

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

KNOX COUNTY

Population: 36,070

Total Number of Preventative Services Provided: 17,397

Access and Linkage to Clinical Care

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,539

Screening and Referrals (1,390)		1,390
Number of people screened for high blood pressure through local health department or partners		809
Number of people identified with undiagnosed high blood pressure through local health department or partners		36
Number of people screened with a hemoglobin A1c through local health department or partners		33
Number of people identified with elevated hemoglobin A1c		9
Number of people screened for diabetes risk factors through local health department or partners		7
Number of people referred to or enrolled in a diabetes prevention program		1
Number of people screened for high cholesterol through local health department or partners		25
Number of people identified with high cholesterol		20
Number of people screened for cancer through local health department activity (breast, colon cancer, etc.)		104
Number of people screened for BMI		128
Number of people identified as having a BMI over 30		87
Number of people referred for chronic disease preventative care		15
Number of people referred for cancer screening		5
Number of people provided for cancer screening		104
Number of people screening positive for food insecurity		1
Number of people referred to a food assistance program		6
Programming (61)		61
Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming		27
Number of seniors participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming		25
Number of cancer risk reduction and prevention programs provided by the LHD		9
Number of adults referrals for clinical care: (88)		88
Hypertension		39
Diabetes		1
Obesity		20
HIV		1
Syphilis		1
Chlamydia		1
Number of individuals referred to insurance navigation or Medicaid/Medicare		25

Child and Adult Immunizations

Total Number of Services Provided: 3,832

Number of children who received immunizations at the local health department or a contractor/partner of the LHD	1,975
Number of adults who received immunizations at the LHD or a contractor/partner of the LHD	1,838
Number of vaccination clinics held off-site of primary LHD location	19

Childhood Lead Screening and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 299

Testing (210)		210
Number of children tested for blood lead level		170
Number of children identified with an elevated blood lead level (EBLL) above 3.5 µg/dL		24
Number of children identified with an EBLL for whom case management was started		16
Home Services (59)		59
Number of homes of children with EBLLs at which the LHD was able to conduct a risk assessment		55
Number of children identified with an EBLL whose homes had an identified lead hazard		4
Education (30)		30
Number of families provided lead education		20
Number of health care providers or early childhood providers given lead testing/lead reduction education		10

Chronic Disease Prevention and Reduction

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,768

Screening and Referrals (1,643)		1,643
Number of people screened for high blood pressure through local health department or partners		1,039
Number of people identified with undiagnosed high blood pressure through local health department or partners		56
Number of people screened with a hemoglobin A1c through local health department or partners		22
Number of people identified with elevated hemoglobin A1c		6
Number of people screened for high cholesterol through local health department or partners		25
Number of people identified with high cholesterol		5
Number of people screened for cancer through local health department activity (breast, colon cancer, etc.)		98
Number of people screened for BMI		198
Number of people identified as having a BMI over 30		74
Number of people referred for chronic disease preventative care		15
Number of people referred for cancer screening		5
Number of people provided for cancer screening		98

