

Core Public Health Services Activity Summary

ELKHART COUNTY

This is a snapshot of core service activity as reported by local health departments from Jan. 1 -Aug. 26, 2024.

Total Number of Services Provided (All Core Services): 41,105

Population: 206,409

Access and Linkage to Clinical Care

Total Number of Services Provided: 3,177

Screening and Referrals (1,941)	
Number of people referred to or enrolled in a diabetes prevention program	354
Number of people referred to or enrolled in a diabetes self-management education support program	6
Number of people screening positive for food insecurity	1581
Programming (205)	
Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	130
Number of seniors participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	75
Number of pediatric referrals for clinical care: (996)	
Obesity/Overweight	996
Number of adults referrals for clinical care: (35)	
HIV	3
Hepatitis	6
Chlamydia	6
Number of individuals referred to insurance navigation or Medicaid/Medicare	20

Child and Adult Immunizations

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,654

Number of children who received immunizations at the local health department or a contractor/partner of the LHD	1429
Number of adults who received immunizations at the LHD or a contractor/partner of the LHD	203
Number of vaccination clinics held off-site of primary LHD location	22

Childhood Lead Screening and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 513

Testing (304)	
Number of children tested for blood lead level	155
Number of children identified with an elevated blood lead level (EBLL) above 3.5 µg/dL	125
Number of children identified with an EBLL for whom case management was started	12
Number of children with an EBLL who were referred to developmental resource services (Head Start, etc.)	12
Home Services (7)	
Number of homes of children with EBLLs at which the LHD was able to conduct a risk assessment	4
Number of children identified with an EBLL whose homes had an identified lead hazard	3
Education (202)	
Number of families provided lead education	202

Chronic Disease Prevention and Reduction

Total Number of Services Provided: 2,146

Screening and Referrals (1,941)	
Number of people referred to or enrolled in a diabetes prevention program	354
Number of people referred to or enrolled in a diabetes self-management education support program	6
Number of people screening positive for food insecurity	1581
Programming (205)	
Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	130
Number of seniors participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	75

Emergency Preparedness

Total Number of Services Provided: 2

Number of emergency preparedness drills/exercises conducted between LHD and other preparedness partners	2
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Fatality Review (Child, Infant, Fetal, Suicide, Overdose)

Total Number of Services Provided: 3,856

Equipment/Resources (691)	
Number of people provided with infant safe sleep education, including families and professionals	668
Number of portable cribs provided to families	23
Education (1,809)	
Number of people trained in an evidence-based suicide prevention training (QPR, ASIST, MHFA, etc.)	180
Number of people educated about 988 and crisis resources	1629
Referrals/Screenings (1,356)	
Number of individuals connected to grief and bereavement resources	20
Number of childbearing-aged women screened for domestic violence risk	668
Number of childbearing-aged women screened for social determinants of health	668

