

JASPER COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
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ANNUAL REPORT
Fiscal Year 2023

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To the Citizens of Jasper County

I am pleased to present the Jasper County Health Department 2023 Report to the Community. This is our 49th report since the establishment of the Health Department in 1966. This report provides an overview of the Department's programs and services that protect and promote the health of our residents and visitors. It also highlights the important public health issues and trends, which help to guide the work of the Department to make our community healthier. A summary of the services we provide to Jasper County residents is in this report or on our website.

In 2023, the Jasper County Health Department continued seeking ways to collaborate with community partners to provide quality services and programs aimed at keeping residents and visitors safe and healthy. We also continue to move toward accepting all health insurances, along with Medicare and Medicaid in our nursing and behavioral health divisions.

Although many of our efforts can be seen in how we connect with residents and facilitate change through community partnerships, more often than not the work that we do to prevent disease and promote healthy lifestyles is done behind the scenes. There is an old saying in public health: We are the greatest story NEVER told. Because of this and our role as a publicly funded government entity it is our responsibility to the taxpayers and community at large to share our work. This report to the community is intended to do just that. Please continue to read and explore the many facets of public health and our local programming outlined in this annual report. For more information about our programs, please visit our website at www.jasperhealth.org and follow us on Facebook.

Finally, I would like to extend our sincere appreciation to our Medical Director, Dr. Ryan Jennings, Jasper County Board of Health, the Jasper County Board, all elected and appointed officials, and especially the staff of the Jasper County Health Department. Their commitment and dedication to improving the community's health is second to none.

We look forward to 2024 being a year of improving the health and quality of life for residents throughout Jasper County.

Sincerely,

Sandra Zumbahlen, RN, BSN

Public Health Administrator

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Mission Statement

We believe in the inherent ability of all people to improve their lives and circumstances. It is the mission of this agency to assist in any and every way to promote such growth and/or resolution of obstacles to a more productive and satisfactory lifestyle and mental and physical condition. With this aim ever in mind, we provide a wide range of services to all age groups and abilities and assure full accessibility to any person in need of services.



Health Department Staff

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES:

Sandra Zumbahlen, RN, BSN	Administrator
Melanie Ochs, AAS	Administrative Assistant
Lynn Inyart, AAS	Executive Assistant
Donna Swick, AAS	Computer Network Technician (IT)

NURSING SERVICES:

Christy Gentry, RN, BSN	Director of Nursing
Mandy Rieman, RN, BSN	Program Supervisor/Staff Nurse
Jenny Frichtl, RN, BSN	Staff Nurse
Amanda Webster, RN, BSN	Staff Nurse
Ashley Zumbahlen, RN, BSN	Staff Nurse
Sarah Parker, RN, BSN	Staff Nurse
Sara Scherer, RN, BSN	Staff Nurse
Ellen Brown, RN	Staff Nurse
Tammy Ochs	Receptionist
Julie Angle	Receptionist
Kierstyn Alzate, CMA	Receptionist
Katie Blake	Receptionist
Audrey Jensen	Receptionist
Crystal Singer, BS, CLC	Peer Counselor

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SERVICE:

Katelyn Brown, MS, LEHP	Environmental Inspector
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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES:

Jeannie Johnson, MS, LCPC, CADC	Director of Behavioral Health
Caitlin Chapman, BA, MHP, CADC	Case Management/DUI Provider
Kristen Will, MS, LPC, QMHP, NCC	Mental Health Therapist/Team Leader Assistant
Holly Harris, MSW, LCSW	Addictions/Mental Health Therapist/Team Leader
Emily Smith, MS, LCPC, NCC	Addictions/Mental Health Therapist/Team Leader
Danielle Lister, BA, MHP, CADC	Addiction Counselor
Braley Dietzen, MS, LPC, QMHP, NCC	Mental Health Therapist
Carly Geltz, MS, LCP, MHP, NCC	Therapist
Abigail Lomas, MSW, QMHP, PCGC, LSW	MH Therapist/Gambling Addictions
Emily Westfall, MA, LPC, QMHP, NCC, CRC	Therapist
Adam Kuhn, BS, MHP	Counselor
Dakota Bayles, BS, MHP	Counselor
Aleah Steiner, RN, QMHP	Therapist
Erin Frichtl, RSA	Receptionist/Billing Specialist Supervisor
Melissa Lindley, RSA	Receptionist/Billing Specialist
Miranda Lewis, RSA	Receptionist
Carmen Rodriguez, RSA	Receptionist
Madison Bruce, RSA	Receptionist
*Stacey Ping, MS, LCPC, QMHP	Mental Health Therapist
*Haley Utley, BS, MHP	Counselor
*Linda Lamb	Receptionist
*Amy Webster	Receptionist
*Jennifer Leathers, RSA	Receptionist

