

Core Public Health Services Activity Summary

Starke 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): 980

Population: 23,206

Child and Adult Immunizations

Total Number of Services Provided: 77

Number of children who received immunizations at the local health department or a contractor/partner of the LHD	75
Number of adults who received immunizations at the LHD or a contractor/partner of the LHD	2

Childhood Lead Screening and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 33

Testing (19)	
Number of children identified with an elevated blood lead level (EBLL) above 3.5 µg/dL	12
Number of children identified with an EBLL for whom case management was started	7
Home Services (2)	
Number of homes of children with EBLLs at which the LHD was able to conduct a risk assessment	2
Education (12)	
Number of families provided lead education	8
Number of health care providers or early childhood providers given lead testing/lead reduction education	4

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

Total Number of Services Provided: 18

Referrals/Screenings (12)	
Number of individuals connected to grief and bereavement resources	12
Community Support (6)	
Number of schools in county with evidence-based anti-bullying programs and groups that support student mental health (e.g., Bring Change to Mind)	6

Infectious Disease Prevention and Control

Total Number of Services Provided: 18

Referrals and Treatment (12)	
Number of referrals to counseling and/or care for Hepatitis	12
Community Outreach (6)	
Number of people educated on HIV/HCV/STI	6

Maternal and Child Health

Total Number of Services Provided: 44

Health and Safety Services (40)	
Number of people receiving child car safety seats	16
Number of child car safety seats provided	24
Food and Nutrition (3)	
Number of women referred to WIC	3
Other (1)	
Other Services Provided: - STD/pregnancy testing provided - Referrals to prenatal care - Car seat safety inspections	1

Trauma and Injury Prevention and Education

Total Number of Services Provided: 684

Training/Education (60)	
Number of people receiving Stop the Bleed training	60
Equipment (544)	
Number of child car seats distributed	24
Number of firearm locks provided to families	400
Number of infant sleep sacks provided to families	100
Number of portable cribs provided to families	20
Referrals (20)	
Number of people referred/linked to substance use/mental health treatment	20
Other (60)	
Other Services Provided: - Distributed emergency go-bags	60

Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 106

Number of people provided TB testing (IGRA or TST)	91
Number of people provided treatment for latent TB infection (LTBI)	3
Number of people provided Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) services	3
Number of people educated on TB	9

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.

Data is current as of 1/14/2025 10:30AM