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Building Upon and Continuously Strengthening Our Public Health Network



Dear Senator:

The Missouri public health system is in action every day, in every county of the state. It assures our children are immunized, that plans are in place for emergency and disaster management, that infectious diseases are detected and curtailed, that the effects of diseases like cancer and asthma are reduced, that drinking water quality is monitored, that restaurant food is safe, and attention is given to preventing injuries. Your health depends on public health.

Accomplishing these enormous tasks requires an integrated system that includes health professionals who are competent in cross-cutting and technical skills, public health agencies with the capacity to assess and respond to community health needs, and up-to-date information systems. A robust infrastructure with adequate resources must be in place to support these system components.

An important step in assuring that adequate resources are available is sharing information on how resources are being used. That is why the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services has developed this report that provides a picture of the resources available in each county in your district.

Together, we can ensure the strength of Missouri's public health system and protect and promote the health of you, your family and your constituents.

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Jane Drummond, Director Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services





County Health Department

County and Health Department Information

Title: Anthony (Tony) Moehr, Administrator

Address: 105 Lincoln, Carthage, MO 64836

Phone: (417) 358-3111

Population: 68,905 Ratio of primary care physicians per population: 1:1127 Number of Hospitals: 2

Governance

Board of trustees (elected)	
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County commission City council

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Funding

Mill tax rate:	\$0			
Total revenue:	\$975,478			
Local: \$453,6	506 State: \$95,525	Federal: \$199,719	Other: \$226,628	

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Core Public Health Service

Assistance with MC+; Birth and Death Records; Breast and Cervical Screening; Communicable Disease Follow-Up; Environmental Health Service; Health Education; High Risk Prenatal Case Management; Immunizations; Lead Education and Screenings; Pregnancy Tests/ Temporary Medicaid Cards During Pregnancy; Sexually Transmitted Diseases; Tuberculosis Skin Testing



County and He	ealth Department Informati
Title: Dan Pekarek	, Director
Address: 321 East 4th	Street, Joplin, MO 64801
Phone: (417) 623-612	22
Population: 47,183	Ratio of primary care physicians per popula

Governance	
Board of trustees (elected)	County commission
Chair: Edward McCallister, DDS	

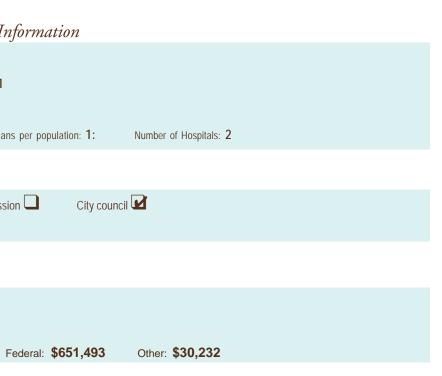
Funding Mill tax rate: \$0.05 Total revenue: **\$1,744,635** Local: **\$979,046** State: **\$83,864**

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Essential Public Health Services

Animal Control; Communicable Disease Investigations and Control; Environmental Complaint and Pollution Control; Food Service Facility Inspections; Immunizations; Influenza Vaccine Clinics; Indigent Pharmacy Program; Lab Services; Lead Screening, Assessment, Case Management; Lodging and Day Care Facilities Inspections; Medicaid Enrollment; Pregnancy Testing; Sexually Transmitted Diseases/HIV Testing and Counseling; Swimming Pools and Spas Monitoring; Tattoo Parlor Sanitation Program; Temporary Medicaid Cards During Pregnancy; Training Classes and Public Presentations; Vector Control; WIC; Yellow Fever Program

City Health Department



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County Health Department



County and Health Department Information
Title: Bob Kulp, Administrator
Address: 812 W. Harmony, P.O. Box 447, Neosho, MO 64850
Phone: (417) 451-3743
Population: 50,090 Ratio of primary care physicians per population: 1:183 Number of Hospitals: 2
Governance
Board of trustees (elected) 🗹 County commission 🖵 City council 🗖
Board Chair: Kristy Jones
Funding
Mill tax rate: \$0.05
Total revenue: \$956,748
Local: \$473,437 State: \$75,092 Federal: \$300,339 Other: \$107,880

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Population Based Programs and Continue to Fill Identified Voids

Birth and Death Certificates; Communicable Disease Investigations; CPR Classes; Drinking Water Testing; Environmental Lead Assessments; Immunizations; Inspections of Day Care, Food Service and Lodging Facilities; Lead Testing for Children; On-Site Sewage System Inspections; Pregnancy Testing; Prenatal Case Management; Sexually Transmitted Diseases/HIV Testing; Tuberculosis Skin Testing; WIC

County and Health Department Information
Title: Pamela Allen, Administrator
Address: 413 W. Water Street, Greenfield, MO 65661
Phone: (417) 637-2345
Population: 7,830 Ratio of primary care physicians per population
Governance

County commission 🗖

Funding					
Mill tax rate:	\$0.10				
Total revenue:	\$346,3	333			
Local: \$156,	528	State:	\$108,854	Federal:	\$58

Services

Public Health Focus Areas: Health Education; Health and Environmental Awareness; and Identify Public Health Needs

Bike Helmet/Bike Safety Education; Blood Pressure Screening; Child Seat Education; Children With Special Health Care Needs; Communicable Disease Investigation; Community Education; Death/Birth Certificates; Family Planning; Food Service Inspections; Health Education; HIV/Sexually Transmitted Diseases; Immunizations; Lead Testing; Nutrition Education; On-Site Sewage Inspection; Pregnancy Tests; Prenatal Services; Show Me Healthy Women; Temporary Medicaid Cards During Pregnancy; Water Testing; WIC; Women's Clinic

County Health Department

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on: 1:1969	Number of Hospitals: 0
City council	
8,186	Other: \$22,765