Annual Snapshot 2021



A Message from the Health Officer:

This year marks the halfway point in the Department of Health's four-year strategic plan. The plan was designed to reduce the burden of suffering due to preventable conditions. Priority goals in the plan included controlling the spread of SARS-CoV-2; meeting all statutory requirements; addressing social factors that influence health; reducing health disparities and promoting health equity; and enabling datadriven, evidence-based solutions. The Department is on-track to meet each of these goals.

The Department's effort to control SARS-CoV-2 and mitigate its effects continued throughout 2021. With the help of hundreds of volunteers and staff members from every departmental unit, the Department created and implemented a highly successful mass immunization clinic at St. Hedwig Memorial Center. The clinic at Hedwig, which later transitioned to the County City Building, provided an opportunity for every age-eligible resident of the county to protect themselves against the virus. The Department's daily COVID metrics, COVID dashboard, recommendations, and frequent communications provided all residents the opportunity to make informed choices regarding ways to reduce viral transmission and protect vulnerable members of our community.

The Health Equity, Epidemiology and Data (HEED) Unit took a major step forward when it competed successfully for a \$3 million grant from the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) to deploy a team of eight Community Health Workers (CHWs) to reduce health disparities and improve the health of the community, particularly in census tracts with the highest social vulnerability indices in the county. The CHWs collaborate with many community organizations, administer COVID-19 testing, perform and respond to social needs assessments, and assist county residents to obtain health insurance. The CHWs also promote lead awareness and prevention and assist with lead case management.

The Environmental, Food Services, and Vital Records units remained open to the public throughout the pandemic, issuing permits and certificates, doing inspections, and responding to citizens' concerns. Emergency Preparedness unit played a key role in establishing and maintaining the COVID vaccination clinics. The Department's outreach to unhoused individuals and their congregate spaces mitigated the impact of COVID 19 and responded to other needs of that population.

Though the strategic plan will continue to guide the Department's activities for the next couple of years, we will also draft and present a comprehensive community plan to address opioid use disorder. The HOPE unit will have the lead responsibility for this additional goal. It is prompted by the increase in deaths due to drug overdoses in the county over the last four years.

Despite numerous challenges and the impact of the political polarization in our country on public health, the staff of the St. Joseph County Department of Health performed admirably throughout the year. I am proud to be associated with them, and the residents of the county owe each and every one of them a debt of gratitude.

Respectfully,

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Our Organization



OUR VISION

Healthy People in a Healthy St. Joseph County

OUR MISSION

To promote physical and mental health and facilitate the prevention of disease, injury, and disability for all St. Joseph County residents

Board of Health

The Board of Health advocates for the department's mission, ensures a program plan to address population needs, evaluates the department's effectiveness, hires and evaluates the Health Officer, and provides financial stewardship.

Board of Health 2021:

President: Heidi Beidinger-Burnett, PhD, MPH Vice President: Jason Marker, MD

Board Members: Ilana Kirsch, MD; John Linn; Michelle Migliore, MD; Jamie Shoemaker, MD; Emily Dean

Attorney: Marcellus Lebbin

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Health Officer Robert M. Einterz M.D.

The Health Officer is the chief executive of the department of health. Dr. Einterz was appointed health officer in February 2020.



Deputy Health Officer

Mark D. Fox, M.D., PhD, MPH

The Health Officer is the chief executive of the department of health. Dr. Fox was appointed deputy health officer in 2018. His priority areas are lead, infant mortality, immunizations, health equity, and health promotion.

Administration

Health Officer – Robert M. Einterz, M.D.
Deputy Health Officer – Mark D. Fox, M.D., PhD, MPH
Executive Administrative Assistant – Jennifer Parcell
Administrator/Finance Manager – Amy Ruppe
Special Projects Officer — Christine Hinz

Our Organization: Units and Staff







Environmental Health

Director—Mark Espich Assistant Director—Brett Davis Administrative Assistant—Pam Thompson Staff Assistant—LaTeesha Wright Environmental Health Specialists — Allison Zandarski; Briannah McCall; David Ekkens; Jeff Murawski; Jessica Dilling; Josiah Hartman; Kara Dishman; Patrick Sovinski, Sarah Miitchell

Nursing

Public Health Nursing Director—Nancy Pemberton Immunizations Director—Neiko Rust Registrars—Connie Wawrzyniak; Danielle Sims, Paula Sulentic, Ana Otero-Torres Billings Clerk—Carol Frazee Immunization Nurses—Aaron Fox; Abigail Maxwell; Carla Dawson

Public Health Nurses—Danielle Laskowski; Jan Boyk; Lauren Gunderson; Lori Montgomery; Summer Murdock

Outreach Coordinator—Shelley Chaffee

Health Outreach, **Promotion, & Education**

Director—Robin Vida Health Promotion Specialists— Kristen Sachman Sarah Zepeda Maternal/Infant Health Coordinator—Sally







Food Services

Director—Carolyn Smith Assistant Director—Karen Flanigan Administrative Assistant—Renata Williams Staff Assistant—Sharyl Smith Food Service Specialists—Audrey Funk; Jacob Parcell; Lynette Wesby; Melissa Papp; Susan Burnett, Shayla Kimbrough

Vital Records

Director—Ericka Tijerina Assistant Director—Denise Kingsberry Registrars-Angelica Macedo Katie Mesaros Kimyon Woods-Holt

Emergency Preparedness

Public Health Coordinator-Paul Burrows



Health Equity, **Epidemiology**, & Data

Director—Cassy White, MPH Social Worker—Taylor Martin, LCSW Community Health Workers — Jael Jackson, Jonathan Carmona, Jackie Lopez, Jen Gonzalez, Kim Dreibelbeis, LaShawna Love, Melissa Elissetche, Savannah Hardy, TaKisha Jacobs, Veronica Escobedo

