



2017 Annual Report

Message from the Health Commissioner

It is my pleasure to present the Toledo-Lucas County Health Department's 2017 Annual Report. Over the past year, we have worked diligently to accomplish much for the improved health of our community. Our efforts to advance community response and education regarding the Opiate Epidemic to reduce overdose victims, our continuing work to reduce Infant Mortality, and our proactive approach to attacking Childhood Lead concerns were among the highlights in 2017. We also had a very eventful year, responding to a large, multistate foodborne outbreak and our first posting for recreational water usage due to a harmful algal bloom. Our work continues with the implementation of our strategic plan to guide us through further improvements to the health of the community.

We also submitted our documentation to become a nationally accredited health department, a requirement all Ohio health departments must meet by 2020. The Health Department is involved in so many vital health programs and initiatives that it is impossible to recognize all of them in this brief introduction. This report will provide summaries of our programs and activities on the following pages. I encourage you to review our performance for 2017 and to seek out additional information from our website or contacting us directly. In closing, I would like to recognize the staff at the Health Department. This outstanding group of dedicated professionals are truly our greatest public health asset, who are passionate about serving the public and improving the health of our community. I would like to personally thank them for all they do to improve the health of our community.

Yours in health,



Eric J. Zgodzinski, MPH, RS, CPH
Health Commissioner

Letter From the President

Dear Residents of Lucas County,

It has been a privilege to work with the dedicated staff and administration of the Toledo-Lucas County Health Department again this year. Their endeavors to promote and protect the health of our citizens continues to amaze me. My role as President of the Board has also allowed me to work with strong, caring community members who offer their time, knowledge, and efforts as members of the Board.

Our Strategic Planning Process has been a collaborative approach among administration, staff, the board, and community stakeholders to evaluate our procedures and processes to attain carefully chosen and statistically-driven goals. In order to evaluate our progress with other health departments across the country, we have submitted our documentation to become a nationally accredited health department.

The scope of the programs contained in the Annual Report is but a snapshot of the whole picture - of the TLCHD team striving to create and maintain...

A Healthier Lucas County for Everyone !



Donna Woodson, MD
President

Environmental Health Services

Food Sanitation

Food Service Operations Licensed	1,743
Inspections Completed	3,858
Food Safety Complaint Inspections	493
Food Service – Mobiles Licensed	120
Inspections Completed	177
Food Service – Temporaries Licensed	298
Inspections Completed	306
Food Service – Vending Licenses	220
Inspections Completed	206
Retail Food Establishments Licensed	707
Inspections Completed	1,899

Solid Waste

Compost Facilities Licensed	15
Inspections Completed	15
Construction, Demolition & Debris Facilities Licensed	2
Inspections Completed	36
Solid Waste – Landfills Licensed	1
Inspections Completed	12
Infectious Waste Treatment Facilities	1
Inspections Completed	11
Scrap Yards Licensed	5
Inspections Completed	5

Lead Program

Children Screened	595
Lead Cases Managed	282
Risk Assessments Completed	28
Lead Ordinance Properties Registered	816
Section 8 Properties Registered	199

Household Sewage Treatment

Permits Issued	82
Inspections Completed	83
Site Reviews Completed	98

Potable Water Systems

Permits Issued	36
Inspections Completed	22
Water Samples	176

Campground / Recreational Vehicle Parks

Facilities Licensed	14
Inspections Completed	29

Rodent Control

Inspections Completed	1,784
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Schools

Number of K-12 Schools	175
Inspections Completed	350

Public Swimming Pools

Facilities Licensed	250
Inspections Completed	469

Body Art

Facilities Licensed	31
Inspections Completed	59

Smoke Free Workplace

Inspections Completed	87
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Rabies Control

Bite Reports Completed	783
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Nuisance

Inspections Completed	309
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Board of Health Members

Donna Woodson, MD, President

Representing City of Maumee
Term Expires: July 2018

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Representing City of Toledo
Term Expires: July 2017

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Term Expires: March 2020

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Term Expires: July 2018

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Term Expires: July 2019

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Term Expires: September 2018

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Term Expires: July 2019

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Term Expires: March 2017

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Term Expires: March 2019

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Term Expires: March 2018

Susan Postal

Representing City of Toledo
Term Expires: July 2018

Johnathon Ross, MD

Representing District Advisory Council
Term Expires: March 2019

Barbara Ann Sarantou

Representing City of Toledo
Term Expires: July 2019

Community Services Response and Preparedness

Communicable Diseases

Diseases Reported	7,184
Confirmed or Suspect Outbreaks	27

The division of Community Services, Response and Preparedness (CSRP) houses the office of emergency preparedness and the office of epidemiology. CSRP utilizes its expertise to plan, train, report, and disseminate information on public health issues and incidents that affect the residents of Lucas County. All CSRP staff are funded through the public health emergency preparedness (PHEP) grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). The PHEP grant helps local health departments build and strengthen their abilities to effectively respond to a range of public health threats, including infectious diseases, natural disasters, and biological, chemical, nuclear, and radiological events. Preparedness activities funded by the PHEP grant are targeted specifically for the development of emergency-ready public health departments that are flexible and adaptable.

