

# Washtenaw County Public Health Programs and Services

## Human Services Building

555 Towner St., Ypsilanti, MI 48197

(Free parking available in the Center Street lot.)

Phone: (734) 544-6700

Fax: (734) 544-6705



Visit <http://publichealth.ewashtenaw.org> for more program and service information.

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### Adult Clinic

**(734) 544-6840**

Free, anonymous and confidential HIV counseling, testing and referral services. Sexually transmitted disease (STD) testing and treatment provided for a nominal fee. Free partner notification services for STDs. All HIV and STD services are by appointment only. Medicaid waiver "Plan First" program for family planning (birth control) and well women exams (pap smears). Free pregnancy tests offered on a walk-in basis on Wednesdays only. The human papilloma virus (HPV) vaccine is offered to underinsured and uninsured men and women ages 19 to 26 years (those who are under 18 who are VFC eligible are served by Immunization Services).

### Children's Special Health Care Services

Services provided for children with qualifying medical conditions. Payment for specialty medical care and equipment, care coordination, parent support groups and public health nursing services are available.

### Communicable Disease and Tuberculosis

Information, education, follow-up and reporting of communicable diseases. Services include diagnosis and treatment of tuberculosis cases and contacts.

### Health Improvement Plan (HIP)

HIP is a community health assessment and planning effort aimed at improving the health of county residents. HIP tracks a wide variety of health indicators by conducting a countywide health survey every five years and collecting other health data. Through HIP, the community can access health data, learn about best practice approaches for addressing health issues and network with diverse organizations from across the county.

### Health Promotion

Programs for the community include Safe Routes to School, Building Healthy Communities, Suicide Prevention, enforcement of the Clean Indoor Air Regulation, and health education on topics such as physical activity, healthy eating and tobacco cessation.

### Hearing and Vision

**(734) 544-6786**

Screening is done for children in schools, nurseries and day care centers. Office appointments are available.

## **Immunization Services**

Vaccinations given to prevent communicable diseases: Measles, mumps, rubella, polio, diphtheria, pertussis, tetanus, Hib, hepatitis A, hepatitis B, influenza, varicella, zoster, pneumococcal, human papilloma virus, rotavirus, and meningococcal. Tuberculin skin tests also given. 24-hour taped information at (734) 544-6700. Call for: immunization fees, vaccine availability, scheduling appointments.

## **Insurance Applications**

Assistance in completing application forms for the following programs: Healthy Kids, MiChild, MOMS Insurance, and Plan First.

## **LEAD Program**

Telephone follow-up of elevated lead levels by a public health nurse. Information, education and referrals provided. Home visits with Environmental Health if blood lead level warrants.

## **Maternal Infant Health Program**

Home visiting program for pregnant woman and infants with Medicaid insurance. Services are provided by a public health nurse, social worker and nutritionist and include: support, education/information, referrals to community resources and infant developmental screenings.

## **Public Health Emergency Preparedness**

Emergency preparedness information and training provided. Services include presentations, materials and consultation for families, individuals and community organizations. Citizens interested in helping in an emergency should call our main number to apply for the Washtenaw County Medical Reserve Corps.

## **Substance Abuse Prevention**

Monitor Washtenaw Community Health Organization funded licensed substance abuse prevention programs. Provide consultation on evidenced based programming, strategic planning and community coalition building in Washtenaw and Livingston Counties. Provide community-based data on alcohol, tobacco and other drugs via web-based reports and data presentations.\*

## **Washtenaw Health Plan (WHP)**

**(734) 544-3030 or 1-866-291-8691**

Call for enrollment in the Washtenaw Health Plan, a program for low-income Washtenaw County residents who are uninsured.\*\*

## **West Nile Virus (WNV) Hotline**

**(734) 544-6750**

Call for the following: reporting of dead birds; information on WNV symptoms; mosquito protection; and community mosquito control and resources.

## **Women, Infants & Children (WIC)**

**(734) 544-6800**

WIC is a food and nutrition program to help pregnant women and families with young children. The Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for WIC provides nutrition education, nutritious foods, breastfeeding support and information. WIC improves the health of its participants and promotes lifestyle changes. WIC participants have longer, healthier pregnancies and fewer premature births. It is a short-term program designed to help families build healthy eating and living habits to last a lifetime! Call for an appointment, clinic locations or more information. WIC is an Equal Opportunity Provider.

