

## Core Public Health Services Activity Summary

This is a snapshot of core service activity as reported by local health departments from Jan. 1, 2024 - Dec. 31, 2025

### SAINT JOSEPH COUNTY

Population: 272,848

Total Number of Preventative Services Provided: 97,863

## Access and Linkage to Clinical Care

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,951

<b>Screening and Referrals (1,597)</b>		1,597
Number of people screened for high blood pressure through local health department or partners		212
Number of people screening positive for food insecurity		974
Number of people referred to a food assistance program		411
<b>Programming (174)</b>		174
Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming		99
Number of seniors participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming		75
<b>Number of adults referrals for clinical care: (171)</b>		171
Substance Use Disorder		9
Mental Health Services		37
General		125
<b>Other (9)</b>		9
Other Services Provided:		9
- Adult diabetes and hypertension education programming		

## Child and Adult Immunizations

Total Number of Services Provided: 5,823

Number of children who received immunizations at the local health department or a contractor/partner of the LHD		2,849
Number of individuals connected with insurance navigation services		8
Number of adults who received immunizations at the LHD or a contractor/partner of the LHD		2,762
Number of vaccination clinics held off-site of primary LHD location		204

## Childhood Lead Screening and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 10,298

<b>Testing (8,005)</b>		8,005
Number of children tested for blood lead level		7,298
Number of children identified with an elevated blood lead level (EBLL) above 3.5 µg/dL		628
Number of children identified with an EBLL for whom case management was started		79
<b>Home Services (293)</b>		293
Number of homes of children with EBLLs at which the LHD was able to conduct a risk assessment		98
Number of children identified with an EBLL whose homes had an identified lead hazard		71
Number of individuals connected with financial assistance for home lead remediation services		26
Number of families provided lead cleaning supplies		94
Number of families assisted with in-home lead remediation services		4
<b>Education (2,000)</b>		2,000
Number of families provided lead education		1,665
Number of health care providers or early childhood providers given lead testing/lead reduction education		335

## Chronic Disease Prevention and Reduction

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,952

<b>Screening and Referrals (1,555)</b>		1,555
Number of people screened for high blood pressure through local health department or partners		288
Number of people referred to or enrolled in a diabetes prevention program		11
Number of people screening positive for food insecurity		880
Number of people referred to a food assistance program		376
<b>Programming (357)</b>		357
Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming		226
Number of seniors participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming		131
<b>Other (40)</b>		40
Other Services Provided:		40
- Adult diabetes and hypertension education programming		

## Emergency Preparedness

Total Number of Services Provided: 663

Number of individuals that received medical countermeasure (vaccine, test, service) during public health related outbreak or emergency		348
Number of emergency preparedness drills/exercises conducted between LHD and other preparedness partners		4
<b>Other (311)</b>		311
Other Services Provided:		311
- Community engagement event providing education on preparedness		
- Various supplies provided (first aid kits, flashlights, portable chargers, etc.)		
- Participation in District 2 preparedness meeting and training for new SERV-IN website		

## Fatality Review (Child, Infant, Fetal, Suicide, Overdose)

Total Number of Services Provided: 200

<b>Equipment/Resources (200)</b>		200
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Number of infant sleep sacks provided to families	200
<b>Infectious Disease Prevention and Control</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 18,903</b>	
<b>Disease Prevention and Control (45)</b>	
Number of outbreaks (or suspected outbreaks) that were investigated	12
Number of outbreaks (or suspected outbreaks) in which the pathogen responsible for the outbreak was identified if known	4
Number of vaccinations given due to disease investigation interviews (e.g., HAV, HBV)	29
<b>Testing (18,045)</b>	
Number of people provided HIV testing	589
Number of people provided Hepatitis C testing	4,841
Number of people provided Syphilis testing	4,205
Number of people provided Chlamydia testing	4,205
Number of people provided Gonorrhea testing	4,205
<b>Referrals and Treatment (10)</b>	
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Hepatitis	10
<b>Community Outreach (473)</b>	
Number of people educated on HIV/HCV/STI	473
<b>Other (330)</b>	
Other Services Provided:	
- Follow-up, education and case management for animal bites, childhood lead, and reportable diseases	
- Collaboration with healthcare providers to coordinate care and meet patient needs	330
<b>Maternal and Child Health</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 8,549</b>	
<b>Prenatal Services (up to time of delivery) (4,178)</b>	
Number of pregnancy tests provided	1
Number of women referred to prenatal care	217
Number of women provided prenatal services - Vitamins	3,454
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition education	413
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition support	59
Number of women provided prenatal services - Clinical care (healthcare provider, such as physician, nurse practitioner, clinic, midwife)	32
Number of women referred to health/substance use disorder services - Prenatal	2
<b>Postpartum Services (following delivery) (728)</b>	
Number of women provided postpartum services - Clinical care (healthcare provider, such as physician, nurse practitioner, clinic)	41
Number of women provided postpartum services - Mental health/substance use disorder services	307
Number of women referred to breastfeeding education or support	72
Number of women provided breastfeeding education or support	302
Number of families referred to childcare assistance (such as CCDF program)	6
<b>Health and Safety Services (2,627)</b>	
Number of people receiving child car safety seats	34
Number of child car safety seats provided	36
Number of car safety seat inspections provided	31
Number of people provided safe sleep education	1,874
Number of people receiving sleep sacks	581
Number of cribs provided by LHD or partner	66
Number of women and children referred for active domestic violence assistance	5
<b>Community Assistance (391)</b>	
Number of referrals to housing supports or resources	217
Number of families provided with utility/rent assistance	16
Number of families receiving home visiting services, such as a home visiting program	158
<b>Food and Nutrition (476)</b>	
Number of women referred to WIC	231
Number of families referred or connected to local food pantries	245
<b>Other (149)</b>	
Other Services Provided:	
- Various services provided through maternal infant health community workers (insurance navigation services, connections to prenatal care, etc.)	
- Host Empowering Moms and Babies class which provides information on topics including safe sleep, breastfeeding, maternal mental health, etc.	149
<b>Student Health/School Health Liaison</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 11,150</b>	
<b>Screenings (2,340)</b>	
Number of children receiving vision screening through support of liaison	36
Number of children receiving hearing screening through support of liaison	2,304
<b>Education (7)</b>	
Number of schools requesting support with mental health education, resources through school liaison	7
<b>Number of schools partnering with school liaisons to provide health promotion and education for: (1)</b>	
Trauma and Injury Prevention	1
<b>Number of schools receiving emergency preparedness education (staff and students): (8)</b>	
Stop the Bleed	2
CPR	1
Overdose/naloxone	5
<b>Equipment / Supplies (61)</b>	
Number of Stop the Bleed kits distributed through school liaisons	4

