Environmental Health Programs

Food Service Sanitation Program
- Provide educational programs on food safety
- Inspect and license locations of public food preparation
- Review new food service establishment plans
- Investigate complaints regarding food establishments

Sewage Disposal/Water Well Program
- Prevent public exposure to untreated wastewater
- Issue permits for installing or repairing sewage disposal and water supply systems
- Protect groundwater quality
- Provide educational programs

Department of Human Services (DHS) Inspections
- Inspect child and adult facilities for compliance with health and social service standards

Loan Evaluation Program
- Perform evaluations of water supply and sewage disposal systems for compliance as required by some loan programs and sales transactions

Septage Waste Haulers
- Regulate the service of septic tanks, portable toilets, etc. and the transport/disposal of septage waste

Campground Inspections
- Annual inspections of campgrounds for compliance with public health standards

Public Swimming Pool Program
- Regulate public swimming pools, spas and hot tubs for compliance with public health standards

Unsanitary Condition Investigation
- Written complaints of health nuisances are investigated

Other
- Indoor Air Quality - provide radon test kits
- Rabies Control - investigation of animal bite complaints
- Mercury Spill Response - investigation of mercury spills, including consultation for proper disposal
- Plats/Subdivision Program - Evaluation of plats/subdivisions relative to state statutes
- Body Art Facility - Regulate fixed and temporary facilities for compliance with public health standards
- Medical Waste Consultation - consult with medical waste producers to assure compliance

Mission
We take action to assure the health and well-being of our community and the environment by responding to public health needs and providing a broad spectrum of prevention and educational services.

Vision
Your public health experts, connecting with our communities to achieve healthier outcomes.

Client Satisfaction Survey
Mid-Michigan District Health Department’s Client Satisfaction Survey is available online at www.mmdhd.org.

We value your input and look forward to hearing from you!

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Community Health and Education Programs

Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program (BCCCP)
- Physical examinations, including pap smears and mammograms for qualified women
- Referral and follow-up

Communicable Disease Control
- Investigate diseases to prevent spread in the community
- Inform those who may have been exposed
- School consultations

Immunization Program
- Provide vaccinations for all ages
- Michigan Care Improvement Registry (MCIR)
- Physician office technical assistance
- Day care and school-health immunization compliance review

Family Planning Program
- Birth control education, physicals and supplies for males and females
- Pregnancy testing

Health Education
- Provides information and resources on health topics
- Collaboration with community groups and agencies in promoting healthier lifestyles
- Speakers available on health topics

Hearing and Vision Screening
- Hearing and vision screening for preschool and school-age children
- Referrals to health care providers

HIV Counseling and testing
- Anonymous and confidential testing

Sexually Transmitted Diseases (STD)
- STD testing, treatment and counseling
- Partner notification and follow-up

Tuberculosis Control (TB)
- TB skin testing
- TB medication and monitoring

Maternal and Infant Health Plan (MIHP)
(Home-based services provided in a variety of settings by a nurse, social worker and/or registered dietitian)
- Care and case coordination
- Childbirth/parenting, health and nutrition education
- Client advocacy and referrals
- Transportation assistance
- Strengths, risk assessment and problem solving
- Smoking cessation education

Women, Infants and Children (WIC)
- Nutrition education and food benefits for qualified women, infants and children up to age 5
- Breastfeeding support

Blood Lead Screening and Education

Oral Health Initiatives
- Provide sealants, fluoride varnish and education to preschool and school-age children

Emergency Preparedness Response
- MMDHD works closely with community partners and county, state and federal officials to plan for and coordinate public health’s response to emergencies (e.g. mass vaccination clinics). Information, guidance and support are provided to our communities to mitigate the impact of disasters

Dental Clinics
(Operated by Michigan Community Dental Clinics)

Community-Based Dental Clinic- St. Johns
- Serving Medicaid eligible adults in Clinton and Gratiot Counties

Montcalm Area Community Dental Clinic - Sidney
- Serving Medicaid and low-income, uninsured patients in the Montcalm County area

Access to Care

Children’s Special Health Care Services
- Provides medical advocacy and financial assistance for children with qualifying medical conditions

Maternity Outpatient Medical Services (MOMS)
- Application assistance for pregnant women applying for health care coverage
- Coordination of services for pregnant women

MIChild
- Insurance program for children of qualifying Michigan working families

Healthy Kids
- Provides health care coverage for qualifying pregnant women, babies and children under age 19

Mental Health Services
- Provide counseling services to uninsured and Medicaid recipients

Community Health Worker
- Identifies the health and social services needed to improve one’s health
- Helps manage chronic health conditions and links participants to primary medical care
- Helps with food, housing, and transportation needs
- Reduces unneeded hospitalizations and emergency room visits
- Services free to those who qualify
- May not be available in all counties

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