

Are You Ready?

Emergency Preparedness for Your Family

Living in the mountains can mean extreme weather conditions. Whether it is blizzards, floods, or strong winds, being prepared at home will help you through emergencies within your community.

Prepare a home emergency kit that includes:

- 2-week supply of water and ready-to eat food and manual can opener
- Medications and prescription information
- Portable radio, flashlight, & extra batteries
- Non-cordless phone
- Pet food and supplies
- Cleaning or disinfecting wipes
- First-aid kit & alcohol-based hand sanitizer

Have on hand:

- Family emergency contact information & important documents in waterproof, portable containers
- Extra cash

Listen to official reports:

- Local radio, TV, & newspapers will have emergency information including shelter locations
- Emergency information is also available at :

www.hcemergencyplan.org



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Clinic & Immunization Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday

8:00am-11:30am & 1:00pm-4:00pm

Thursday

9:30am-12:30pm & 2:00pm-5:30pm

Administration & Environmental Health Hours

Monday - Friday: 8:00am - 4:30pm

Mission Statement:

“Assess the health of the community and assure that its health needs are met by preventing diseases and promoting wellness through the delivery of clinical, environmental, and community health and educational services.”

*Adopted by the Henderson County
Board of Health, May 1992*

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HENDERSON COUNTY, NC DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Programs & Services

Serving your community

for over 60 years!



Programs & Services



EVERYWHERE



EVERYDAY



EVERYBODY

Environmental Health

- Restaurants, lodging, schools, & camp inspections
- Septic system approval & inspections
- Food and waterborne disease investigation
- Well inspection and approval
- Mosquito & vector control

Immunizations

- Infant, children, teen & adult immunizations
- School & college entry vaccinations & boosters
- Influenza & Pneumonia Shots

Foreign Travel Vaccinations

- Official yellow fever vaccination clinic
- Health recommendations specific to travel destinations
- Vaccinations & malaria prophylaxis prescriptions recommended for each destination

Nutrition & WIC Services

- Nutrition supplement program for Women, Infants & Children (WIC)
- Food demonstrations — English & Spanish
- Breastfeeding Peer Counseling Program
- KidFit — weight management for children
- Nutritional counseling

Women's Health

- Family planning services, birth control methods, pregnancy testing & counseling
- Prenatal & postpartum care
- Maternity Care Coordination (targeted case management) for women during pregnancy & postpartum period
- Diagnosis & treatment for sexually transmitted diseases (STD)
- Breast & cervical cancer screening program for eligible women

Men's Health

- Diagnosis & treatment for sexually transmitted diseases (STD)
- Family planning & vasectomy program

Child Health

- Primary care for newborns to age 21 including physicals & sick care
- Child Service Coordination (targeted case management) for young children & families
- School Health Nursing & Smart Start Child Care Health Consultant services

Behavioral Health Services

- Available to clients & families receiving health department services

Vital Statistics

- Preparation of records & reports of county's births and deaths

Communicable Disease

Prevention

- Tuberculosis (TB) Control Program
- Confidential HIV counseling & testing
- General communicable disease reporting and investigation

Health Education

- Community Health Assessment
- Health promotion & chronic disease prevention
- Injury Prevention & Passenger Safety Education
- Health data & information

Dental Services

- Education, screening, and referral services for children
- Resources & programs for the general public
- Fluoride varnish services for children
- Smart Start Dental Program