

The Arkansas Department of Health

is a unified health department, operating local health units in each of the state's 75 counties. Our employees work everyday to protect and improve the health of Arkansans through central and regional offices, 93 local health units and homes throughout the state. Our Department provides quality clinical, in-home, environmental and community services. Hometowns are our priority. In order to see greater improvement in health outcomes and disparities at the community-level, four priority areas have been identified and will be addressed through a behavior change initiative. Those areas are to:

- strengthen injury prevention and control
- reduce infant mortality
- increase physical activity
- improve oral health

Alongside our core services, these four areas are over-arching priorities of the Department.



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ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



Mission

To protect and improve the health and well-being of all Arkansans

Vision

Optimal health for all Arkansans to achieve maximum personal, economic and social impact

Working hard everyday to make
your life better _____



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The work of the Department affects the state's entire population every day. From urban areas to the most rural parts of the state, our employees provide a wide range of services. Each year, we see more than 80,000 family planning clients, ensure that more than 20,000 food service establishments are sanitary and that our water systems and swimming pools are safe. Our employees investigate public health diseases and threats, provide preventive health services in clinical and in-home settings and educate and monitor sites that impact the public's health.

Contact your local county health unit to access the following services:

Clinic Services

Breast and Cervical Cancer (BreastCare)
Flu Vaccine
Family Planning Services
Immunizations
Maternity Services
Sexually Transmitted Disease Services
Tuberculosis

In-Home Services

Home Health
Hospice
Maternal/Infant Visits
Personal Care
Case Management
Elderchoices

Environmental Services

Food Service Establishment Inspections
Septic Tank Permits
Swimming Pool Inspections

Community Services

Hometown Health Improvement Coalitions
Mass Flu Clinics
Emergency Preparedness

Programs and services within the Department include:

Disease and Prevention Services

We provide information and screenings for cancer, infectious diseases, injury prevention and more.

Birth and Death Certificates

Vital Records is your source for birth, death, marriage and divorce records.

Environmental

We conduct inspections and issue permits and certifications for everything from food service establishments to drinking water and septic systems.

Parents & Kids

Our women's health services provide information from breastfeeding and maternity care to WIC.

Preparedness & Planning

We can help you prepare for potential public health emergencies such as natural disasters, bioterrorism or outbreaks of infectious disease.

Laboratory Services

Our new state-of-the-art public health lab conducts clinical, biological and alcohol testing.

Hometown Health Improvement

Through our Hometown Health Improvement initiatives, resources and information are provided to keep your home town healthy.

Permits, Occupational Licenses & Certification

We help with everything you need to know about where and how to get permits, licenses and certifications.

Data & Research

Year to year, month to month – We are the source for information and statistics from West Nile Virus to cancer.

Helpful Numbers

ADH Main Switchboard (Little Rock)	501-661-2000
ADH Toll-Free Number	800-462-0599
Emergency Assistance (toll-free number)	800-633-1735
Director's Office	501-661-2400
Center for Health Advancement	501-661-2199
Center for Health Protection	501-661-2243
Center for Local Public Health	501-661-2574
Center for Public Health Practice	501-661-2224
Public Health Laboratory	501-661-2220
Abstinence Education	501-280-4799
Accounts Payables	501-280-4478
Accounts Receivables	501-280-4638
ADH Toll-Free Number	800-482-5850
Alcohol Testing	501-661-2287
Ambulance Licensing	501-661-2262
Birth Certificates	501-661-2174
BreastCare	501-661-2942
Breastfeeding Services	501-280-4068
Budget & Banking	501-280-4498
Cancer Registry	501-661-2463
Cardiovascular Health	501-661-2627
Cemetery Permitting	501-331-2113
Central Supply	501-661-2128
Child & Adolescent Health	501-280-4799
Children in Schools	501-661-2099
Chronic Disease	501-661-2075
Compliance	501-280-4633
Comprehensive Cancer	501-661-2942
ConnectCare	501-280-4828
ConnectCare (Toll-Free)	800-275-1131
Coordinated School Health	501-280-4799
Courier Service	501-671-1418
Death Certificates	501-661-2174
Diabetes	501-280-4187
Emergency Management/Russellville	479-968-7702
Emergency Medical Services	501-661-2272
EMT Certification	501-661-2262
Engineering	501-661-2623
Environmental Health	501-661-2171
Epidemiology	501-661-2893
Family Health	501-661-2480
Farmer's Market/WIC	501-661-2508
Fire-Related Injury Prevention	501-280-4776
Five-A-Day (Nutrition)	501-661-2099
Fluoridation	501-661-2279
Food Services	501-661-2171
Governor's Council on Fitness	501-661-2099
Grants Management/Reporting	501-280-4557
Happy Birthday Baby Book	800-275-1131
Health Care Preparedness Program	501-661-2375
Health Communications & Marketing	501-661-2186
Health Facilities	501-661-2201
Health Statistics	501-661-2368
Hepatitis C Prevention	501-661-2408
HIV/STD	501-661-2408
Home Health	501-661-2614
Hometown Health Support Services	501-280-4560
Hospice	501-661-2698
Hospital Discharge	501-661-2368
Human Resources	501-661-2115
HVAC/R Program	501-661-2307

Immunization Registry	800-544-4040
Immunizations	501-661-2169
Infant Hearing	501-280-4799
Infectious Diseases	501-661-2169
Information Technology Services	501-661-2367
In-Home Services	501-661-2969
Injury Prevention & Control	501-280-4776
Internal Audit	501-280-4477
Lay & Nurse Midwifery	501-661-2480
Lead Paint Testing	501-661-2220
Legal Services	501-661-2878
Life Stage Health	501-661-2099
Mammography Accreditation	501-661-2107
Marine Sanitation	501-661-2171
Maternal Infant Program	501-661-2927
Maternity	501-661-2480
Milk Program	501-661-2171
Minority Health & Health Disparities	501-661-2622
Newborn Screenings	501-280-4799
Obesity	501-661-2075
Oral Health	501-661-2279
Personal Care	501-661-2969
Pharmacy Services & Drug Control	501-661-2325
Physical Activity	501-661-2099
Physical Plant (Maintenance)	501-661-2732
Plumbing Program	501-661-2641
Policies & Procedures	501-661-2122
Preparedness & Response	501-661-2375
Procurement/Support	501-280-4573
Protective Health Codes	501-661-2642
Public Health Preparedness	501-661-2482
Public Water Systems	501-661-2623
Radiation Control	501-661-2301
Radiologic Technology Licensure Registries	501-661-2166
Reproductive Health	501-661-2971
Rural Health & Primary Care	501-661-2480
Septic Tanks	501-280-4560
Sexually Transmitted Diseases	501-661-2171
SOS (Stamp Out Smoking) Quitline	501-661-2408
SOS (Stamp Out Smoking) Toll-Free	501-661-2783
Swimming Pools & Related Facilities	866-669-7848
Tattoos & Body Piercings	501-661-2171
Teenage Pregnancy/Unwed Birth Prevention	501-661-2171
Tobacco Prevention & Cessation	501-280-4799
Trauma Systems	501-661-2783
Traumatic Brain Injury	501-661-2262
Tuberculosis	501-280-4776
Vaccines for Children	501-661-2886
Vital Records	501-661-2169
WIC (Women, Infants & Children)	501-661-2695
Women's Health	501-661-2508
Workforce & Career Development	501-661-2480
Worksite Wellness (Adults)	501-661-2351
Zoonotic (Veterinary) Disease	501-661-2099
	501-280-4136

Visit our website www.healthysarkansas.com for information or to locate your nearest local health unit.