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**Public Health**  
Prevent. Promote. Protect.

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Mission and Vision

The **Mission** of the Jackson County Health Department is to create a healthier and safer community through disease prevention and control, health promotion and education, environmental protection and emergency preparedness.

The **Vision** of the Jackson County Health Department is that every member of our community is healthy and lives in a safe environment.

**Who Can Utilize These Services of The Health Department?**

**You**, and every other citizen of Jackson County, can and should take advantage of the services available through the Jackson County Health Department. In accordance with Title VI, no person shall be excluded from participation in/ or be denied the benefits of or be subjected to discrimination under any program or activity the Health Department offers. The Jackson County Health Department is an Equal Opportunity Employer and Service Provider.



**JACKSON COUNTY**  
**HEALTH DEPARTMENT**  
**2017 ANNUAL REPORT**

**LOOK INSIDE TO SEE THE  
WORK WE DID IN  
JACKSON COUNTY IN 2017!**

## Vital Statistics

- Number of Birth Certificates Issued: **1,156**
- Number of Home Births: **15**
- Number of Death Certificates Filed: **338**
- Number of Burial and Cremation Permits Issued: **208**

## Nursing Services

- Number of Immunizations Given: **1,048**
- Number of BCMH Clients: **113**
- Number of BCMH contacts: **1032**
- Number of Tuberculosis Skin Tests Given: **465**
- Number of Pediculosis Treatments: **175**
- Number of Newborn Metabolic Screenings: **8**
- Number of School Vision Screenings: **249**
- Number of School Hearing Screenings: **646**

## Family and Children First Council

FCFC is a group of local agencies and community organizations that work together as partners to improve the well-being of children and families in Jackson County. In 2017, the Jackson County FCFC served **52** Families.

Of those families:

- **7** Children had Developmental Disabilities
- **32** Children had a Mental Health Diagnosis
- **26** Children had Special Education Needs
- **2** Children had Substantiated Child Abuse
- **13** Children had Substance Abuse Issues
- **4** Children had Substantiated Child Neglect
- **39** Children were below the poverty level
- **7** Children were found to be Unruly
- **20** Children were found to be Delinquent
- **11** Children were diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder
- **3** Children did not have a Primary Care Dr.

## Early Intervention

- Number of Home Visits: **220**
- Total Number of Referrals into E.I.: **191**
- Transitions completed with children at age three: **6**

## Emergency Preparedness

- The PHEP Grant develops and improves infrastructure to train, prepare for, and respond to emergencies and natural disasters.
- In 2017, the JCHD conducted a POD (Point of Dispensing) to provide Flu Shots to community members and also to exercise our department's capability to administer medication to a large number of people in a short period of time in case of an emergency.
- The JCHD also participated in the Local Emergency Planning Committee's Functional Exercise and regularly exercises its staff and communications equipment.

## Wellness Program

Each year the Wellness Program adds new and exciting programs and classes that will keep the Jackson County employees interested in keeping up with their overall well-being. The purpose of this program is to help keep healthcare costs down for employees.

- **275** Jackson County Employees participated in the Wellness Program
- **5** Fitness/Weight Loss Challenges Completed
- **959** total pounds lost
- **86** employees and spouses completed the online CEBCO Wellness Program
- **360** exercise and nutrition classes held for Jackson county employees and the public

## Environmental Health

- Food Safety Inspections (FSO, RFE, temps, mobiles, vending, plan reviews): **419**
- Campground inspections: **7**
- Water Recreational Facility inspections: **12**
- Private Well Permits Issued: **1**
- Private Water Samples Taken: **3**
- Body Art Establishment inspections: **5**
- School inspections: **24**
- Manufactured Home Park inspections: **5**
- Sewage Permits Issued: **103**
- Sewage Inspections: **122**
- Household systems repaired with grant: **44**
- Rat Bait Boxes Placed: **10**
- Rabies Vaccinations Given to Pets: **308**

## Infectious Diseases

Campylobacteriosis	<b>17</b>
Chlamydia infection	<b>59</b>
Coccidioidomycosis	<b>1</b>
Cryptosporidiosis	<b>2</b>
E. coli, Shiga Toxin-Producing	<b>1</b>
Ehrlichiosis-Ehrlichia chaffeensis	<b>3</b>
Giardiasis	<b>2</b>
Gonococcal infection	<b>7</b>
Hepatitis A	<b>2</b>
Hepatitis B (including delta) - acute	<b>1</b>
Hepatitis B (including delta) - chronic	<b>27</b>
Hepatitis C - acute	<b>6</b>
Hepatitis C - chronic	<b>95</b>
Influenza-associated hospitalization	<b>49</b>
Legionellosis - Legionnaires' Disease	<b>1</b>
Lyme Disease	<b>8</b>
Meningitis - aseptic/viral	<b>2</b>
Meningitis - bacterial (Not N. meningitidis)	<b>1</b>
Pertussis	<b>3</b>
Salmonellosis	<b>9</b>
Shigellosis	<b>2</b>
Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis	<b>25</b>
Streptococcus pneumoniae - invasive	<b>3</b>
Varicella	<b>4</b>
<b>2017 Total</b>	<b>329</b>