In 2017, the office of emergency preparedness continued to increase planning and coordination efforts among community partners in Lucas County to include law enforcement, emergency management, fire, emergency medical services, hospitals, healthcare agencies, non-governmental organizations, and non-profit agencies. A major focus this year was emergency response planning during natural disasters. Public health staff and community agencies have participated and trained in several exercises to test plans, capitalize on strengths, and improve upon areas of weakness. Staff in the office of emergency preparedness have attended several trainings, including the Preparedness Summit held by the National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO). The Preparedness Summit is the pinnacle conference for public health emergency preparedness professionals to gain knowledge, skills, and abilities to bring back to local jurisdictions. Emergency preparedness staff have also sustained and increased their working knowledge of emergency/incident response by attending several hands-on training seminars with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

The office of epidemiology has continued to provide surveillance of communicable diseases across Lucas County. Staff in the office of epidemiology work with local hospitals, healthcare agencies, and primary care providers to monitor, track, and investigate disease transmission throughout Lucas County. Epidemiology staff have conducted contact tracing and intervention steps for individuals involved in small and large communicable disease outbreaks. Coordination and problem solving have taken place with agencies and jurisdictions outside of Lucas County including the seventeen counties of Northwest Ohio, State of Michigan, State of Ohio, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

The Lucas County Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) continues to provide training and networking opportunities for individuals who volunteer during public health emergencies. Formed following the terror attacks of September 11, 2001, the MRC welcomes both medically and non-medically trained individuals to assist public health and other first response agencies when the next disaster occurs. Currently the Lucas County MRC has over 130 volunteers and holds meetings, training seminars, and networking sessions on a regular basis.

Outreach Services

Children with Medical Handicaps

Caseload	1,349
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Minority Health Program

Individuals Assisted with Marketplace & Medicaid	6,716
Tai Chi Class Attendees	4,496

AIDS Program

HIV Tests Performed	3,414
Hepatitis C Rapid Test Positives	3

Disease Intervention Specialists

HIV Cases Investigated	50
HIV Partners Contacted	205
Syphilis Cases Investigated	58
Syphilis Partners Contacted	111

School Health

Hearing Screenings Completed	2,855
Vision Screenings Completed	3,132
Comprehensive Dentistry	2,137
Dental Sealants	5,828
Comprehensive Eye Exams	1,350

Healthy Start Program

Participants Served	841
Cribs Distributed	568
Reproductive Life Plans Completed	741

Northwest Ohio Syringe Services (NOSS)

Syringes Distributed	3,654
Syringes Returned	1,883

Tobacco Prevention Program

Parks that adopted SmokeFree Policies	24
Number of Apartment Units Converted to SmokeFree	1,007

Tuberculosis Prevention

TB Tests Performed	1,276
TB Outreach Visits Provided	311

Women, Infants and Children Program

Average Monthly Caseload	11,682
Breastfeeding Consultations	2,834
Farmer's Market Coupons Value Redeemed	\$92,000
Coupons were redeemed for Ohio grown fresh fruits and vegetables.	

Health Services

Clinic Services

Adult Medical/Family Practice Visits	3,247
Pediatric/Adolescent Visits	1,434
Prenatal/OB/Gyn Visits	1,763
Sexually Transmitted Disease Visits	1,590
Children's Dental Clinic Visits	3,982
Vision Visits	339

Immunizations

Adult Immunizations	1,201
Childhood Vaccines	7,880
Flu Vaccines	2,413
Travel Immunizations	1,070

Laboratory Services

Phlebotomy Performed	2,859
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Pharmacy

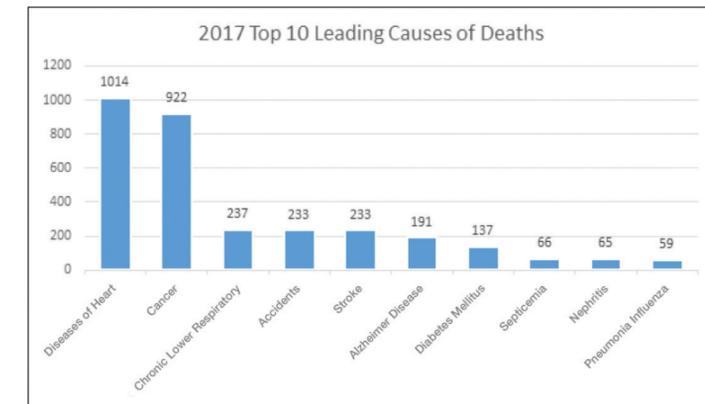
New Prescriptions Filled	3,372
Refilled Prescriptions	5,094

Western Lucas County Clinic

Adult Medical/Family Practice Visits	1,275
Prenatal/OB/Gyn Visits	93
Dental Visits	39

Vital Statistics

Live Births	5,350
Females	2,608
Males	2,742
Total Deaths	4,538



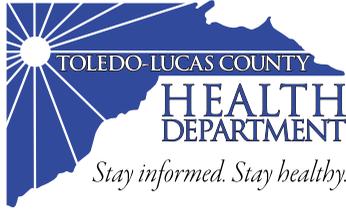
*For additional information on Lucas County deaths please visit our website



Financial Report – Fiscal Year 2017

	General Revenue Fund	Special Revenue Fund-Fees	Special Revenue Fund-Grant	Special Revenue Fund-FQHC	TOTAL
Beginning Balance 1/1/17	\$515,612.86	\$50,518.35	\$ -	\$ -	\$566,131.21
2017 Revenues:					
Charges for Services	565,551.73	405,228.79	(1,234.25)	2,298,423.10	3,267,969.37
Licenses & Permits	-	1,341,270.78	-	-	1,341,270.78
Fine & Forfeits	-	1,171.37	-	-	1,171.37
Intergovernmental	3,666,695.80	277,041.26	6,257,464.00	912,727.40	11,113,928.46
Donations	22,614.20	-	1,020.00	568.22	24,202.42
Other	37,495.80	390.00	4,428.65	13,807.04	56,121.49
Transfers In	707,774.07	701,265.07	-	1,167,009.86	2,576,049.00
Advances In	-	-	(386,269.76)	-	(386,269.76)
Total of 2017 Revenues	\$5,000,131.60	\$2,726,367.27	\$5,875,408.64	\$4,392,535.62	\$17,994,443.13
2017 Expenditures:					
Personal Services	1,692,407.96	1,567,633.10	2,667,816.19	2,009,188.52	7,937,045.77
Fringe Benefits	631,056.52	584,383.08	864,914.54	883,085.69	2,963,439.83
Contract Services	372,368.92	21,939.88	1,877,072.69	314,993.64	2,586,375.13
Materials & Supplies	90,327.31	59,907.00	192,833.29	581,208.19	924,275.79
Operating Expenses	172,496.72	67,195.98	179,816.65	111,580.23	531,089.58
Utilities	-	3,195.00	-	-	3,195.00
Capital Outlay	4,728.80	-	5,048.95	3,000.00	12,777.75
Transfers Out	2,394,848.86	-	-	181,200.14	2,576,049.00
Advanced Out	(386,269.76)	-	-	-	(386,269.76)
Total of 2017 Expenditures	\$4,971,965.33	\$2,304,254.04	\$5,787,502.31	\$4,084,256.41	\$17,147,978.09
Ending Balance 12/31/17	\$543,779.13	\$472,631.58	\$87,906.33	\$308,279.21	\$1,412,596.25
Outstanding Obligations 12/31/17					\$1,625,194.85





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Contact Information

Administrative Services

Accounts Payable – (419) 213-4009
Birth and Death Certificates – (419) 213-4832
Human Resources – (419) 213-4104

Community Services Response & Preparedness

Epidemiology & Disaster Preparedness (419) 213-4246
Medical Reserve Corp – (419) 213-4152

Environmental Health

General Environmental Issues – (419) 213-4074
Restaurant Complaints – (419) 213-4864
Smoke-Free Indoor Air Hotline – to log a complaint
1-866-559-6446

Health Services

Adult & Travel Immunizations – (419) 213-4163
Breastfeeding Support – (419) 213-2124
Children's Dental Clinic – (419) 213-4266
Clinic Appointments – (419) 213-4209
Laboratory – (419) 213-4248
Pharmacy – (419) 213-4026
Shots for Tots and Teens– (419) 213-4121
WIC Appointments – (419) 213-4422

Outreach Services

Creating Healthy Communities – (419) 213-4168
Healthy Start Program – (419) 213-2660
HIV/AIDS Program – (419) 213-4131
Minority Health – (419) 213-4095

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Mission Statment:

The Toledo-Lucas County Health Department is committed to being the leader in public health by promoting and protecting the health of all people where they live, learn, work and play.