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Kelsey E. Hopkins serves as the Prenatal-to-Three Manager at Groundwork Ohio, where she works to elevate Groundwork's prenatal-to-3 policy priorities and provides targeted support to Groundwork's engagement with stakeholders, policy research, and advocacy efforts. Since joining Groundwork, she has supported research and advocacy through the elevation of maternal and young child healthy development; infant and early childhood mental health; and the Groundwork Ohio Early Childhood Leadership Fellowship. Kelsey also currently serves as the Statewide Coordinator for the Ohio Safe Babies Court Team expansion project.

Kelsey is passionate about maternal health, the health and development of babies and young children, and ensuring that families and caregivers are supported and have the resources they need to be successful.

Prior to joining Groundwork, Kelsey served as an afterschool program coordinator for various organizations, as well as a program assistant for the I Am My Brother's Keeper program operated by Ohio State University's Kirwan Institute for the Study of Race and Ethnicity. Most recently, she served as the Legislative Aide to Ohio State Representative Erica C. Crawley, supporting legislative efforts and constituents.

Kelsey holds dual Master's degrees from The Ohio State University in Social Work and Public Administration. She is active in her local church, and in her free time enjoys watching Ohio State football, snowboarding, reading, and traveling.

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