Public Health Fellows- Frank Spesia, Juan Esteban Baus, Mary Mumbi

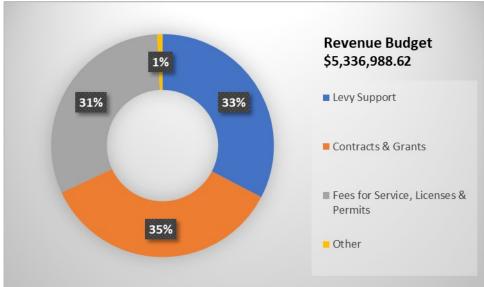


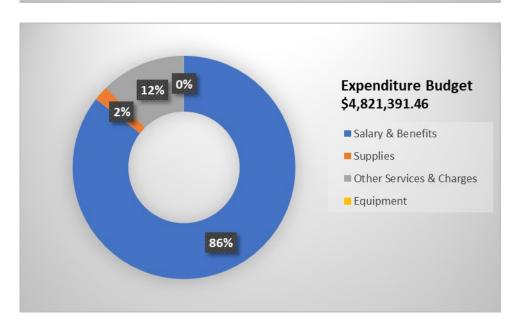
Congregate Outreach

Congregate Outreach Coordinator—Harry Gilbride

Financials







Environmental Health



CAMP MILLHOUSE

The Environmental Health Unit worked with the Indiana Onsite Wastewater Professionals Association to help get Camp Millhouse a new septic system for their lodge and other buildings. Camp Millhouse is a non profit residential summer camp for children and adults of all ages with varying disabilities. All of the materials and labor were donated, and contractors from across Indiana helped install their new system. The installation began in October of 2020 and was completed in April of 2021 in time for camp season.

PERMITS

Septic system and well drilling permits accounted for 938 of the 1,310 permits issued by the Environmental Health Unit. The remainder are comprised of massage therapy facilities and practitioners, solid waste, tattoo and body piercing facilities and practitioners, and burn permits.

VECTOR CONTROL

The Department of Health's Vector Control program expanded this year to include significant Eastern Equine Encephalitis surveillance as well as a collaboration with the University of Notre Dame. In total, 26,015 mosquitoes were split among 455 pools to be tested for West Nile Virus, Eastern Equine Encephalitis, and LaCrosse Virus. The Department of Health tested 119 of those pools via in-house RAMP testing, while the remaining 336 were sent to the Indiana State Department of Health for PCR testing. St. Joseph County accounted for 18% of all mosquitoes tested in the entire state of Indiana in 2021. There were 22 positive West Nile Virus pools, and 1 human West Nile Virus case (non-fatal).

NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

- Conducted 68 lead risk assessments
- Conducted 1,059 septic inspections/ consultations
- Conducted 114 wellhead protection area inspections
- Conducted 38 routine massage establishment inspections and 28 tattoo/body piercing establishments
- 706 complaint responses regarding housing:
 - Pests
 - Cleanliness
 - Water shutoff
 - Waste disposal
- Processed 5,884 property transfer applications

Nursing



IMMUNIZATIONS

The Immunization Unit played a key role in bringing up a mass COVID-19 immunization clinic at St. Hedwig Memorial Center. The clinic ensured that all residents of the County had the opportunity to get vaccinated against COVID-19. With the support of hundreds of volunteers, the clinic was one of the most productive immunization clinics in the State of Indiana. By the end of the 2021, the immunization team had immunized more residents of SJC than any other single provider in the county.

Though the COVID immunization clinic at St. Hedwig required the closure of the routine immunization clinic on the 9th floor of the County-City building, the Department continued to provide all residents of the County the opportunity to receive routine immunizations at the Mishawaka clinic and in various mobile clinics throughout the year.

TUBERCULOSIS (TB)

Tuberculosis, if left untreated, is a deadly disease. Though the prevalence of TB in the county is much less now compared to decades ago, it continues to pose a threat to the health of our community. Department of Health nurses cared for multiple individuals infected with tuberculosis during the last year, providing directly observed therapy in-person or by video chat for cases of latent and active disease.

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING

The Public Health Nurses (PHNs) investigated 597 communicable disease cases, with Hepatitis C being our top reportable disease, followed by Hepatitis B. In addition, the PHNs managed 598 animal bites for the year. PHNs also performed lead case management and monitoring throughout the year.

NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

- Mobile clinics conducted: 42
- Immunizations provided: 89,818
- Number of unique individuals vaccinated: 45,927
- Active TB case management: 12
- TB nurse visits: 249
- Directly observed therapies (DOT) visits by TB nurses: 1,879
- Lead managed cases (>10ug/dL): 38
- Lead Monitoring Cases (5 to 9.9ug/dL): 116

Health Outreach Promotion and Education



COVID-19 RESPONSE The HOPE team played a critical role in the COVID-19 vaccine rollout, including recruitment, support, and scheduling of hundreds of volunteers; managing clinic logistics; nurturing morale of clinic workers; and, informing the public.

MENTAL HEALTH (SUBSTANCE USE & SUICIDE PREVENTION)

The HOPE team distributed Narcan to multiple sites and partners throughout 2021; hosted an intern who developed an outline of a comprehensive community plan to address opioid use disorder; participated on the Suicide and Overdose Fatality Review Team and shared recommendations with community partners; and, performed asset mapping for suicide prevention to gain a better understanding of the existing system.

