

# 2024 ANNUAL REPORT



**KOSCIUSKO COUNTY  
HEALTH  
DEPARTMENT**

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## 2024 Environmental Report

<b>Septic Permits</b>	
Septic Permits Issued	160
Septic Permits Inspected	90
<b>COMPLAINTS</b>	
Septic Inspection	4
Dye Tests	4
Check Dye	4
Indoor Air	4
Trash	61
Sewage	14
Nuisance	1
Housing	27
Condemnations	9
Animal/Vector	13
Animal Bites	115
Heads Shipped	6
Mold	26
Open Burning	6
Unsafe Structure	21
Demolished	5
Well Locations	22
Permits Issued	219
Well Tests	80

### Food Division

Food Complaints	51
Food Est. Closures	2
Food Inspections	1030
Food Est. Plan Review	35
Food Permits Issued	1099

## 2024 Nursing Report

### Prenatal Care

Initial Visits for New Clients	100
Early Start Prenatal Clinic Patient:	
First trimester	47
Second trimester	19
Third trimester	3
Referrals	
Medicaid	49
Managed Care Organizations/HHW	94
WIC	73
Birth Control, Childbirth Ed, Babe Coupon, Breastfeeding Consultant	100
Immunizations, Dr. for baby, car seat	100
Prenatal vitamins given	90
Pregnancy tests completed	66

### Immunizations

<b>Children Visits</b>	2449
Vaccines Administered	5941
Amish Clinic's	12
<b>Adult Vaccines Sold</b>	606
Tdap	98
Hep A	33
Hep B	38
Meningitis	15
Polio	15
Typhoid	65
Yellow Fever	77
Flu	107
MMR	33
Varicella	23
Zoster (shingrix)	7
Lead Testing	19
Elevated Leads	44

## Communicable Diseases

Campylobacter	26
Cryptosporidiosis	3
Shiga toxin producing E.Coli	4
Giardiasis	2
Haemophilus Influenzae	5
Hepatitis B	2
Hepatitis C	25
Histoplasmosis	1
Legionellosis	3
Lyme Disease	12
Rabies Exposure/Animal Bite	18
Pertussis	4
Salmonella	11
Shigella	1
Streptococcus Pneumoniae	10
Streptococcal Group A	2
Streptococcal Group B	3
LTBI	28
Tuberculosis (confirmed)	2
TB Skin test	184
West Nile Virus	1
Varicella	14
other - arboviral	1
Monkeypox	1

## 2024 Vital Records

### Births

Total Live Births	577
Hospital Births	533
Home Births	44
Clinic/Doctor's Office	0
Birth Certificates Issued	1,795

### Deaths

Total Deaths in Kosciusko County	615
Death Certificates Issued	3,658

<b><u>CAUSES OF DEATH</u></b>	
HEART DISEASE	177
CANCER	119
STROKE	30
CHRONIC OBSTRUCTIVE LUNG DISEASE	40
PNEUMONIA	20
ALL OTHER CAUSES	215
COULD NOT BE DETERMINED	1
DRUG OVERDOSE (UNINTENTIONAL)	7
COVID-19	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>611</b>
<b><u>MANNER OF DEATH</u></b>	
MOTOR VEHICLE	13
ACCIDENT-OTHER	17
COULD NOT BE DETERMINED	1
HOMICIDE	0
NATURAL	564
SUICIDE	16
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>611</b>
<b><u>CORONER</u></b>	
CORONER CASES	143
NUMBER OF AUTOPSIES PERFORMED	35

## 2024 Financial Report

### Expenditures

Personal Service	\$ 911,106.10
Supplies	\$ 48,194.37
Other Services & Charges	\$ 75,797.16
Unappropriated	\$ 215.00
<b>Grant Total of Expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 1,035,312.63</b>

### Receipts

<b>Fund Balance as of Jan. 1, 2024</b>	\$ 1,101,408.68
2024 Total Receipts	\$ 1,214,401.50
2024 Total Expenditures	\$ 1,035,312.63
<b>Fund Balance as of Dec. 31, 2024</b>	<b>\$ 1,280,497.55</b>