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Annual Activity Report

(Fiscal Year 2023: December 1, 2022 through November 30, 2023)

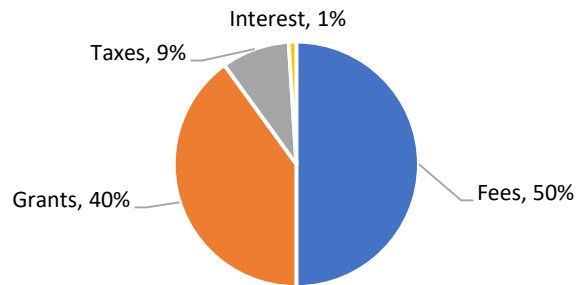
Program	2022	2023
Division of Nursing Services		
Total Clients Seen	9102	4723
Women, Infants and Children		
Women Contacts Unduplicated	306	309
Infant Contacts Unduplicated	225	263
Children Contacts Unduplicated	338	422
Average Monthly Caseload	72	83
Family Case Management		
Pregnant Contacts	327	367
Infant Contacts	285	301
Child Contacts	112	88
Home Visits	0	45
APORS Clients	6	1
Average Monthly Caseload	60	63
Average Monthly Caseload for Healthworks	64	58
Family Health		
Lead Screenings	247	257
Fluoride Screenings	93	165
Developmental Screenings	1026	1288
Depression Screenings	409	409
Pregnancy Tests	6	8
Preschool and In-Office Vision Testing	110	17
Preschool and In-Office Hearing Testing	112	18
Immunizations		
Childhood Immunizations	729	528
Adult Immunizations	81	385
COVID-19	1499	260
Flu Shots Children	86	57
Flu Shots Adults	378	250
Pneumonia	0	1
Shingrix	12	14

Program	2022	2023
School Health		
Head Lice Checks	244	437
Vision Screenings	427	278
Hearing Screenings	502	111
Communicable Disease		
Tuberculosis Skin Tests Given	126	165
E.coli	0	1
Hep B	0	1
Chlamydia	14	7
Hep C	2	6
Histoplasmosis	3	2
Gonorrhea	7	5
Salmonella	3	1
Campylobacter	1	7
Lymes Disease	1	1
Haemophilus Influenzae	0	1
Rabies Exposure	0	5
Cryptosporidiosis	0	1
Syphilis	0	2
Lymes Disease	1	1
Adult Health		
In-Office Blood Pressures	156	65
Injections	92	58
Venipunctures	569	352
PSA Screenings	70	21
Drug Screenings	412	285
Breath Alcohol Screenings	43	38
Division of BH Services		
New Cases Opened	345	270
Clients Completing or Leaving	339	261
Clients Seen by Consulting Psychiatrist	210	293
Mental Health/Adult/Child/Adolescent		
Adult Clients Served	1243	1150
Total Hours	1831	1934
Child/Adolescent Clients Served	601	667
Total Hours	883	1053
Substance Abuse		
Number of Clients Served	1167	1073
Hours of Counseling	2873	2488

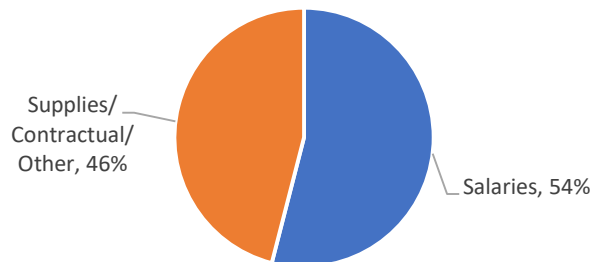
Program	2022	2023
DUI/Illegal Consumption		
DUI Evaluations	46	70
DUI Updates Completed	31	23
DUI Risk Education Participants	30	37
Non-DUI Evaluations	0	1
Divorcing Parents		
Sessions Conducted	2	1
Number of Participants	2	1
Client Satisfaction Surveys		
Surveys Given Out	643	441
Surveys Returned	250	204
Positive Responses	252	205
Negative Responses	0	0
Percentage of Returns	43%	48%
Division of Environmental/Food Sanitation		
Retail and Food Service Establishments	59	66
Inspections	59	66
Temporary Food Inspections	12	8
Consultations and News Articles	161	174
Presentations	0	0
Complaints Received	2	3
Private Water		
Well Inspections	0	2
Water Samples	13	4
Well Permits Issued	4	2
Abandoned Well Inspections	0	0
Abandoned Well Sealing Approvals	4	2
Complaints Received	0	0
Consultations and News Articles	0	43
Private Sewage		
Approvals Issued	15	8
Installation Inspections	13	5
Complaints Received	2	0
Consultations and news Articles	62	21
Nuisance and Solid Waste		
Inspections	0	0
Complaints	2	0
Consultations	2	4