MATERNAL/INFANT HEALTH The HOPE team received several grant awards that supported:

- The department's efforts to review all fetal and infant deaths in the county and share recommendations with relevant partners and the community
- The first ever Birth Equity Conference (planned for 2022)
- A birth equity luncheon for the First Ladies of the Church and female Clergy
- Collaboration with the National Birth Equity Collaborative to begin a birth equity assessment and workplan

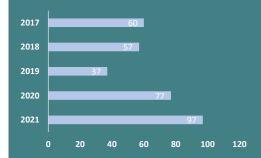
The team also participated with elected officials to address legislation that would impact pregnant workers.

CREATING A CULTURE OF PUBLIC HEALTH Working with a local team of documentary artists, the HOPE team developed a video highlighting some of the critical work of the Department of Health.

Numbers at a Glance

- 26 community events
- 1,800 doses of naloxone distributed to community partners and members
- Collaborated with the SJC public library to host a 3part COVID-19 vaccine Series virtually to over 200 community members

Over Dose Deaths



Food Services



FOOD SERVICES Food inspectors prevent food borne illnesses, promote safe food handling practices and protect consumers from unsafe food. In 2021, the Unit performed unannounced inspections for 1725 permitted entities to evaluate food handling practices and assess compliance with state and local regulations. The major goals of inspection are to educate and advise food handlers and enforce regulations. Recognizing that observations made during an inspection may be different from one day to the next, we also review past inspection reports and the establishment's records, and observe and interview workers to reach an accurate assessment of an establishments understanding of and compliance with food safety and sanitation requirements.

TEMPORARY EVENTS As the pandemic eased, SJC saw a significant increase in the temporary events in 2021. Total event inspections increased from 100 in 2020 to 388 in 2021. Festivals, the 4H County Fair, sporting events and food truck vendors all returned to welcoming crowds and long lines.

AQUATICS While the Indiana Department of Homeland Security reviews and approves construction of new pools, food staff were responsible for conducting annual inspections. The food staff offer consultations to pool operators regarding correct signage, life saving equipment, pool chemistry and sanitary facilities. Inspections are conducted based on Indiana State Public and Semi-Public Pools Rule 410 IAC 6-21. We conducted 170 pool inspections in 2021 compared to the 97 inspections in 2020. Inspections are performed by a Certified Pool/Spa Operator (CPO). In 2021, two staff gained new certification credentials and one staff renewed their credentials), bringing the total CPOs in the Food Services Unit to four.

NUMBERS AT A GLANCE

Service complaints: 218

Food store complaints: 39

Perfect inspections certificates: 513

Abatement correspondence:

Opening inspections: 171

Retail inspections: 2172

Temporary events: 305

Temporary inspections: 388

Possible food borne illness

investigations: 15

Smoking complaints: 5

Fire investigations: 9

Pool inspections: 170

Pool consultations: 1

Pool complaints: 5

Pools closed: 78

Vital Records Unit



BACKGROUND

St. Joseph County Vital Records Unit provides services for birth and death events that occurred in the county. Our office offers the ability to establish paternity in office, make corrections to birth records, record legal name and gender changes, and a variety of other maintenance services. We conveniently offer two locations for services in South Bend and Mishawaka.

DATABASE UPDATE

On January 1, 2021 The Indiana State Department of Health introduced a new software for vital records utilization, Database Registration of Indiana's Vital Events (DRIVE). Early stages of the migration caused some delays in vital record functions for the entire state of Indiana at the local and state levels. St. Joseph County was a leader in finding opportunity and solutions within this new system for ourselves and other neighboring counties.

Numbers at a Glance

Total births: 4,092

Total deaths: 3,385

Births records Issued: 17,317

Deaths records Issued: 20,263

Corrections/ amendments: 50

Correction/ amendment Copy: 1

Paternities: 72

Paternity copy: 175

Emergency Preparedness Unit



EMERGENCY PREPARDNESS

The Public Health Coordinator participated in District 2 Local Health Department meetings and facilitated Emergency Support Function (ESF8) quarterly call downs. Part of all new Department of Health employee onboarding includes an emergency preparedness orientation. The Coordinator revamped and improved this orientation for staff. This Unit spends time ensuring the Emergency Training and Exercise Plan and Emergency Operations Plan stays up to date.

COVID-19 VACCINE CLINIC

By January 2021, preparation for a mass COVID-19 vaccine clinic was set at Hedwig Memorial Center. This unit played point on procuring the agreement between parties. The Public Health Coordinator helped organize and set up the most efficient and effective way for community members to receive their COVID-19 vaccine. In partnership with the Nursing Unit, the Coordinator helped design and purchase a new mobile clinic to expand Department of Health services into the community. The Coordinator continued to monitor PPE supplies and reorder as needed for all field and clinic Department of Health staff.

- Ordered over 3,000 rapid COVID-19 tests for community
- Facilitated monthly emergency support meetings
- Over 8,000 PPE supplies (gloves, masks, hand sanitizer, etc) for stocked for Department of Health staff or community partners

Health Equity, Epidemiology, & Data

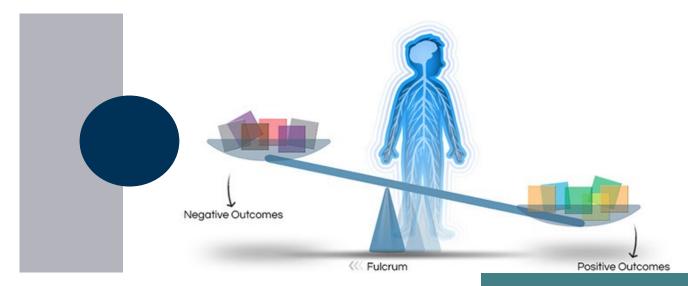


Community Health Workers (CHWs) The HEED Unit competed successfully for a \$3 million grant from the CDC to deploy a team of eight CHWs to reduce health disparities and improve the health of the community. The CHWs work primarily in census tracts with the highest social vulnerability indices in the county. Having begun the year with just two CHWs, by year's end the Department had recruited and hired nine more CHWs. Two of the eleven CHWs were promoted to the CHW Coordinator role. The CHWs collaborate with many community organizations, administer COVID-19 testing, perform needs assessments, connect residents to community resources, and assist residents to obtain health insurance. The CHWs also promote lead awareness and prevention and assist with lead case management. Eight CHWs completed their CHW certification through Health Visions Midwest, and nine CHWs passed the Indiana Insurance Navigation exam. Throughout 2022, the CHWs will host Insurance Navigation Clinics and Health Cafés in neighborhoods throughout SJC. The Health Cafés are designed to improve health literacy and empower county residents to take a more active role in improving their own health and the health of their communities.

