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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 maintenance.



COVID-19

How It Spreads

There is currently no vaccine to prevent coronavirus disease. The best way to prevent illness is to avoid being exposed to this virus. The virus is thought to spread mainly from person-to-person.

Take steps to protect yourself

Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds especially after you have been in a public place, or after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing. If soap and water are not available, use a hand sanitizer that contains at least 60% alcohol. Cover all surfaces of your hands and rub them together until they feel dry. Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands. Avoid close contact with people who are sick. Put distance between yourself and other people.



Take steps to protect others



Stay home if you are sick, except to get medical care. Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze or use the inside of your elbow. Throw used tissues in the trash. Immediately wash your hands with soap and water or use hand sanitizer. If you are sick: You should wear a facemask when you are around other people. If you are NOT sick: you do not need to wear a facemask unless you are caring for someone who is sick.

Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces daily with a bleach or an alcohol solution. This includes tables, doorknobs, light switches, countertops, handles, remote controls, phones, and keyboards, etc.

I am not feeling well and have respiratory symptoms, what should I do?

You should consult with your health care provider **by phone** if you have: fever, cough, trouble breathing, or other flu-like symptoms that are not better or are worsening after 24-48 hours. Mild symptoms and are pregnant or immunosuppressed or are an older adult with chronic health conditions. Your health care provider will determine over the phone if you should be tested for COVID-19, and then will call the health department, if needed.

Who should I call about general questions about COVID-19?

For general questions, you can call the IDPH COVID-19 Hotline at 1-800-889-3931 or email IDPH.SICK@illinois.gov. Please note the Hotline does not make decisions about who should be tested for COVID-19.

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February 2020 Statistics

Clinics

Blood Pressure/Blood Sugar Clinics ... 6
 Persons served: Blood Pressure..... 4
 Persons served: Blood Sugar10
Paternity Testing Clinics..... 4
 Number of Persons Tested..... 4

Immunizations

Number of Clinics 7
 No. of adults 52
 No. of adults immz. adm.....37
 No. of pediatrics 84
 No. of pediatrics immz. adm.....216
 Total of vaccines administered 253

Children’s Immunizations

Pediarix 22
 Pediatric Flu 30
 Hib 23
 Prevnar 22
 Rotavirus 12
 Hep A 21
 Dtap..... 9
 MMR 22
 Tdap 2
 Hepatitis B 2
 Varicella 21
 Kinrix 7
 Gardasil 11
 Meningitis..... 5
 Pentacel..... 0
 IPV (Polio) 6
 Td 1
 Men. B..... 0

Adult Immunizations

Hepatitis A 0
 Hepatitis B 1
 Flu 5
 Meningitis..... 0
 MMR 1
 Pneumonia 23 2
 TD..... 0
 Tdap 2
 Typhoid..... 2
 Varicella 0
 Yellow Fever 0
 Prevnar 13..... 1
 Shingrix..... 15

Maternal Child Health (MCH)

Maternal Health Encounters..... 401
WIC Caseload 1042

MCH Continued...

WIC Clients receiving Education...245
 WSSM / WIC Education 107
 Internet WIC Education 9
 Individual WIC Education 29
 Lead..... 37
 Hemoglobins..... 123
 ASQ Developmental Screenings 77
 Depression Screenings 68
 EPSDT’S 36
 Flouride Varnish (Oral Health) 39
 Number of Vision Tested 0
 Number of Hearing Tested 0
 OAE Hearing Tested..... 0
 Pregnancy Tests..... 0

Family Case Management

APORS Visits 3
 Healthworks Caseload..... 81

Communicable Disease Investigations

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

Sexually Transmitted Disease

Chlamydia 25
 Gonorrhea 8
 Syphilis..... 0

TB (Tuberculosis)

Tests Administered..... 22
 New Prophylactic Patients 0
 New Investigations 2
 New Active Cases..... 0

Drug Testing

5-Panel Hair Drug Test 0
 9-Panel Non-Regulated Urine Test ..1
 5-Panel Hair Test w/ Exp.Opiates ... 0

Lab Draws

Private Pay
 Salem Office 58
 Centralia Office 21
Total Private Pay Lab Draws 79

Quest Lab Draws

Salem Office 0
 Centralia Office 2
Total Quest Lab Draws 2

Environmental Health

Food

Routine Inspections..... 11
 Follow-up Inspections 1
 Complaint Inspections 0
 Temporary Inspections 0
 Pre-Operational Inspections 1
 Emergency Incident Inspections 0
 Number of Permits Issued 15

Sewage

Routine Inspections..... 4
 Complaint Inspections 0
 Realty Inspections 0
 Sewage Systems Installed..... 4
 Number of Permits Issued 6

Water

New System Inspections..... 0
 Existing Water Well Inspections..... 0
 Realty Inspections 0
 Complaint Inspections 0
 Water Wells Sealed 1
 Number of Permits Issued..... 0

Closed Loop Wells

Closed Loop Well Inspections 0
 Systems Installed 0
 Number of Permits Issued 0

Tanning

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

Body Art

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

Miscellaneous

Animal Bites..... 1

FIT Test

Female..... 0 Male..... 0

