

Core Public Health Services Activity Summary

SAINT JOSEPH 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): 20,367

Population: 272,848

Access and Linkage to Clinical Care

Total Number of Services Provided: 625

Screening and Referrals (562)

Number of people screened for high blood pressure through local health department or partners	95
Number of people screening positive for food insecurity	340
Number of people referred to a food assistance program	127

Number of adults referrals for clinical care: (63)

Substance Use Disorder	2
Mental Health Services	22
General	39

Child and Adult Immunizations

Total Number of Services Provided: 3,354

Number of children who received immunizations at the local health department or a contractor/partner of the LHD	1989
Number of individuals connected with insurance navigation services	5
Number of adults who received immunizations at the LHD or a contractor/partner of the LHD	1301
Number of vaccination clinics held off-site of primary LHD location	59

Childhood Lead Screening and Case Management

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,321

Testing (1,010)

Number of children tested for blood lead level	891
Number of children identified with an elevated blood lead level (EBLL) above 3.5 µg/dL	106
Number of children identified with an EBLL for whom case management was started	13

Home Services (56)

Number of homes of children with EBLLs at which the LHD was able to conduct a risk assessment	20
Number of children identified with an EBLL whose homes had an identified lead hazard	15
Number of families provided lead cleaning supplies	20
Number of families assisted with in-home lead remediation services	1

Education (255)

Number of families provided lead education	231
Number of health care providers or early childhood providers given lead testing/lead reduction education	24

Chronic Disease Prevention and Reduction

Total Number of Services Provided: 730

Screening and Referrals (562)

Number of people screened for high blood pressure through local health department or partners	95
Number of people screening positive for food insecurity	340
Number of people referred to a food assistance program	127

Programming (168)

Number of adults participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	84
Number of seniors participating in nutrition and physical activity education programming	84

Emergency Preparedness

Total Number of Services Provided: 1

Number of emergency preparedness drills/exercises conducted between LHD and other preparedness partners	1
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Fatality Review (Child, Infant, Fetal, Suicide, Overdose)

Total Number of Services Provided: 200

Equipment/Resources (200)

Number of infant sleep sacks provided to families	200
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Infectious Disease Prevention and Control

Total Number of Services Provided: 8,869

Testing (8,869)

Number of people provided Hepatitis C testing	2227
Number of people provided Syphilis testing	2214
Number of people provided Chlamydia testing	2214
Number of people provided Gonorrhea testing	2214

Maternal and Child Health

Total Number of Services Provided: 1,960

Prenatal Services (up to time of delivery) (1,295)

Number of women referred to prenatal care	28
Number of women provided prenatal services - Vitamins	1266
Number of women referred to health/substance use disorder services - Prenatal	1

Health and Safety Services (221)

Number of people receiving child car safety seats	10
Number of child car safety seats provided	10
Number of people receiving sleep sacks	200
Number of women and children referred for active domestic violence assistance	1
Community Assistance (182)	
Number of referrals to housing supports or resources	182
Food and Nutrition (262)	
Number of women referred to WIC	140
Number of families referred or connected to local food pantries	122
Student Health/School Health Liaison	
Total Number of Services Provided: 228	
Education (221)	
Number of students receiving tobacco and vaping cessation education through LHD/school liaison	221
Number of schools receiving emergency preparedness education (staff and students): (5)	
Overdose/naloxone	5
Number of student support initiatives provided by school (or county) with support of LHD/school liaison: (2)	
Feminine Hygiene Supplies	2
Tobacco Prevention and Cessation	
Total Number of Services Provided: 247	
Number of youth provided education on the harms of vaping	247
Tuberculosis (TB) Prevention and Case Management	
Total Number of Services Provided: 2,832	
Number of people provided TB testing (IGRA or TST)	196
Number of people provided treatment for latent TB infection (LTBI)	2024
Number of people provided treatment for TB disease	54
Number of people provided Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) services	199
Number of people educated on TB	350
Number of people with a Class B1 TB designation served	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.

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