Data Analysis and Reporting Throughout 2021, the HEED Unit collected, analyzed, and reported data pertinent to the health conditions and problems affecting the county. The HEED Unit informed departmental leadership and elected officials, enabling them to discern appropriate policy and recommendations. HEED's Daily COVID metrics and the COVID dashboard enabled community members to make informed choices.

- Conducted 182 Needs Assessments
- Lead Referrals: 102
- 59 Children Received Lead Test after CHW home visit
- Hosted 10 Daycare **Lead Screening Events**
- Provided insurance assistance to 17 St. Joseph County Residents
- Provided 620 COVID tests to community members in partnership with La Casa de Amistad
- Created the first Burden of Disease report for St. Joseph County

Health Equity, Epidemiology, & Data



Adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) are traumatic events that occur in childhood such as experiencing violence, abuse, or neglect; witnessing violence in the home or community; and having a family member attempt or die by suicide. Also included are events that undermine a child's sense of safety, stability, and bonding, such as growing up in a household with substance use problems, mental illness, or instability due to parental separation or household members being in jail or prison. ACEs are linked to chronic health problems, mental illness, and substance use problems in adulthood. Preventing ACEs could reduce many health conditions (CDC, ACEs fast facts).

The HEED Unit's ACEs work focused on three areas in 2021: outreach, research, and clinical partnerships. ACEs outreach aims to improve the county's understanding of ACEs, and to identify opportunities for organizations to align around a shared goal of ACE prevention. ACEs research aims to ensure that new opportunities for ACE prevention and public health responses to ACEs are identified, and that our ACE prevention efforts are grounded in research and best practices. Clinical partnerships focus on developing relationships with local physicians to incorporate ACEs science into their practices. Clinical partnerships are centered primarily on improving individual patient health outcomes through a trauma informed approach. Preventing ACEs is a multifaceted problem that requires the careful attention of a broad group of stakeholders. Our efforts in 2021 focused on identifying immediate areas of impact and developing relationships with community partners that will inform future collaborative efforts for ACE prevention.

- Provided 10 ACEs Training
- Conducted 3 focus groups with community partners to determine Department of Health's role in ACEs response
- Created a public health response to ACEs
- Developed relationships with 19 community partners

Caring For Unhoused Individuals



CONGREGATE OUTREACH COORDINATOR

The Congregate Outreach Coordinator, a new position in 2021, addresses the health needs of unhoused individuals and individuals residing in congregate living facilities such as homeless shelters and in-patient rehabilitation centers. The Congregate Outreach Coordinator assisted in establishing quarantine and isolation spaces and protocols; monitored individuals in quarantine; and worked with community health partners to roll out COVID-19 vaccine and testing to shelters, in-patient rehab, and soup kitchens.

COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

In the face of COVID-19 pandemic, the Congregate Outreach Coordinator worked with community partners to collaborate and leverage shared resources. He collaborated with the Continuum of Care (a consortium of shelters, in-patient rehab facilities, soup kitchens and other service providers) and community healthcare centers to improve the health of unhoused individuals.

WASH WEDNESDAYS

Wash Wednesdays is a program created in partnership with Burton's Laundry where every other Wednesday unhoused individuals can wash their clothes free of charge. Burton's Laundry invites individuals into the facility to utilize the Laundry's washers, dryers, and detergent at no charge. The Congregate Outreach Coordinator manages and monitors this program for the Department and for the owner of Burton's Laundry. This program has been extremely successful with over 3,800 loads of laundry washed in 2021.

- Vaccinated over 450 unhoused individuals in partnership with Healthlinc
- Washed over 3,828 loads of laundry in partnership with Burton's Laundry
- Provided 311 COVID tests to unhoused individuals

Annexes:

Environmental Health

Work Activities	YTD 2019	YTD 2020	YTD 2021					
SEPT	TIC PROGRAM							
Residentia	al - New Construction							
A. Inspections	236	154	180					
B. Consultations	11	16	29					
Residen	tial - Replacement							
A. Inspections	766	871	683					
B. Consultations	23	53	87					
Commercial								
A. Inspections	20	30	12					
B. Consultations	2	8	6					
C. Cluster System Inspections	2	5	18					
Abandonments without Replacements	20	130	44					
Permit Applications Received	532	758	589					
Permits Issued	464	609	495					
Public Information Events	0	2	3					
SUBDIV	ISION PROGRAM							
A. Health Officer Reports	28	40	48					
B. Subdivision Reviews	35	56	55					
C. Rezoning and Replat Reviews	9	8	10					
WELLI	HEAD PROGRAM							
A. Inspections Performed	174	125	114					
	RILLING PROGRAM							
Residential	ILLING I ROGRAM							
A. Inspections	170	209	281					
B. Well Abandonments	185	247	314					
	Commercial	<i>≥</i> T /	V17					
A. Inspections	2	1	1					
B. Well Abandonment Inspections	6	4	4					
•	v Construction							
A. Permit Applications Received	120	65	97					
B. Permits Issued	110	69	95					
Replacement Permits Issued	234	270	304					
Public Information Events	1	0	0					

