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Health Bulletin

The Mission of the Marion County Health Department is to improve the quality of life through preventing disease and preventative health



Are you a Distracted Driver?

You've seen a woman on the phone drift across lanes. You've seen a man brushing his hair slam on his brakes. You've seen a teen texting and almost hit another car. You've probably been that woman, man, or teen, and you've probably experienced those close calls firsthand. But have you seen what happens when the distracted driver *doesn't* swerve in time or *can't* stop fast enough? **9 deaths per day** occur in the United States because of distracted drivers and countless injuries and accidents are caused by drivers not minding the wheel. DMV.org is concerned about the distracted driving epidemic and the safety of all drivers. To promote safe driving and reduce the number of distracted drivers on our roads, we have launched a year-long distracted driving campaign.

One Distraction Can Steal Your Reaction

DMV.org's message to all drivers is simple: [One distraction can steal your reaction.](#)

Our message is a reminder that a few seconds of distraction can have disastrous results. You're **23 times more likely** to crash if you text and drive, and **3 times more likely** to crash if you're

doing something else, like eating, drinking, or adjusting the stereo.

Pledge to Take Back Your Focus Today

We're starting our campaign by encouraging everyone to take our distracted driving pledge and join our #mindthewheel campaign.

THE THREE TYPES OF DISTRACTED DRIVING AND HOW TO AVOID THEM

 VISUAL	 MANUAL	 COGNITIVE
		
<p>Keep your eyes on the road.</p> <p>Pull over to read directions.</p>	<p>Keep your phone out of reach.</p> <p>Make all adjustments before driving.</p>	<p>Avoid phone calls, even hands-free.</p> <p>Stay focused on the road.</p>
<p>Put your phone in "Do Not Disturb" mode.</p>	<p>Don't reach for items while driving.</p>	<p>Keep your emotions in check.</p>

The catastrophic consequences of distracted driving grow higher each year. Consider the following:

- 9 people die every day in the United States from driving distracted.
- 11% of car accidents leading to fatalities are related to distracted driving.
- When texting, your eyes are off the road for 5 seconds. That's the length of a football field when driving at 55 MPH.
- You are 3 times more likely to crash when performing a visual or manual activity—such as reaching for a phone or the radio.

So remember:

One Distraction Can Steal Your Reaction!



By pledging, you promise your friends and family that you'll:

- Keep your eyes on the road.
- Keep your hands on the wheel.
- Keep your mind on driving.

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February 2017 Statistics

Clinics

Blood Pressure/Blood Sugar Clinics7
Persons served: Blood Pressure.....10
Persons served: Blood Sugar 5
Paternity Testing Clinics 4
Number tested.....7

Immunizations

Number of Clinics 7
No. of adults41
No. of adults immunized..... 22
No. of pediatrics 93
No. of pediatrics immunized 198
Total of vaccines administered 220

Children's Immunizations

Pediarix..... 28
Pediatric Flu 24
Hib38
Prevnar 39
Rotavirus14
Hep A 20
Dtap.....7
MMR.....10
Tdap1
Hepatitis B1
Varicella15
Kinrix 2
Gardasil14
Meningitis..... 8
Pentacel..... 0
IPV (Polio)1
Td 0

Adult Immunizations

Hepatitis A 6
Hepatitis B 4
Flu10
Meningitis..... 0
MMR 3
Pneumonia 231
TD..... 0
Tdap 8
Typhoid..... 3
Varicella 0
Yellow Fever 3
Zostavax1
Prevnar 13..... 6

Nursing

Active WIC 999
Prenatal Clients128

Nursing Continued...

Infant Clients 245
Child Clients 85
Number of Visits..... 254
Prenatal 39
Postpartum 44
Infant Visits 109
Child Visits..... 62
SIDS Investigations 0
APORS Investigations 6
Health Works Active Case Load..... 29
WIC Clients receiving Education . 146
WSSM / WIC Education101
Internet WIC Education..... 6

Communicable Disease Investigations

Chickenpox 0
Cryptosporidiosis 0
Hepatitis B 0
Hepatitis C 3
Histoplasmosis 0
HIV/AIDS Cases Investigated1
HIV Test..... 5
Salmonellosis 0
Streptococcal Infections (Group A) ..1
Whooping Cough (Pertussis) 0

Sexually Transmitted Disease

Chlamydia13
Gonorrhea 5
Syphilis..... 0

TB (Tuberculosis)

Tests Administered.....30
New Prophylactic Patients..... 0
New Investigations 5
New Active Cases 0

Drug Testing

5-Panel Regulated Urine Test 0
9-Panel Non-Regulated Urine Test ..1
5-Panel Hair Test.....0

Screenings

Lead31
Hemoglobins 103
ASQ Developmental Screenings..... 76
Depression Screenings 62
EPSDT'S51
Flouride Varnish (Oral Health).....31
Number of Vision Tested..... 2
Number of Hearing Tested..... 4
OAE Hearing Tested 0

Lab Draws

Private Pay
Salem Office52
Centralia Office24
Total Private Pay Lab Draws..... 76
Quest Lab Draws
Salem Office 8
Centralia Office 5
Total Quest Lab Draws 13

Environmental Health

Food

Routine Inspections..... 31
Follow-up Inspections0
Complaint Inspections0
Temporary Inspections0
Pre-Operational Inspections 1
Emergency Incident Inspections 1
Number of Permits Issued 12

Sewage

Routine Inspections.....9
Complaint Inspections3
Realty Inspections 1
Sewage Systems Installed.....9
Number of Permits Issued5

Water

New System Inspections.....0
Existing Water Well Inspections.....0
Realty Inspections0
Complaint Inspections0
Water Wells Sealed0

Closed Loop Wells

Closed Loop Well Inspections0
Systems Inspected0
Number of Permits Issued0

Tanning

Routine Inspections..... 1
Follow-up Inspections0
Complaint Inspections0

Body Art

Routine Inspections.....0
Follow-up Inspections0
Complaint Inspections0

Miscellaneous

Animal Bites.....0
Pregnancy Tests 1