\* For mental health or substance abuse treatment services or information call Health Services Access at (734) 544-3050 or 1-800-440-7548.

\*\* The WHP is not a program of Washtenaw County Public Health.



# Washtenaw County Environmental Health Programs and Services



## **Western Service Center**

705 N. Zeeb Rd., P.O. Box 8645

Ann Arbor, MI 48107-8645

Phone: (734) 222-3800 Fax: (734) 222-3930

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:30am - 5:00pm



Visit <http://environmentalhealth.ewashtenaw.org> for more program and service information.

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## **Body Art Program**

Inspect body art facilities (tattoo, piercing, branding, permanent cosmetics) to ensure safety.

## **Campground Program**

Inspect temporary and permanent campgrounds to ensure safe and sanitary conditions.

## **Child Day Care, Foster Home and Group Home Program**

Inspect child care facilities as requested by the Michigan Department of Human Services, ensuring a safe environment and safe water supply and sewage disposal.

## **Coalition for Action on Remediation of Dioxane (CARD)**

Partnership of local governments and citizens to develop policies and strategies to address 1,4-dioxane water contamination.

## **Elevated Blood Lead Investigations (EBL)**

Conduct home environmental assessments for children with elevated blood lead levels.

## **Emergency Preparedness**

Plan for emergencies related to environmental or public health; participate in the Local Emergency Planning Committee to ensure industries or agricultural sites that use, produce or store extremely hazardous substances plan for potential emergencies.

## **Environmental Education**

Conduct educational outreach on radon, food safety, recycling, water quality, and other topics; create educational videos; coordinate *Issues of the Environment* weekly local public radio program on 89.1 FM-WEMU.

## **Food Service Sanitation Program**

Inspect all food service establishments once every 180 days; investigate foodborne illness complaints within 24 hours of receipt; inspect all temporary food establishments prior to serving food to the public.

**Home Toxics Collections Center****(734) 222-3950**

Provide citizens with a safe location to dispose of unwanted or expired toxic materials, including mercury, pesticides, oil-based paint and other chemicals; ensure home toxics are disposed of in an environmentally-sound manner. Investigate mercury spills and assist in remediation.

**Housing Complaints**

Investigate complaints and coordinate remediation of unsanitary housing and environmental conditions.

**Illegal Dumping**

Investigate complaints of illegal dumping and assist in mitigation.

**Lake Improvement Projects**

Assist local lake communities in management of aquatic invasive weeds.

**Onsite Sewage Program**

Conduct soil evaluations to determine the suitability of onsite sewage treatment; issue sewage permits; review and permit Privately Owned Community Sewage Systems (POCSS) to ensure compliance and maintenance; train and certify sewage system installation and repair contractors and certified onsite sewage system maintenance providers.

**Onsite Water Supply Program**

Issue well permits; issue replacement well permits within 24 hours when homeowner is out of water; monitor Type II water supply facilities to ensure safety and compliance.

**Pollution Prevention Program**

Inspect facilities that store, manufacture or use hazardous, toxic or polluting materials.

**Radon Program**

Provide kits to residents to test their homes for radon gas.

**Recreational Water Program**

Inspect all public swimming pools annually; sample all public swimming pools biweekly; sample and monitor public bathing beaches weekly during summer months.

**Sharps Take-back Program & Medicine Take-Back Program**[www.dontflushdrugs.com](http://www.dontflushdrugs.com)

Coordinate with local pharmacies to take back used sharps and unused/expired medications and personal care products for proper disposal.

**Solid Waste Program**

Develop the County's Solid Waste Management Plan; conduct quarterly landfill inspections; promote recycling initiatives, including a shrink wrap and #2/#4 plastics recycling program with area nurseries and marinas.

**Time of Sale Inspection Program**

Review Time of Sale inspection reports to ensure properties being sold in Washtenaw County have functioning well and sewage systems.

**Waste Knot Program**

Develop relationships within the County business community to increase waste reduction and recycling activities.

**Water Testing Services**

Supply water testing bottles to homeowners to test private wells for bacteria, arsenic and other contaminants.