

## Core Public Health Services Activity Summary

This is a snapshot of core service activity as reported by local health departments from Jan. 1, 2024 - Jun. 30, 2025

### CITY OF GARY

Population: 67,652

Total Number of Preventative Services Provided: 27,329

## Child and Adult Immunizations

Total Number of Services Provided: 4,636

Number of children who received immunizations at the local health department or a contractor/partner of the LHD	3,469
Number of adults who received immunizations at the LHD or a contractor/partner of the LHD	1,078
Number of vaccination clinics held off-site of primary LHD location	72
<b>Other (17)</b>	<b>17</b>
Other Services Provided:	
- Off-site outreach clinic	17
- Pregnancy tests administered	

## Childhood Lead Screening and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,024

<b>Testing (594)</b>	<b>594</b>
Number of children tested for blood lead level	511
Number of children identified with an elevated blood lead level (EBLL) above 3.5 µg/dL	29
Number of children identified with an EBLL for whom case management was started	49
Number of children with an EBLL who were referred to developmental resource services (Head Start, etc.)	5
<b>Home Services (40)</b>	<b>40</b>
Number of homes of children with EBLLs at which the LHD was able to conduct a risk assessment	15
Number of children identified with an EBLL whose homes had an identified lead hazard	5
Number of families provided lead cleaning supplies	5
Number of families assisted with in-home lead remediation services	15
<b>Education (390)</b>	<b>390</b>
Number of families provided lead education	239
Number of health care providers or early childhood providers given lead testing/lead reduction education	151

## Infectious Disease Prevention and Control

Total Number of Services Provided: 7,611

<b>Disease Prevention and Control (349)</b>	<b>349</b>
Number of outbreaks (or suspected outbreaks) that were investigated	209
Number of outbreaks (or suspected outbreaks) in which the pathogen responsible for the outbreak was identified if known	130
Number of vaccinations given due to disease investigation interviews (e.g., HAV, HBV)	10
<b>Testing (3,379)</b>	<b>3,379</b>
Number of people provided HIV testing	183
Number of people provided Hepatitis C testing	166
Number of people provided Syphilis testing	974
Number of people provided Chlamydia testing	1,015
Number of people provided Gonorrhea testing	1,041
<b>Referrals and Treatment (3,129)</b>	<b>3,129</b>
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for HIV	51
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Hepatitis	166
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Syphilis	749
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Chlamydia	737
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Gonorrhea	752
Number of individuals treated for HCV/HIV/STI (not including Syphilis)	234
Number of individuals treated for Syphilis	440
<b>Community Outreach (683)</b>	<b>683</b>
Number of people educated on HIV/HCV/STI	683
<b>Other (71)</b>	<b>71</b>
Other Services Provided:	
- Community meet-up events providing STI education & resources	71
- Partnership with Lake County Juvenile Center for STI education presentations including updated data, symptoms, and Q&A sessions	

## Maternal and Child Health

Total Number of Services Provided: 815

<b>Prenatal Services (up to time of delivery) (280)</b>	<b>280</b>
Number of women referred to prenatal care	35
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition education	35
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition support	35
Number of women provided prenatal services - Mental health/substance use disorder services	35
Number of women provided prenatal services - Clinical care (healthcare provider, such as physician, nurse practitioner, clinic, midwife)	35
Number of women referred to My Healthy Baby	35
Number of women provided mental health/substance use disorder services - Prenatal	35
Number of women referred to health/substance use disorder services - Prenatal	35
<b>Postpartum Services (following delivery) (245)</b>	<b>245</b>
Number of women provided postpartum services - Mental health/substance use disorder services	35

Number of women provided mental health/substance use disorder services - Postpartum	35
Number of women referred to health/substance use disorder services - Postpartum	35
Number of women referred to breastfeeding education or support	35
Number of women provided breastfeeding education or support	35
Number of families referred to pediatric care	35
Number of people provided with parenting classes/education	35
<b>Health and Safety Services (150)</b>	<b>150</b>
Number of people receiving child car safety seats	5
Number of child car safety seats provided	5
Number of people provided safe sleep education	35
Number of women and children referred for active domestic violence assistance	35
Number of women and children provided safe, anonymous transport to shelter for victims of domestic violence and interim care/assistance provided	35
Number of women and children referred for assistance with physical and mental health recovery from domestic violence	35
<b>Community Assistance (70)</b>	<b>70</b>
Number of people receiving life skills courses	70
<b>Other (70)</b>	<b>70</b>
Other Services Provided: - Community Baby Shower with dental and physician education, resources, and referrals	70
<b>Student Health/School Health Liaison</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 6,714</b>	
<b>Screenings (5,639)</b>	<b>5,639</b>
Number of children receiving vision screening through support of liaison	2,980
Number of children receiving hearing screening through support of liaison	2,659
<b>Education (232)</b>	<b>232</b>
Number of schools requesting support with mental health education, resources through school liaison	1
Number of children receiving supplemental nutrition education programming at school (such as CATCH or GOAL)	15
Number of students receiving tobacco and vaping cessation education through LHD/school liaison	215
Number of schools in county with supported evidence-based anti-bullying programs and groups that support student mental health (e.g., Bring Change to Mind)	1
<b>Number of schools partnering with school liaisons to provide health promotion and education for: (13)</b>	<b>13</b>
Nutrition	13
<b>Number of schools receiving emergency preparedness education (staff and students): (2)</b>	<b>2</b>
Stop the Bleed	2
<b>LHD Support (222)</b>	<b>222</b>
Number of immunizations given at LHD/Liaison clinics for students/staff	222
<b>Number of student support initiatives provided by school (or county) with support of LHD/school liaison: (404)</b>	<b>404</b>
Hygiene Supplies	372
Feminine Hygiene Supplies	32
<b>Other (202)</b>	<b>202</b>
Other Services Provided: - School clinics providing hearing, vision, and immunization services - CHIRP program support	202
<b>Trauma and Injury Prevention and Education</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 84</b>	
<b>Training/Education (80)</b>	<b>80</b>
Number of people educated and/or trained on mental health and suicide prevention	80
<b>Referrals (4)</b>	<b>4</b>
Number of people referred/linked to substance use/mental health treatment	3
Number of women and children referred for assistance with physical and mental health recovery from domestic violence	1
<b>Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Case Management</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 3,144</b>	
Number of people provided TB testing (IGRA or TST)	1,572
Number of people educated on TB	1,572
<b>Vital Records</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 3,301</b>	
<b>Certificates (3,301)</b>	<b>3,301</b>
Number of birth certificates issued by the LHD within jurisdiction	2,218
Number of death certificates issued by the LHD within jurisdiction	1,083

### Notes:

- This report contains data pertaining to preventative core services as reported by local health departments in the activity tracker from 1/1/2024-6/30/2025.
- Vital Records only reflects services provided from 1/1/2025-6/30/2025.
- Calculations focused on number of services provided summing the subfields when data was available; when unavailable, the number of unique individuals served was used.
- Changes to these data and/or associated collection methods may affect the comparability of counts to previous or future reports.
- Reported counts may also contain duplications of unique individuals and activities.
- Population data are based on the 2023 U.S. Bureau of Census estimate population counts for Indiana and its county populations.

**Data is current as of 7/1/2025**