



VISITS, ASSESSMENTS, & SCREENINGS Adult Health Clinic Visits 1,955 Blood Pressure Clinics 135 Public Health Visits 273 BCMH Visits 327 Newborn Visits 121	
SCHOOL NURSING Hearing Screenings 9,437 Hearing Referrals 885 Vision Screenings 10,092 Vision Referrals 1,892	
IMMUNIZATIONS Adult 1,114 Child 4,704 Flu 5,583 Communicable Diseases 1,317	

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

FOOD SAFETY



FOOD SAFETY	
Inspections	
Consultations	
Vending Machine Inspections & Consultations	32
RABIES/ANIMAL BITES Investigations and Consultations	209
HOUSEHOLD WATER SYSTEMS	
Inspections and Consultations	172
SOLID WASTE	
Inspections and Consultation	407
MOSQUITO CONTROL	
Complaint Investigations/Larviciding	.5,497
PUBLIC SEWAGE	
Inspections	
Consultations	65
HOUSEHOLD SEWAGE	
Inspections	
Consultations	984
MANUFACTURED HOME PARKS	
Inspections and Consultations	25
PARKS AND CAMPGROUNDS	
Inspections and Consultations	79
SCHOOLS	
Inspections and Consultations	155
PUBLIC SWIMMING POOLS AND BEACHES	
Inspections and Consultations	
Beach Samples	/0
GENERAL NUISANCES	100
Investigation and Consultation	492

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Making Lorain County a Healthy Place to Live, Work & Play

A message from the **Health Commissioner...** David Covell, RS, MPH

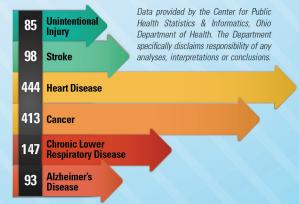
In partnership with community health and wellness leaders, the Lorain County General Health District (LCGHD) released the Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) in 2014. This plan helps to focus our joint resources to better impact a variety of public health concerns. The CHIP ties into the mission of each partnering agency towards common goals with specific measureable outcomes.

Additionally, the CHIP allows partners to pool resources and affect change in the community on specific public health problems including smoking for youth and adults, infant mortality, prescription drug abuse, access to preventive care, improving weight and obesity, and mental health concerns. We look forward to leading the weight and obesity initiative, in partnership with the Lorain County Metro Parks, to increase access to physical activity for Lorain County residents.

Our job at the LCGHD is to improve the health of our community and help our residents live healthier lives by creating an environment where the healthy choice is the easy choice. Through the CHIP process our diverse services will be continuously enhanced to better meet the needs of the community. LCGHD staff will continue to work hard every day to make our community a safe and healthy place to live, work, and play.



2014 LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH IN LORAIN COUNTY











suicide

deaths



for the health of us all

At the LCGHD we're passionate about growing change in Lorain County. The Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) is rooted in results of the 2011 Community Health Assessment, which indicated areas of focus to improve the health of Lorain County residents.

We continue to work with our partners to support new initiatives and collaborations towards healthier individuals and families, more successful worksites, and happier overall communities for generations to come.



IMPROVE MENTAL HEALTH **Advance** to mental health care

Reduce infant mortality rate

IMPROVE

ACCESS

TO CARE

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IMPROVE

WEIGHT &

OBESITY

physical activity amond all ages

Decrease

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death

REDUCE ALCOHOL, **TOBACCO & DRUG**

USE/ABUSE

WIC

FINANCIALS

Charges for Services

Miscellaneous

DISBURSEMENTS

State and Local.....\$1,118,179

Contractual services......\$665,153

Other receipts......\$97,256

Refunds.....\$327,089

Equipment.....\$133,012

RECEIPTS



Certs/recerts	 			 				10,312
Client Nutrition Education.	 							8.261

Board of Health Members:

William A. Spreng, DVM, President • William Gardner, Vice President Patricia Schrull, RN, MSN, M.Ed. • Grant Comnick, D.O. • Thomas Eschtruth Harvey H. Leimbach, DVM • Vivian McCullough • Edward von Hofen

2014 Retirees:

Linda Duelley 1993 - 2014

Board member, Gilman Baker 1992 - 2013

We thank Gilman Baker for his 21 years of service, leadership, and vision with the Lorain County Board of Health.

Community Health Improvement Plan Partners:

Alcohol & Drug Addiction Services Board • Elyria City Health District **Lorain County General Health District • Lorain County Health & Dentistry Lorain County Mental Health Board • Lorain County Metro Parks Mercy** • University Hospital Elyria Medical Center

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