

Core Public Health Services Activity Summary**Ripley County**

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

Total Number of Services Provided (All Core Services): 7,259

Population: 29,227

Access and Linkage to Clinical Care**Total Number of Services Provided: 362****Screening and Referrals (6)**

Number of people screened for diabetes risk factors through local health department or partners	2
Number of people referred to or enrolled in a diabetes prevention program	1
Number of individuals with asthma who receive an in-home trigger assessment	2
Number of people referred for chronic disease preventative care	1

Number of pediatric referrals for clinical care: (3)

Mental Health Services	2
General	1

Number of adults referrals for clinical care: (2)

Mental Health Services	2
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Other (351)

Other Services Provided:	
- Participation in MIH program	
- Maternal and child health services and lead screenings provided	351

Child and Adult Immunizations**Total Number of Services Provided: 989**

Number of children who received immunizations at the local health department or a contractor/partner of the LHD	704
Number of adults who received immunizations at the LHD or a contractor/partner of the LHD	273
Number of vaccination clinics held off-site of primary LHD location	11

Other (1)

Other Services Provided:	
- Emergency vaccine plan created (review of emergency vaccine plan performed with creation of offsite vaccine fridge and monitoring)	1

Childhood Lead Screening and Case Management**Total Number of Services Provided: 75**

Testing (23)	
Number of children tested for blood lead level	3
Number of children identified with an elevated blood lead level (EBLL) above 3.5 µg/dL	10
Number of children identified with an EBLL for whom case management was started	10
Education (52)	
Number of families provided lead education	52

Chronic Disease Prevention and Reduction**Total Number of Services Provided: 265**

Programming (233)	
Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	233
Other (32)	
Other Services Provided:	
- Partnership with aging council to implement an enhanced wellness program for Ripley County	32
- ServSafe trainings funded	

Emergency Preparedness**Total Number of Services Provided: 123**

Number of emergency preparedness drills/exercises conducted between LHD and other preparedness partners	23
Other (100)	
Other Services Provided:	

- Partnership with 911 agency to provide PULSEPOINT to residents of Ripley County	100
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Fatality Review (Child, Infant, Fetal, Suicide, Overdose)**Total Number of Services Provided: 422**

Education (14)	
Number of people trained in an evidence-based suicide prevention training (QPR, ASIST, MHFA, etc.)	5
Number of people educated about 988 and crisis resources	9
Community Support (1)	
Number of certified peer recovery coaches in county with support of LHD	1
Other (407)	
Other Services Provided:	
- BLMR, SOFR, Fatality Review, Leading Cause of Death, Suicide Prevention Coalition and related meetings	407

Infectious Disease Prevention and Control**Total Number of Services Provided: 656**

Disease Prevention and Control (16)	
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	3
Number of vaccinations given due to disease investigation interviews (e.g., HAV, HBV)	1

Testing (56)	
Number of people provided HIV testing	11
Number of people provided Hepatitis C testing	10
Number of people provided Syphilis testing	11
Number of people provided Chlamydia testing	12
Number of people provided Gonorrhea testing	12

Referrals and Treatment (18)	
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Hepatitis	9
Number of individuals treated for HCV/HIV/STI (not including Syphilis)	9

Community Outreach (9)	
Number of people educated on HIV/HCV/STI	9

Other (557)	
Other Services Provided:	
- Bathing beach inspection	
- Semi-public/ public pool inspections	
- Housing/apartment—investigation of roaches and mice	
- Mosquito trappings and rabies testing performed on bat	
- Septic inspections and wastewater overflow/well water testing	

Maternal and Child Health

Total Number of Services Provided: 994

Prenatal Services (up to time of delivery) (240)	
Number of women referred to prenatal care	60
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition education	60
Number of women provided prenatal services - Nutrition support	60
Number of women provided prenatal services - Other prenatal services	60

Postpartum Services (following delivery) (2)	
Number of women referred to breastfeeding education or support	1
Number of people provided with parenting classes/education	1

Health and Safety Services (290)	
Number of people receiving child car safety seats	14
Number of child car safety seats provided	14
Number of car safety seat inspections provided	14
Number of people provided safe sleep education	96
Number of people receiving sleep sacks	76
Number of cribs provided by LHD or partner	76

Community Assistance (5)	
Number of referrals to housing supports or resources	1
Number of families provided with utility/rent assistance	1
Number of families screened or referred to developmental services, such as First Steps	1
Number of families referred to home visiting services, such as a home visiting program	2

Food and Nutrition (7)	
Number of women referred to WIC	5
Number of families referred or connected to local food pantries	2

Other (450)	
Other Services Provided:	450
- Education provided to third graders about health, bugs and grain bin safety	

Student Health/School Health Liaison

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,437

Screenings (100)	
Number of children receiving vision screening through support of liaison	50
Number of children receiving hearing screening through support of liaison	50

Education (1,200)	
Number of students receiving tobacco and vaping cessation education through LHD/school liaison	1200

Number of schools partnering with school liaisons to provide health promotion and education for: (8)	
Child Safety Topics - Safe Sleep	3
Child Safety Topics - Car Seat Safety	1
Child Safety Topics - Water Safety	2
Child Safety Topics - First Aid	2

Number of schools receiving emergency preparedness education (staff and students): (2)	
CPR	2

Other (127)	
Other Services Provided:	127
- Drug awareness and healthy lifestyle education initiative	
- Lice outbreak response (information and treatment provided)	

Tobacco Prevention and Cessation

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,204

Number of youth provided education on the harms of vaping	1200
Number of schools providing vaping prevention education through local health department/school liaison	4

Trauma and Injury Prevention and Education

Total Number of Services Provided: 426

Training/Education (409)	
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Number of people educated in fall prevention and home remedied for fall risks	9
Number of seniors participating in activities related to fall prevention	400
Referrals (16)	
Number of people referred/linked to substance use/mental health treatment	16
Other (1)	
Other Services Provided:	
- Medication disposal box provided to the community	1
Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Case Management	
Total Number of Services Provided: 306	
Number of people provided TB testing (IGRA or TST)	165
Number of people provided treatment for latent TB infection (LTBI)	2
Number of people educated on TB	139

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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