Infectious Disease Prevention and Control

Total Number of Services Provided: 4,488

Testing (3,280)	
Number of people provided HIV testing	618

Number of people provided Hepatitis C testing	429
Number of people provided Syphilis testing	559
Number of people provided Chlamydia testing	837
Number of people provided Gonorrhea testing	837
Referrals and Treatment (321)	
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for HIV	5
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Hepatitis	10
Number of individuals treated for HCV/HIV/STI (not including Syphilis)	247
Number of individuals treated for Syphilis	59
Community Outreach (887)	
Number of people educated on HIV/HCV/STI	887
Maternal and Child Health	
Total Number of Services Provided: 15,410	
Prenatal Services (up to time of delivery) (4,245)	
Number of pregnancy tests provided	20
Number of women referred to prenatal care	209
Number of women provided prenatal services - Vitamins	171
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition education	2167
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition support	936
Number of women provided prenatal services - Other prenatal services	423
Number of women referred to My Healthy Baby	202
Number of women referred to health/substance use disorder services - Prenatal	117
Postpartum Services (following delivery) (8,730)	
Number of women referred to postpartum care	177
Number of women referred to health/substance use disorder services - Postpartum	4
Number of women referred to breastfeeding education or support	1255
Number of women provided breastfeeding education or support	7249
Number of people provided with parenting classes/education	22
Number of families referred to childcare assistance (such as CCDF program)	23
Health and Safety Services (685)	
Number of people receiving child car safety seats	30
Number of child car safety seats provided	30
Number of car safety seat inspections provided	39
Number of people provided safe sleep education	531
Number of cribs provided by LHD or partner	23
Number of women and children referred for active domestic violence assistance	16
Number of women and children referred for assistance with physical and mental health recovery from domestic violence	16
Community Assistance (870)	
Number of people referred to substance use disorder treatment/support	41
Number of referrals to housing supports or resources	50
Number of families provided with utility/rent assistance	1
Number of families screened or referred to developmental services, such as First Steps	22
Number of families receiving home visiting services, such as a home visiting program	187
Number of families referred to home visiting services, such as a home visiting program	549
Number of families referred to an insurance navigator or Medicaid	20
Contraception/STIs (430)	
Number of people provided contraceptive education	430
Food and Nutrition (450)	
Number of women referred to WIC	335
Number of families referred or connected to local food pantries	115
Student Health/School Health Liaison	
Total Number of Services Provided: 2,270	
Screenings (912)	
Number of children receiving vision screening through support of liaison	503
Number of children receiving hearing screening through support of liaison	409
Education (1,320)	
Number of schools requesting support with mental health education, resources through school liaison	8
Number of children receiving supplemental nutrition education programming at school (such as CATCH or GOAL)	686
Number of students receiving tobacco and vaping cessation education through LHD/school liaison	626
Number of schools partnering with school liaisons to provide health promotion and education for: (25)	
Trauma and Injury Prevention	9
Nutrition	5
Child Safety Topics - Safe Sleep	1
Child Safety Topics - Car Seat Safety	1
Child Safety Topics - Bicycle/bike helmet safety	9
Number of schools receiving emergency preparedness education (staff and students): (6)	
Overdose/naloxone	6
LHD Support (7)	
Number of schools stocking emergency medications through LHD/school liaison - Epinephrine	4
Number of schools stocking emergency medications through LHD/school liaison - Naloxone	3

Tobacco Prevention and Cessation

Total Number of Services Provided: 3,263

Number of individuals age 13 years or older referred to Indiana Tobacco Quitline/Quit Now Indiana or other cessation resource	111
Number of youth provided education on the harms of vaping	2175
Number of adults provided education on the harms of tobacco use and vaping	951
Number of schools providing vaping prevention education through local health department/school liaison	11
Number of schools providing nicotine dependence treatment resources through local health department/school liaison	15

Trauma and Injury Prevention and Education

Total Number of Services Provided: 3,395

Training/Education (2,584)

Number of people educated and/or trained on vehicle passenger safety and seat belt use	345
Number of people educated about texting and safe driving (including impaired driving)	80
Number of people educated about brain injury risks and safety practices	1329
Number of people educated and/or trained on mental health and suicide prevention	830

Equipment (747)

Number of child car seats distributed	30
Number of bicycle helmets distributed	26
Number of people provided with infant safe sleep education, including families and professionals	668
Number of portable cribs provided to families	23

Referrals (64)

Number of people referred/linked to substance use/mental health treatment	45
Number of women and children referred for active domestic violence assistance	16
Number of women and children referred for assistance with physical and mental health recovery from domestic violence	3

Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 931

Number of people provided TB testing (IGRA or TST)	247
Number of people provided treatment for latent TB infection (LTBI)	116
Number of people provided treatment for TB disease	4
Number of people provided Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) services	445
Number of people supported with food/housing assistance	2
Number of people educated on TB	116
Number of people with a Class B1 TB designation served	1

Notes:

- Activity tracker entries were self-reported by local health departments who opted into Health First Indiana in 2024.
- 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.

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