Work Activities	YTD 2019	YTD 2020	YTD 2021
SOURCE	E WATER PROGRAM		
A. Phase I Inquiries	147	124	191
B. Spill Responses	2	4	1
C. Meth Lab Occurrence Response	1	0	0
D. Other Source Water Inspections	36	13	16
SURFAC	E WATER PROGRAM	[
A. Surface Water Sampling	0	0	0
LE	AD PROGRAM		
A. HUD Lead Inspections	3	6	7
B. Lead Risk Assessments	89	56	68
EBLL Assessments	25	22	20
Parent Request	64	34	48
C. Clearances	38	24	23
D. Off-site Meetings	27	5	0
E. Public Information Events	28	1	1
D. Children Tested for Lead Levels*	4446	3560	3286
CA	AFO PROGRAM	•	
A. Inspections Performed	0	0	0
AIR OI	UALITY PROGRAM		
A. Indoor Air Quality Investigations	0	1	0
B. Mold Investigations	1	6	0
-	TOR PROGRAM		
A. Inspections Performed	18	24	35
B. Sites Treated	6	17	9
C. Traps Collected	29	212	275
D. ISDH Submissions	14	125	323
E. Public Information Events	2	2	8
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A. Initial Complaints	OMES PROGRAM (In	152	202
No Water	34	48	37
Garbage/Food Waste	50	40	57
Feces	18	33	37
Rodents/Cockroaches	30	31	71
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A. Follow-up Complaints	172	192	161
No Water	44	90	60
Garbage/Food Waste	74	49	58
Feces	20	45	26
Rodents/Cockroaches	34	25	17
B. Dwellings Declared Unfit	20	13	22

Work Activities	YTD 2019	YTD 2020	YTD 2021
N	MASSAGE		
A. Establishment Inspections	64	70	78
TATTOO/BODY	Y PIERCING PRO	OGRAM	
A. Inspections Performed	23	28	38
COMPLAINTS / INVESTIGATIONS			
A. Garbage/Food Waste (Outside)	67	93	64
B. Sewage	81	111	96
C. Water (ditches, lakes, ponds & swells)	7	4	8
D. Motels/Hotels	3	7	5
E. Burning	10	26	17
F. Other	80	82	153
ABATEMENT LETTERS			
A. Abatement Letters Sent	147	174	341
B. Immediate Threat to Public Health Letters			
Sent	3	4	8
C. Order to Vacate/Condemn Letter Sent	24	12	31
D. Impending Legal Action Letters Sent	10	22	35

^{*} Due to time lag of State Database System, the Lead testing numbers are one month behind.

Finance

Overview of Revenue and Expenditures

	2019	2020	2021
County Health Fund Revenue	\$3,212,625.94	\$3,048,961.68	\$3,468,867.48
County-Wide Lead Initiative Revenue	\$200,500.00	\$200,000.00	\$0
Grant Revenue	\$383,616.76	\$396,887.39	\$1,868,121.14
TOTAL REVENUE	\$3,796,742.70	\$3,645,849.07	\$5,336,988.62
County Health Fund Expenditures	\$3,197,108.61	\$3,100,681.85	\$3,518,924.87
County-Wide Lead Initiative Expenditures	\$6,663.10	\$21,257.55	\$135,357.88
Grant Expenditures	\$417,348.05	\$695,717.04	\$1,167,108.71
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$3,621,119.76	\$3,817,656.44	\$4,821,391.46

Food Services

Food Division	2019	2020	2021
Complaints - Food Service	192	396	218
Complaints - Food Store	18	99	39
Certificates of Perfect Inspection	541	380	513
Abatement Correspondence	51	13	19
Health Officer Hearings	1	0	4
Number of Opening Inspections	170	113	171
Retail Inspections Completed	2620	2798	2172
Establishments Ordered to Cease Operations	3	0	2
Temporary Events	262	261	305
Temporary Inspections	748	115	388
Possible Food Borne Illness Investigations	6	5	15
Smoking Complaints	0	7	5
Fire Investigations	10	2	9
Pool Information			
Number of Inspections	149	97	170
Consultations	16	32	1
Pool Complaints	2	3	5
Closings	43	42	78
Staff Development			
Meetings and Trainings (Total in Hours)	209.5	***	***

^{***} Information not tracked in this format due to reporting system change.

Health Outreach, Promotion, and Education (HOPE)

	20	19	20	20	202	1
TOPIC	School (K-College)	Adults	School (K-College)	Adults	School (PreK-College)	Adults
Wellness	356	57	8	9	10	1
Substance Abuse Prevention	0	8	0	4	3	2
Communicable Disease	2	11	0	3	0	4
Reproductive Health	74	0	17	1	2	0
Chronic Disease	0	2	0	0	0	0

TOTAL	510 (10,167)	41 (710)	22 (3,309)	٦
presentations(participants)				

Total Number of Events

(i.e. Health Fairs, Community Events, etc.)