Number of people screening positive for food insecurity	1
Number of people referred to a food assistance program	1
Programming (125)	125
Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	71
Number of seniors participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	53
Number of cancer risk reduction and prevention programs provided by the LHD	1
Emergency Preparedness	
Total Number of Services Provided: 1,636	
Number of individuals that received medical countermeasure (vaccine, test, service) during public health related outbreak or emergency	1,010
Number of emergency preparedness drills/exercises conducted between LHD and other preparedness partners	118
Other (508)	508
Other Services Provided:	508
- Emergency preparedness partnerships with Vincennes YMCA, Family Health Clinic, Knox County Sheriff's Department & Knox County Central Dispatch	
- Emergency naloxone administration training for VCSC police officers	
- Rabies record tracking	
Fatality Review (Child, Infant, Fetal, Suicide, Overdose)	
Total Number of Services Provided: 58	
Equipment/Resources (54)	54
Number of infant sleep sacks provided to families	54
Referrals/Screenings (4)	4
Number of childbearing-aged women screened for domestic violence risk	2
Number of childbearing-aged women screened for social determinants of health	2
Infectious Disease Prevention and Control	
Total Number of Services Provided: 439	
Disease Prevention and Control (22)	22
Number of vaccinations given due to disease investigation interviews (e.g., HAV, HBV)	22
Testing (251)	251
Number of people provided HIV testing	47
Number of people provided Hepatitis C testing	57
Number of people provided Syphilis testing	46
Number of people provided Chlamydia testing	36
Number of people provided Gonorrhea testing	65
Referrals and Treatment (100)	100
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for HIV	3
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Hepatitis	69
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Syphilis	2
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Chlamydia	8
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Gonorrhea	3
Number of individuals treated for HCV/HIV/STI (not including Syphilis)	15
Community Outreach (66)	66
Number of people educated on HIV/HCV/STI	66
Maternal and Child Health	
Total Number of Services Provided: 174	
Prenatal Services (up to time of delivery) (9)	9
Number of women provided prenatal services - Mental health/substance use disorder services	3
Number of women provided prenatal services - Immunizations, such as RSV and Tdap	4
Number of women provided prenatal services - Other prenatal services	2
Health and Safety Services (104)	104
Number of people provided safe sleep education	24
Number of people receiving sleep sacks	80
Community Assistance (11)	11
Number of families provided with utility/rent assistance	1
Number of families referred to an insurance navigator or Medicaid	10
Contraception/STIs (47)	47
Number of people provided contraceptive education	40
Number of women tested for STIs/HIV	4
Number of women referred for STI/HIV treatment	2
Number of women treated for STIs/HIV	1
Food and Nutrition (2)	2
Number of families referred or connected to local food pantries	2
Other (1)	1
Other Services Provided:	1
- Baby Safety Shower hosted	
- Referrals to Heart 2 Heart program	
Student Health/School Health Liaison	
Total Number of Services Provided: 4,282	
Screenings (1,436)	1,436
Number of children receiving vision screening through support of liaison	100
Number of children receiving hearing screening through support of liaison	1,173
Number of children receiving oral health screening through support of liaison	163

Education (114)		114
Number of students receiving tobacco and vaping cessation education through LHD/school liaison		114
Number of schools partnering with school liaisons to provide health promotion and education for: (63)		63
Trauma and Injury Prevention		1
Nutrition		14
Physical Activity		31
Child Safety Topics - Bicycle/bike helmet safety		17
Number of schools receiving emergency preparedness education (staff and students): (15)		15
CPR		12
Overdose/naloxone		3
LHD Support (2,382)		2,382
Number of schools stocking emergency medications through LHD/school liaison - Naloxone		4
Number of immunizations given at LHD/Liaison clinics for students/staff		2,378
Number of student support initiatives provided by school (or county) with support of LHD/school liaison: (1)		1
Hygiene Supplies		1
Other (271)		271
Other Services Provided:		
- FitKids nutrition education provided		
- Dental hygiene kits & instructions distributed		
- Coordination of Smiles Program & Mobile Dentists		
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Trauma and Injury Prevention and Education

Total Number of Services Provided: 730

Training/Education (660)		660
Number of people receiving CPR training		433
Number of people educated or trained on water safety (including swim lessons)		100
Number of people educated and/or trained on substance use prevention		127
Equipment (70)		70
Number of bicycle helmets distributed		14
Number of infant sleep sacks provided to families		56

Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 284

Number of people provided TB testing (IGRA or TST)		255
Number of people provided treatment for latent TB infection (LTBI)		3
Number of people provided treatment for TB disease		5
Number of people provided Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) services		6
Number of people supported with food/housing assistance		2
Number of people educated on TB		12
Number of people with a Class B1 TB designation served		1

Vital Records

Total Number of Services Provided: 2,356

Certificates (2,305)		2,305
Number of birth certificates issued by the LHD within jurisdiction		1,147
Number of death certificates issued by the LHD within jurisdiction		1,158
Number of other vital record services performed (7)		7
Paternity - (All Types)		7
Other (44)		44
Other Services Provided:		
- Birth & death certificates issued, including out-of-county		
- Paternity affidavits processed		
- Death certificate reprints provided		
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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