



National Public Health Week April 7-13, 2025

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30 Years NPHW National Public Health Week: It Starts Here
APRIL 7-13, 2025



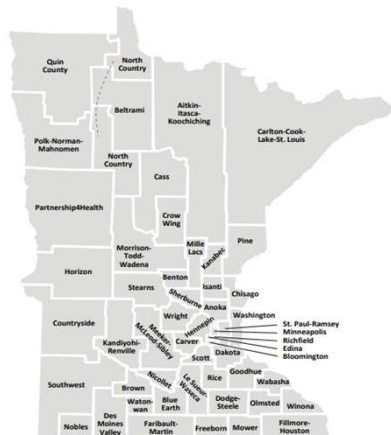
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**Community Health Boards
 keep us safe!**

- Legal governing authority for local public health in Minnesota.
- Address and implement essential local public health activities.



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Community Health Board responsibilities

1. Assure an adequate local public health infrastructure.
2. Promote healthy communities and healthy behavior.
3. Prevent the spread of communicable diseases.
4. Protect against environmental health hazards.
5. Prepare and respond to emergencies.
6. Assure health services.

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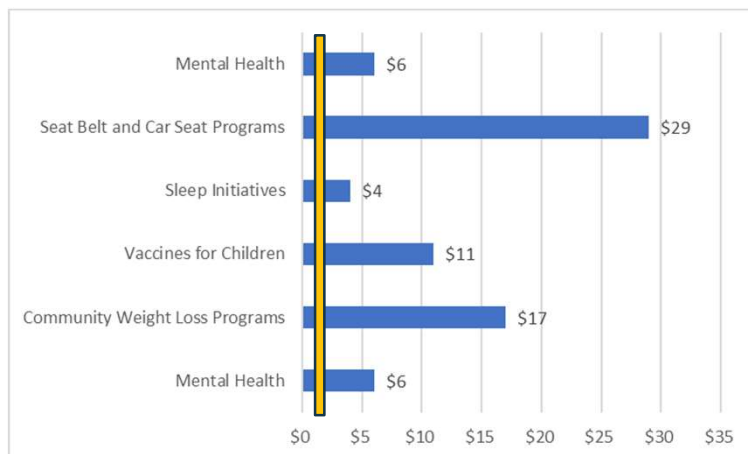
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Efficiency is trending!



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Return on investment for every \$1 invested in...



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2024 Public Health Highlights

- PH nurses, dietitians, and staff met with over 9,200 during and after pregnancy to provide health and development information.
- Over 4,400 vaccines were provided to community members at 67 county and community clinics.
- Opioid team provided trainings to over 60 people to help prevent and reduce overdoses and stigma.

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2024 Public Health Highlights

- Our fall prevention team served 39 residents.
- We make a lot of calls... Nearly 6,000 families were contacted by phone by our C&TC staff.
- Health Promotion team leveraged over \$90k in new funds for active living and physical development.
- And over 1,000 radon test kits were distributed by our Environmental Health team.

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Recommendation



To encourage residents to take action to promote their health, the health of their families, and health of their community, staff recommends the Dakota County Board of Commissioners recognizes Public Health Week in Dakota County, April 7-13, 2025.



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Thank you!



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