	2019	2020	2021
	75	32	33
# of Participants	29,001	689	4,190

stEvents and educational programs were limited due to staff assisting with COVID-19 vaccine roll-out and clinic operations.*

Nursing

Immunizations			
Description	2019	2020	2021
COVID-J&J	0	0	47
COVID-Moderna	0	0	20612
COVID-Pfizer 5-11	0	0	2771
COVID-Pfizer 12+	0	0	61263
DTaP	139	95	119
DTaP-HepB-IPV	191	97	141
DTaP-HIB-IPV	0	21	0
DTaP-IPV	87	65	96
HPV9	594	637	606
Adult Hepatitis A	529	116	59
Pediatric Hepatitis A	582	503	455
Adult Hep A & B	48	17	24
Pediatric Hepatitis B	101	50	82
Adult Hepatitis B	75	40	57
Hib (PRP-OMP)	209	124	159
IPV	195	126	165
Influenza, Injectable, Quadrivalent, Preservative Free*	0	802	585
Influenza, live, intranasal, quadravalent*	0	104	85
influenza, high-dose, quadrivalent*	0	39	62
Adult Influenza*	446	0	0
Pediatric Influenza*	500	0	0
MMR	240	147	153
MMRV	192	119	191
Meningococcal B, OMV (Bexsero)	333	456	319
Meningococcal MCV4O	625	675	649
Pneumococcal conjugate PCV13	235	150	168
Td Adult, Preservative Free	60	36	28
Tdap	637	441	567
PPSV 23	5	3	11
rotavirus, monovalent	82	43	42
typhoid, VICPs	70	17	50
typhoid, oral	59	22	0
varicella	219	156	169
yellow fever	0	0	65
zoster recombinant	13	22	18
TOTAL VACCINES	6530	5198	89818
TOTAL PATIENTS SEEN	2843	2252	45927

^{*}Influenza vaccine manufacturer Department of Health uses was approved for 6 month indication in 2020

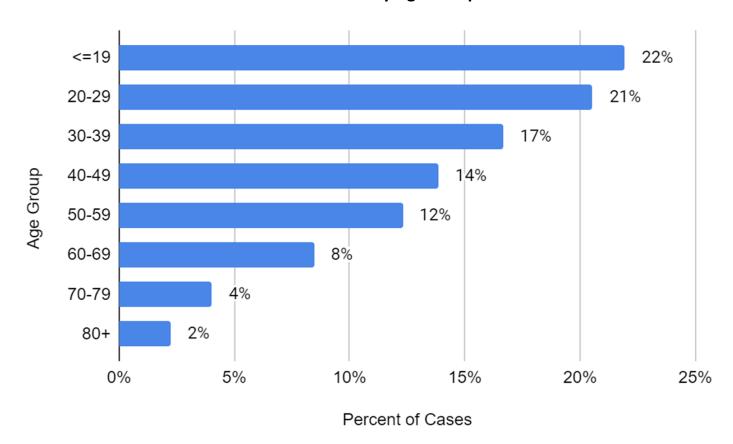
Tuberculosis				
	2019	2020	2021	
TST Placed	448	361	338	
TST Positive	17	11	5	
Active Cases	7	5	12	

Communicable Disease Surveillance						
	20	19	20	20	20)21
Condition	Started	Confirmed	Started	Confirmed	Started	Confirmed
2019 Novel Coronavirus	0	0	33274	22140	0	0
Anaplasmosis	<5	0	<5	<5	<5	0
Animal Bites	752	752	598	598	752	752
Babesiosis	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Botulism (Infant) *	0	0	<5	0	0	0
Campylobacteriosis	83	20	49	35	83	20
Candida auris, clinical	0	0	<5	<5	0	0
Carbapenemase producing-						
Carbapenem resistant (CP-CRE)	15	7	8	<5	15	7
Coccidioidomycosis	0	0	<5	<5	0	0
Cryptococcus neoformans	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5
Cryptosporidiosis	7	6	10	5	7	6
Dengue	<5	0	<5	<5	<5	0
EEE (Encephalitis)	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Ehrlichiosis	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Giardiasis	9	9	14	12	9	9
Hemophilus influenza, inva-						
sive disease	8	5	5	<5	8	5
Hepatitis A - Acute	14	<5	37	0	14	<5
Hepatitis B - Chronic	50	8	33	9	50	8
Hepatitis B - Acute	5	<5	<5	<5	5	<5
Hepatitis C – Perinatal	<5	0	<5	0	<5	0
Hepatitis C – Acute	<5	<5	7	<5	<5	<5
Hepatitis C – Chronic	168	77	208	79	168	77
Hepatitis E	<5	0	<5	0	<5	0
Histoplasmosis	12	<5	16	<5	12	<5
Influenza -Associated Deaths	6	6	<5	<5	6	6
Legionellosis	22	12	15	7	22	12
Listeriosis	0	0	<5	<5	0	0
Lyme Disease	95	14	60	31	95	14
Meningococcal Invasive Dis-						
ease (Neisseria)	<5	<5	0	0	<5	<5
Multisystem Inflammatory System (MIS)	0	0	<5	0	0	0
Mumps	6	0	<5	0	6	0
Novel Influenza A - Virus In-						
fection	0	0	0	0	0	0
Paratyphoid Fever	<5	<5	0	0	<5	<5
Pertussis (Whooping Cough)	9	<5	7	0	9	<5