Program	2022	2023
Miscellaneous Environmental		
Mold Inquiries	4	9
Housing Complaints	1	2
Lead	0	0
Household Hazardous Waste	0	0
Vector Control		
Inspections	0	2
Consultations	14	26
Larvaciding	1	1
Mosquito Samples Collected	635	11
WNE, SLE, EEE Tests	15	11
Dead Bird Calls	3	0
Press Release	1	0
Vector Education Training Attended	1	1
Non-Community Water		
Surveys	2	2
Bacteria Samples	0	0

Income = \$2,216,562



Expenses = \$2,485,684



Cash Balance: \$1,157,416

Deficit: - \$269,122

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Maternal and Child Health Program

Women, Infants and Children (WIC)

WIC is a supplemental nutrition, education and health assessment program for pregnant and breastfeeding women, infants and children up to age five who meet eligibility requirements.

Family Case management (FCM)

Services including home visits, are available to pregnant women, infants and children within age requirements who meet financial eligibility. Family Case Management staff also carry out responsibilities for the High-Risk Infant Follow-Up/Adverse Pregnancy Outcome Reporting system (APORS) and Medical Case Management (HealthWorks of Illinois) for children age 6 in foster care through the Illinois Department of Children and Family Services (DCFS).

Lead Screening

Screening, Follow-up and referrals are provided for children ages 1 year to 5 years and at-risk pregnant women, who are enrolled in MCH programs. Individual of all ages who are potentially at risk or if referred by a physician may be screened. Those with abnormal lead levels are case managed and home visits are conducted to help determine possible cause of high lead levels. Education and resources are offered until lead levels return to normal.

Other Public Health Programs

Immunizations

The department is a provider for adult and childhood vaccines and is a VFC (Vaccine for Children) provider.

Laboratory Services

Laboratory services are offered, with doctor's order, by appointment. Tests available without a doctor's order, on the first Thursday of the month, include PSA and Lipid. Provider required for results to be sent to.

Communicable Disease

Integral components are surveillance, investigations, reporting and follow-up to prevent the spread of communicable disease.

Tuberculosis Program

The department provides TB Skin Testing

Drug Screening and Breath Alcohol Testing

The department performs DOT and Non-DOT drug screening and breath alcohol testing for consortium and non-consortium members. Appointments are required.

Behavioral Health Program

Proudly serving the area since 1988, Jasper County Health Department – Behavioral Health (JCHD-BH), offers a variety of behavioral health services with qualified staff members in the behavioral health division. Experienced staff help children, adolescents and adults with emotional difficulties, mental illness and addiction.

Services are tailored to each person's individual need. All ages, All concerns. Including but not limited to individual, group and family therapy. Services are provided in office as well as other location in the community as appropriate.

Services we offer include: outpatient mental health treatment, addiction treatment (substance and gambling), psychiatric treatment, DUI/risk education, divorcing parents' program, crisis intervention, case management, outreach, follow-up care, referrals and speaker's bureau. Treatment approaches include a variety of trauma informed, evidence-based models of care.

We are Medicaid certified and mental health programs are CARF Accredited. JCHD-BH is licensed by and funded in part by Illinois Department of Human Services, Division of Mental Health and Division of Substance Use Prevention and Recovery. Medicaid and private insurance are accepted. Some fees are based on an adjusted fee share, determined by household income and family size, except where otherwise indicated. (Donations are welcomed and tax-exempt status information will be provided to all contributors.

Emergency Preparedness

Prepares and executes emergency response/disaster plans for the department to respond appropriately during natural, technological and intentionally caused emergency events including disease outbreaks, bioterrorism, floods, severe weather, environmental crises, food protection incidents and other community events impacting health and safety.

Environmental Health

To minimize the risk of food-borne illnesses, the department provides inspections and licensing of food service establishments. All permanent and temporary facilities must have a permit from the Jasper County Health Department to operate including mobile food trucks and specific events.

Consultation is available to homeowners and licensed contractors regarding private sewage disposal systems and water wells. Permits are issued for new private sewage disposal systems and repair as well as private water wells and closed loop wells. Interpretation of results from well water sampling is available. Investigations of environmental sanitation complaints are also completed.

The Vector Surveillance Program for mosquito and bird testing is also managed by the department.

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