

The Wayne County Department of Public Health Provides

Children's Special Health Care assists children from birth to 21 years with special health care needs. In addition to assisting with resources for medical care and treatment programs, nurses provide families with options to meet their social, emotional, physical, developmental and educational needs.

Dental Care includes exams, x-rays, preventive and restorative care for Medicaid clients up to age 20 and clients 18 and under covered by MICHild or Healthy Kids. For clients considered low income without medical coverage, a sliding fee scale is used.

Early On is specifically for children ages 0-36 months with developmental problems or those who have been diagnosed with a condition that affects development. Early On is available to families regardless of income.

Hearing & Vision Screening. Hearing and vision screenings are offered to children ages 3-18 years. Screenings are offered in schools, preschools, nurseries, day care centers and Head Start facilities. Early identification of hearing and vision problems helps limit the negative impact on a child's education.

HIV Counseling and Testing. The HIV/AIDS prevention program provides free anonymous or confidential HIV/AIDS counseling and testing to individuals who may have been exposed to the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). This program also offers in-services and lectures to schools, community organizations, and local agencies.

Immunizations. Vaccines are provided to eligible infants, children and adults. Seasonal influenza and pneumonia vaccines are also provided.

Insurance Eligibility Services. This service links citizens to health care systems, and assures access to care and encourages preventive health care services.

Pregnancy Testing and counseling are available for a fee of \$28.50.

Lead Poisoning Case Management. Public Health nurses provide in-home services for children under the age of 7 years with elevated blood lead levels. This service includes nutrition and health education, developmental screening, and resource assistance. Nurses continue to provide assistance until the blood lead level is maintained at an acceptable level.

Maternal Infant Health Program. This program provides clients who have Medicaid and meet certain risk criteria with interventions from a team of professionals including nurses, social workers and nutritionists. The team works in collaboration with the client's primary health care provider to improve physical health, as well as social and mental well-being.

Sexually Transmitted Disease Control. This program is responsible for the testing and follow-up of cases of syphilis, gonorrhea, chlamydia, and patient treatment.

WIC Food Program is for eligible expectant/new mothers and children to age five years. WIC offers coupons for nutritious foods purchased at supermarkets. Other free benefits include health screening, nutrition information, social service referrals and breast-feeding support services. Applicants must meet income guidelines and be determined to have a nutritional and/or health risk to qualify for WIC.

Lead Testing. This program offers childhood lead poisoning prevention by testing for elevated blood lead levels in children ages 6 months to 6 years.

Smoking Reduction Program provides smokers and tobacco users with the assistance they need to kick the habit.

Tuberculosis Control provides follow-up of tuberculosis cases to ensure that the patient is adequately treated and that contacts to cases are skin-tested. The program also provides Direct Observed Therapy where a public health nurse visits the patient to ensure treatment compliance.

Disease Control includes biologics and vaccine distribution, HIV counseling & testing, school immunizations, bioterrorism & emergency preparedness, disease control and surveillance, tuberculosis control, sexually transmitted disease control, and vaccines for children.

Field Nursing includes home visits for high-risk individuals such as pregnant women, infants & children, and community health education projects.

School Immunizations. Work with school districts to provide vaccine requirements for school attendance, information, and enforcement.

Health Emergency Medical Services. A private telecommunications system that permits public and private ambulances in the western Wayne County area to request and receive medical direction from hospitals. Also serves as the after-hours emergency contact for the Wayne County Department of Public Health.

Environmental Health offers childhood lead poisoning prevention, restaurant inspection & plan review, foodservice manager certification, drinking water protection, body art facility inspection, lead hazard abatement, private well and septic inspection, West Nile Virus surveillance, and monitoring of public swimming pools and beaches.

Summer Food Program provides free, nutritious lunches throughout the summer to children through age 18 from low-income families. The program also provides meals to adults who are mentally or physically handicapped.

Family Planning Services. Services include pregnancy and STD testing, breast exams and pap smears for women, physical exams, reproductive health services, and health education.

Call 734-727-7000 to find the nearest health office that provides the service you need.

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COMMUNITY-BASED PROGRAMS

Children's Special Healthcare	734-727-7088
Early On	734-727-7086
Hearing & Vision Screening	734-727-7136
Immunizations Action Plan	734-727-7068
Lead Poisoning Case Mgt.	734-727-7054
Maternal Infant Health	734-727-7069
School Fluoride	734-727-7050
Smoking Reduction Program	734-727-7066
Summer Food Program	734-727-7107
Tuberculosis Testing	734-727-1130

DISEASE CONTROL

Disease Control & Surveillance	734-727-7078
Emergency Preparedness	734-727-7030
HIV/AIDS Prevention	734-727-7124
School Immunizations	734-727-7036
Sexually Transmitted Disease Control	734-727-7125
Tuberculosis Control	734-727-7253

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

Environmental Health	734-727-7400
Body Art & Tattoos	734-727-7438
Food Safety	734-727-7441
Lead Abatement	734-727-7438
West Nile Virus Hotline	734-727-7445

PUBLIC HEALTH SITES IN WAYNE COUNTY

ACC WIC Office
8740 Jos. Campau
Hamtramck, MI 48212
313-874-4233

Dearborn WIC Office
6450 Maple
Dearborn, MI 48126
313-216-2201

Hamtramck WIC Office
Peoples Community Services Building
8625 Joseph Campau
Hamtramck, MI 48212
313-875-5120

Metro Wayne WIC Office
23483 Sumpter Road
Belleville, MI 48111
734-461-6419

Taylor Health Center
26650 Eureka Road
Taylor, MI 48180
734-955-3900

Wayne Health Center
33030 Van Born
Wayne, MI 48184
734-727-7100

Western Wayne WIC Office
25350 Ecorse Road
Taylor, MI 48180
313-295-8320

Redford Area Health Office
17421 Telegraph Road
Detroit, MI 48219
313-537-1708

Division of Environmental Health
5454 S. Venoy
Wayne, MI 48184
734-727-7400

After-Hours Emergencies
734-727-7284



**Guide to
Public Health
Services**

**Disease Control
Health Promotion
Environmental Health**

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