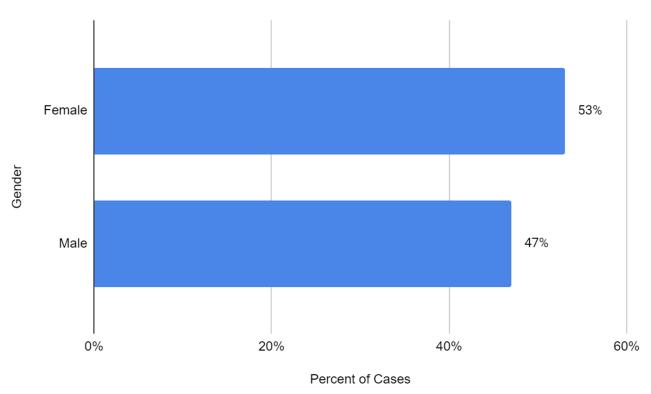
Communicable Disease Surveillance						
	20)19	20)20	20	021
Condition	Started	Confirmed	Started	Confirmed	Started	Confirmed
Q- Fever (Coxiella Burnetii Infection)	<5	0	<5	0	<5	0
Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever	<5	0	<5	0	<5	0
Rubeola (Measles)	5	0	0	0	5	0
Rubella (Measles)	0	0	<5	0	0	0
Salmonellosis	25	20	17	11	25	20
Severe Staph (Previously Healthy Person)	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome (Sars-CoV)	0	0	0	0	0	0
Shiga-toxin producing E. coli (O157 and others)	7	0	<5	<5	7	0
Shigellosis	6	<5	0	0	6	<5
Strep Pneumoniae, invasive	34	33	20	19	34	33
Streptococcal Group A Invasive Disease	25	15	12	10	25	15
Toxic Shock Syndrome Streptococcal (STSS)	<5	<5	0	0	<5	<5
Tularemia	0	0	<5	0	0	0
Typhus Fever	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Unknown Vector Zoo	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Varicella (Chickenpox)	47	5	29	<5	47	5
West Nile Virus neuro-						
invasive disease	<5	0	<5	<5	<5	0
West Nile Virus Non-Invasive						
Disease	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Yersiniosis	0	0	<5	<5	0	0
Zika Virus Infection, Non-						
Congenital	<5	0	0	0	<5	0
Total	1445	1013	34456	22985	1445	1013

2021 Summary Data (as of 11:59 pm 12/31/21)	
Total Cases in St. Joseph County	32,513
Percent of County Residents Infected	12%
Deaths	288
Cases per 100,000 Residents	11,913

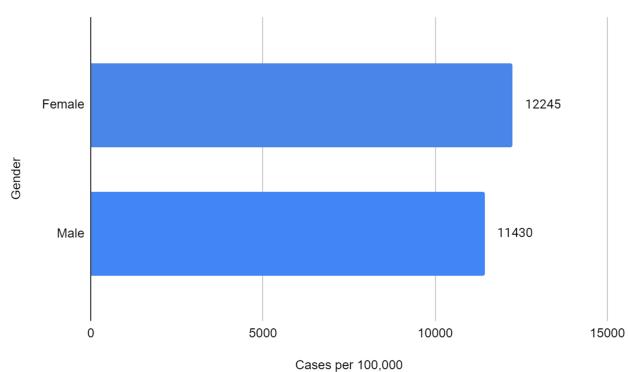
Percent of Cases by Age Group



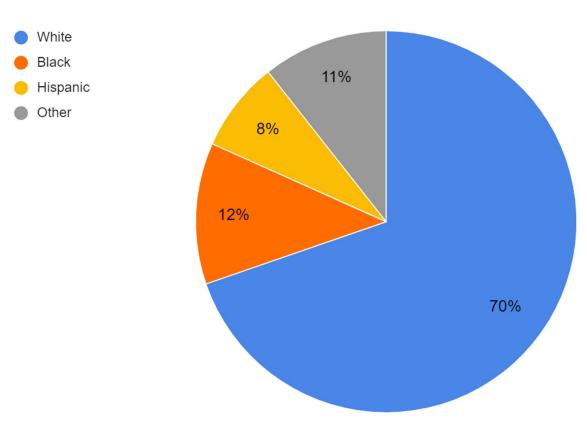
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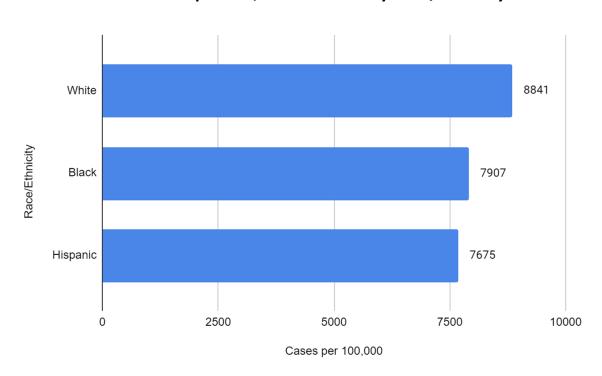
Case Rates per 100,000 Residents by Gender



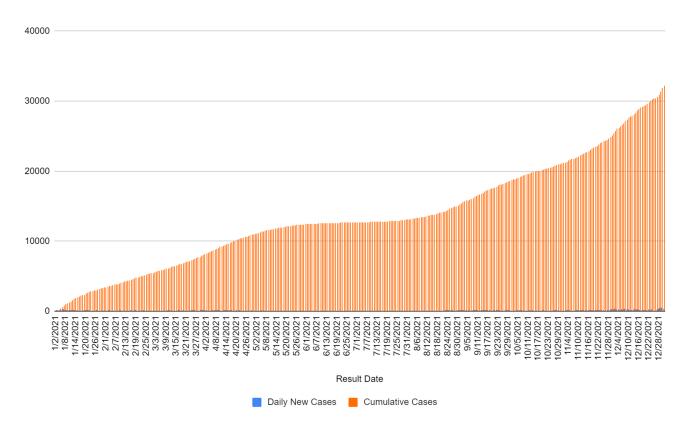
Percent of Cases by Race/Ethnicity



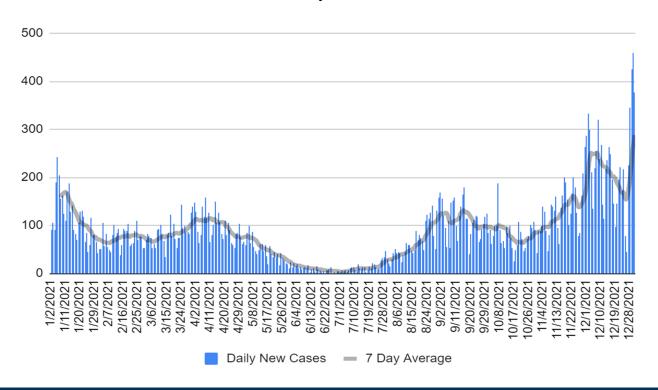
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Cumulative Cases

