



**NKYHEALTH**  
NORTHERN KENTUCKY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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## COVID-19 PANDEMIC PUBLIC HEALTH RESPONSE

Through June 24, 2022, there have been 123,423 reported COVID-19 cases in the district. Using 2019 census estimates 65% of the NKY Health population have been fully vaccinated.

## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY

- Performed nearly 7,000 food program related services, over 2,000 public facilities services, approximately 3,000 general sanitation services and nearly 2,500 on-site sewage services during the fiscal year.
- Developed and implemented target population-based lead poisoning interventions with 549 families, medical and service providers, non-profits, agency partners and other stakeholders.

## CLINICAL SERVICES

- 40,421 visits were made to the health centers or community-based service locations.
- 26,250 unduplicated clients were served and of those 6,734 received Pediatric/Adult Preventative services, 911 received Family Planning, 420 received sexual health services or cancer screening.
- Women, Infants and Children (WIC) nutrition program participation numbers increased 15% from FY2021 to FY2022 (8,738 to 10,047 clients).
- With the help of peer counselors, women in WIC who are breastfeeding increased 20% from FY2021 to FY2022.

## POPULATION HEALTH

- Virally suppressed HIV positive clients receiving Ryan White HIV/AIDS program medical care in the district (82%) exceeded the national measure of 77%.
- 96% of individuals testing positive for HIV were linked to infectious disease medical care.
- A total of 1,590 participants (4,518 visits) were served through the syringe access exchange program.
- A total of 4,949 naloxone kits were provided to individuals at risk of experiencing or witnessing an overdose. In June 2022, NKY Health began offering online training for naloxone and upon completion, a naloxone kit was mailed to their home.
- NKY Health contracted with 12 pharmacies located in low income areas to provide free nicotine replacement therapy (NRT) to 490 individuals.
- NKY Health assisted four communities with Active Transportation Initiatives in Grant County, Kenton County, Newport, and Fort Thomas.
- The Adult Oral Health Program served 256 participants in FY22 which included 90 residents in Boone County, 85 residents in Campbell County, and 81 residents in Kenton County. One participant stated that "It saved my life" by enabling her to have heart surgery. Another participant who received dentures reported the dental work "gave me my life back".

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## FINANCING PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES



