

Vital Records

Birth and Death Certificates

- Issues certified birth and death certificates for the state of Colorado as a local registrar



Board of Public Health

The Board of Public Health reviews and makes recommendations regarding biosolids and septage applications, as well as variances for On-Site Wastewater Treatment Systems. Board meetings are at 9:00 a.m. the 4th Tuesday of each month.

MISSION

We serve Weld County by cultivating partnerships to promote public health and environmental quality through the delivery of relevant, innovative, and cost-effective services.

VISION

Everyone in Weld County has the opportunity to live their healthiest lives.

VALUES

Determination

Integrity

Excellence

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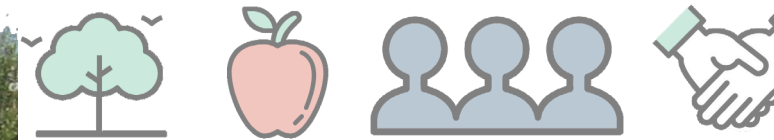
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WHAT IS PUBLIC HEALTH?



Weld County Department of Public Health and Environment



Public Health
Prevent. Promote. Protect.



Clinical & Community Health Services



Immunizations

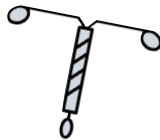
- Routine and recommended vaccines for adults and children, as well as vaccines for travel abroad

Nurse-Family Partnership (NFP)

- Nurse home visitors provide free support and resource navigation to qualified first-time moms starting in pregnancy through the 2nd birthday

Reproductive Health/ Family Planning

- STI testing and treatment, pregnancy tests, birth control, well-woman exams, and HIV prevention treatments



Women's Wellness Connection (WWC) and WISEWOMAN

- Free breast and cervical cancer screenings, as well as cardiovascular and diabetes screenings for uninsured or underinsured women

Children with Special Health Care Needs

- Connects children with special health care needs and their families with support resources

Presumptive Eligibility

- Immediate temporary medical coverage for children under 19 or pregnant women for up to 60 days



Environmental Health Services

Food Safety

- Licenses and inspects retail food establishments and teaches safe food-handling practices

Animal-Related Diseases

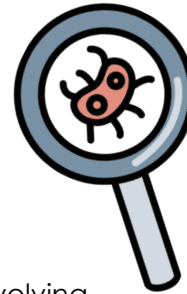
- Investigates diseases that are spread from animals to humans to prevent further spread

Disease Control and Prevention

- Investigates infectious diseases, responds to outbreaks, provides education and referrals, and documents disease incidence

Health Inspections Programs

- Inspects for the safe operation of ambulance services, body art establishments, child care centers, and schools



Lead Program

- Conducts home investigations involving children with elevated blood lead levels

Air Quality Program

- Addresses air quality complaints, issues open burn permits, inspects stationary sources of air pollution, and monitors air quality



Laboratory

- Provides microbiology and chemistry analyses for drinking water and wastewater

Environmental Planning

- Reviews proposed land uses and provides expertise on the public health issues of a proposed development

Waste Program

- Interacts with compost and solid waste facilities through land use planning, site inspections, and complaint investigations



Hazardous Waste Disposal

- Offers free disposal of household products that can harm humans, animals, and the environment

Septic Systems

- Permits, evaluates, and inspects new and existing onsite wastewater treatment systems

Biosolids and Septage

- Implements regulations and issues land application permits

Health Education, Communication, & Planning



Childhood Obesity Prevention

- Collaborates with municipalities and early education settings to promote healthy eating, physical activity, and breastfeeding

Healthy Eating and Active Living

- Focuses on the built environment, policies, and systems influencing health and obesity prevention

Cooking Matters

- Teaches those with a limited food budget to shop for and cook healthy, affordable meals

Substance Abuse Prevention

- Prevents substance use among young people through effective programs and policies

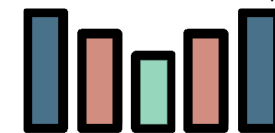
DRIVE SMART Weld County

- Works to reduce injuries and deaths from traffic crashes among teens



WeldWAITS

- Educates teens about the benefits of delayed sexual debut and equips them with the skills needed to develop healthy relationships



Data and Statistics

- The collection and analysis of various health indicators