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The Health Department appreciates the public health contribution of all who gave their time, expertise or other help in our pursuit of a healthier community, as well as local businesses who collaborated with us and supported many of our educational projects by supplying incentives, food, educators and other assistance.

Thank you!

The Monroe County Health Department developed a strategic plan which was approved in October of 2014 by the Monroe County Board of Health. It may be viewed at:

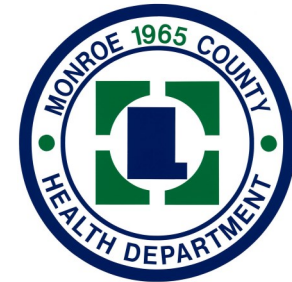
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**Monroe County
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2018 Annual Report



MISSION

To protect, promote and improve the health of all people in Monroe County.

VISION

Leading and partnering to create a healthier and safer Monroe County Community.

**Public Health
Is Your Health**

Funding for Public Health Services

Health Fund: Revenue received in 2018

Taxes: \$ 457,247.28

Fees: \$ 484,849.26

Misc.: \$ 5,556.88

STD Grant: \$ 128,460.61

The health fund provides resources for public health services to the community such as identifying health hazards, investigating potential disease transmission, vital records information, education, developing policy, and linking people to services. This is a collaborative effort to ensure Indiana Code and local ordinance requirements are upheld in order to meet public health standards.

Thirteen full-time and three part-time employees, the Health Officer, and seven health board members are financially supported through the health fund.

Two partnerships are supported with these funds as well:

- Monroe County Public Health Clinic (MCPHC) provides community health services and immunizations - \$ 158,100.00
- Indiana Recovery Alliance (IRA) provides harm reduction services and support - \$ 12,000.00

In addition, IRA receives funds from local grants, such as Sophia Travis.

A Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) grant is also included in the health fund - \$ 127,500.00

Local Health Maintenance Fund: \$ 72,672.00

The LHMF supplements the health fund by providing additional health services such as infectious disease follow-up and environmental health support. Two part-time positions are supported through this fund, as well as a partnership with Volunteers in Medicine (VIM) who receives \$ 15,000 to provide prenatal care to low-income women.

Indiana Local Health Department Trust Account Fund: \$ 54,261.98

Provides a Tobacco Cessation Health Educator to promote and provide tobacco cessation and education in an effort to reduce death associated with tobacco use and other health risks that contribute to chronic diseases.

Title X: \$ 75,865.00

Fees/donations/3rd party/misc.: \$ 57,948.26

This federal grant is through the Indiana Family Health Council (IFHC) for reproductive health care and family planning for women. Services include pap smears, breast exams, pregnancy tests, STD screening and treatment, education, and contraceptives. Two full-time and three part-time positions are included in this grant.

Bio Terrorism: \$ 20,614.00

Funding is provided by HHS through ISDH and assists the MCHD in developing emergency preparedness. This grant funds one part-time position and 3% of a full-time position for Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) coordination and training.

Harm Reduction Grant: \$ 55,439.00

Provides an additional \$ 10,000 to the IRA to support the syringe services program. Funds also support a full-time Harm Reduction Educator to implement harm reduction strategies to target people engaging in high risk behaviors, provide education to help them reduce the risk of harm to themselves and others, and provide HIV and HCV testing.

Syringe Services Grant: \$ 15,000.00

Provides an additional \$ 15,000 to IRA to support the syringe services program.

Overdose Prevention Grant: \$ 41,250.00

Enables develop of overdose response plans/protocol and supported Monroe County Pathways - a program designed to help people access treatment.

NACCHO Medical Reserve Corps (MRC): \$ 2,500.00

To build the capacity of local MRC units.

Radon Grant: \$ 3,000.00

To assist staff with radon testing and education.

Immunization Grant: \$ 25,290.00

To improve immunization rates in Monroe County.