Number of schools who received other public health-related equipment from their LHD (such as vision screeners, etc.)	48
Number of schools provided with AED equipment	9
<b>LHD Support (1,449)</b>	<b>1,449</b>
Number of schools stocking emergency medications through LHD/school liaison - Albuterol	2
Number of schools stocking emergency medications through LHD/school liaison - Epinephrine	3
Number of schools stocking emergency medications through LHD/school liaison - Naloxone	4
Number of immunizations given at LHD/Liaison clinics for students/staff	1,440
<b>Number of student support initiatives provided by school (or county) with support of LHD/school liaison: (611)</b>	<b>611</b>
Food Pantries	8
Clothing Closets	252
Hygiene Supplies	202
Feminine Hygiene Supplies	149
<b>Tobacco and Vaping Prevention and Cessation (6,410)</b>	<b>6,410</b>
Number of youth provided education on the harms of vaping/tobacco	6,410
<b>Other (263)</b>	<b>263</b>
Other Services Provided:	
- Daily email & phone communication with local schools	
- Serve on district wellness committees	
- Advocate for school health resources in the community	
- Various equipment provided (glucometer, blood pressure cuffs, stethoscopes, cots, first aid supplies, etc.)	
- Education provided for bike helmet safety & water safety	
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<b>Trauma and Injury Prevention and Education</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 4,525</b>	
<b>Training/Education (96)</b>	<b>96</b>
Number of people educated in fall prevention and home remedied for fall risks	43
Number of people educated and/or trained on substance use prevention	39
Number of seniors participating in activities related to fall prevention	14
<b>Equipment (51)</b>	<b>51</b>
Number of child car seats distributed	5
Number of bicycle helmets distributed	32
Number of firearm locks provided to families	11
Number of infant sleep sacks provided to families	2
Number of portable cribs provided to families	1
<b>Other (4,378)</b>	<b>4,378</b>
Other Services Provided:	
- Various education provided (mental health, addiction, substance abuse, etc.)	
- Naloxone training for community members & organizations	
	4,378
<b>Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Case Management</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 4,523</b>	
Number of people provided TB testing (IGRA or TST)	1,246
Number of people provided treatment for latent TB infection (LTBI)	120
Number of people provided treatment for TB disease	17
Number of people provided Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) services	1,350
Number of people supported with food/housing assistance	1
Number of people educated on TB	1,740
Number of people with a Class B1 TB designation served	43
Number of referrals to wraparound services	6
<b>Vital Records</b>	
<b>Total Number of Services Provided: 29,326</b>	
<b>Certificates (29,004)</b>	<b>29,004</b>
Number of birth certificates issued by the LHD within jurisdiction	13,615
Number of death certificates issued by the LHD within jurisdiction	15,389
<b>Number of other vital record services performed (322)</b>	<b>322</b>
Genealogy - (Number of people's records researched)	12
Paternity - (All Types)	43
Court Ordered Change	267
<b>Notes:</b>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- This report contains data pertaining to preventative core services as reported by local health departments in the activity tracker from 1/1/2024-12/31/2025.</li> <li>- Vital Records only reflects services provided from 1/1/2025-12/31/2025.</li> <li>- Data pertaining to youth/schools that were previously listed under the Tobacco Prevention and Cessation core service prior to July 2025 have been moved to Student Health/School Health Liaison.</li> <li>- Calculations focused on number of services provided summing the subfields when data was available; when unavailable, the number of unique individuals served was used.</li> <li>- Changes to these data and/or associated collection methods may affect the comparability of counts to previous or future reports.</li> <li>- Reported counts may also contain duplications of unique individuals and activities.</li> <li>- Population data are based on the 2023 U.S. Bureau of Census estimate population counts for Indiana and its county populations.</li> </ul>	
<b>Data is current as of 1/5/2026</b>	