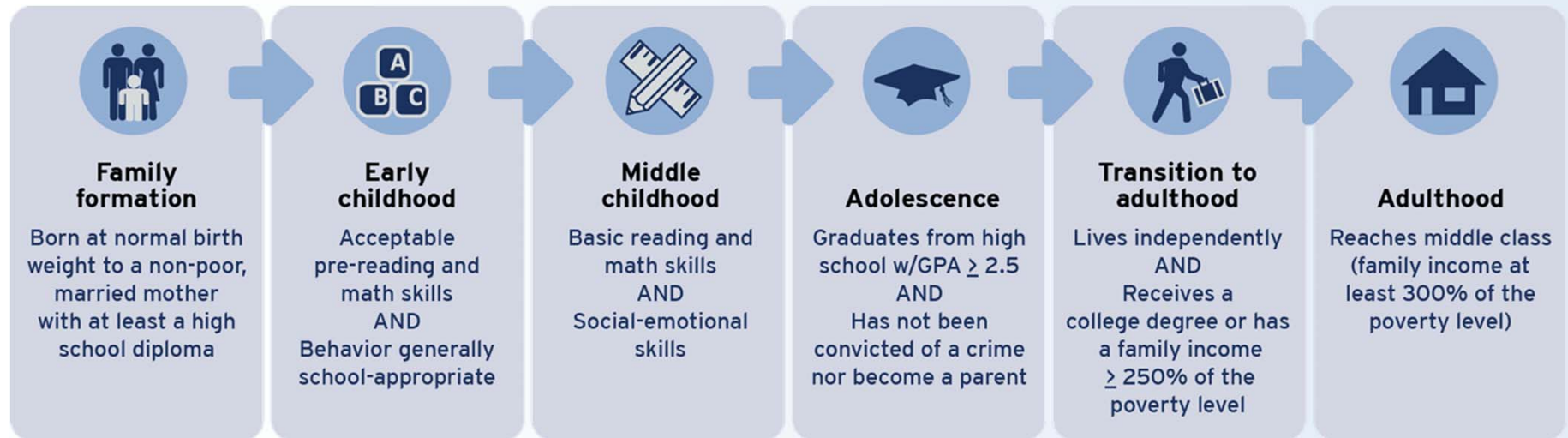
## Specific actionable proposals

- Expand Medicaid under the ACA option
- Ban solitary confinement for juveniles
- Enact paid leave
- More housing subsidies (but cap mort int deduction)
- Expand broadband to all households
- Sentencing reform
- Expand child care and pre-k
- Make work pay (EITC, min wage)
- Reimburse for social services under Medicaid or private ins. (e.g. home visiting)
- Encourage saving and asset accumulation

## Themes or guiding principles

- Base policies on evidence
- Share data
- Reallocate resources toward prevention (go upstream)
- Treat everyone equitably and in a culturally appropriate manner
- One size doesn't fit all; allow for local community and practitioner creativity

# A Life Cycle Frame



# Low-Income Children's Success Rates if Intervene with Evidence-Based Programs