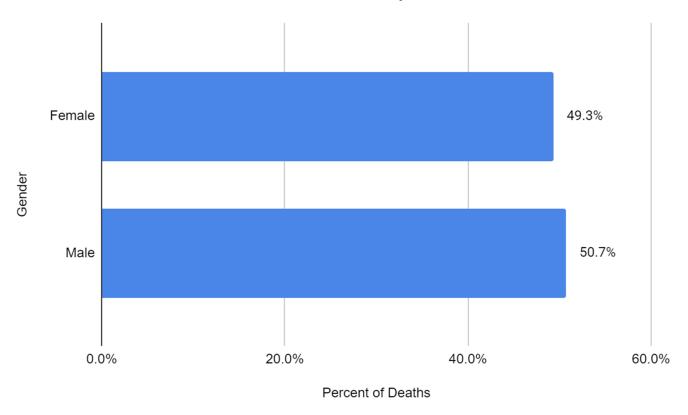


Daily Cases

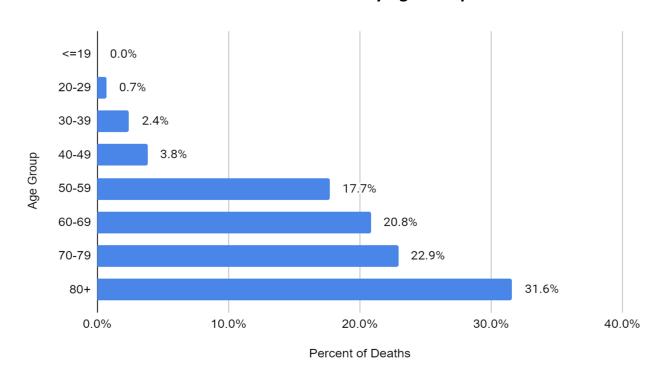


COVID-19 Fatality

Percent of Deaths by Gender

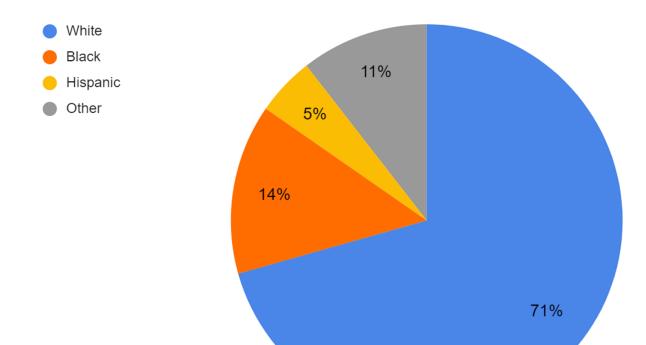


Percent of Deaths by Age Group



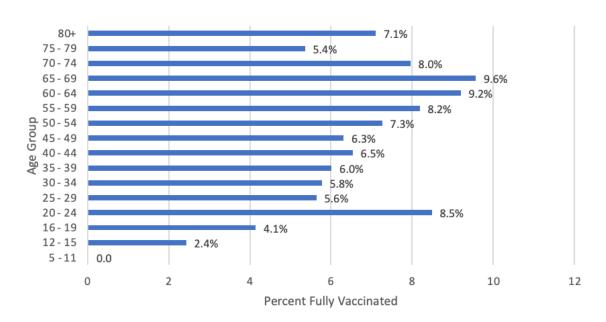
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Percent of Deaths by Race/Ethnicity

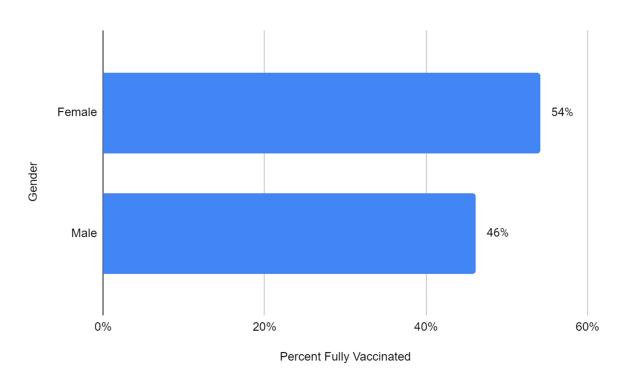


COVID-19 Vaccinations

Percent of Vaccinations by Age Group

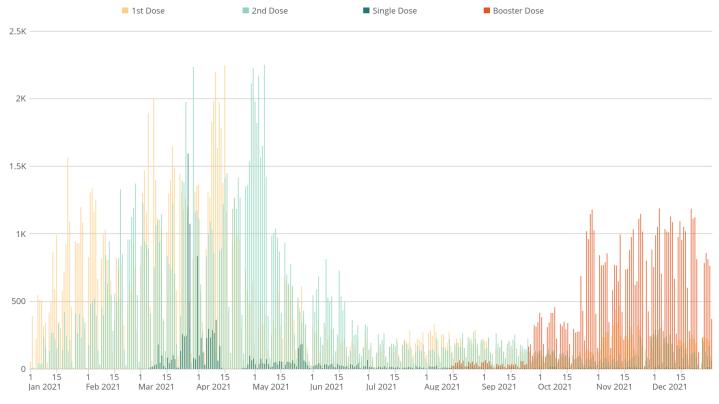


Percent of Vaccinations by Gender



COVID-19 Vaccinations

Daily Vaccinations



Cumulative Vaccinations

