



ADAMS COUNTY
HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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Menu of Services for School Partners



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us know how we can work together to
support our community's health:

**ACHD Community Engagement
& Education Request Form**

Please click below to access ACHD data:

ACHD Data Request Form

MENTAL HEALTH PROMOTION

Adams County Health Department (ACHD) engages with community partners to support mental health access, increase awareness, prevent suicide, prevent overdose deaths, increase awareness and education about factors leading to preventable deaths, and increase engagement and responsiveness. We promote resources for positive mental health and to eliminate stigma associated with mental health and suicide.

Join our Behavioral Health Coalition, which brings together community members and partners to learn, align, and integrate our efforts to achieve a mentally healthy, suicide-free, and overdose-free Adams County.



Please email us to learn more. You can also view current mental health data through our ***Mental Health Dashboard***.

To learn more about substance use, visit our ***Substance Use Dashboard***.

behavioralhealth@adcogov.org



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IMMUNIZATIONS

Our ACHD Immunization Clinic provides low- and no-cost vaccines for under and uninsured infants, children, and adults. We offer all routine infant and child vaccines, adult routine vaccines, flu vaccine, COVID-19 vaccine, Mpox vaccine, and tuberculosis skin tests.

immunizations@adcogov.org | 303.451.0123



HEALTH ENROLLMENT TEAM

Our Health Enrollment Team assists with applications for Connect for Health Colorado, Medicaid, and CHP+. This includes making changes to household information, renewal paperwork, and troubleshooting. The team provides services in-person, over the phone, or via video conferencing using Zoom.

healthenrollment@adcogov.org
303.363.3013

SEXUAL HEALTH



Our Sexual Health Team provides confidential birth control and sexually transmitted infection (STI) testing and treatment for all Adams County residents, regardless of gender, age, marital status, income, or proof of residence.

shp@adcogov.org | 303.363.3018

HARM REDUCTION

Our Harm Reduction Team provides services and supports to reduce risks related to substance use, including HIV, Hepatitis C, and STI testing; harm reduction supplies; education; and resources in a safe, non-judgmental place. Resources include Naloxone, Fentanyl test strips, and other safe use supplies.



harmreduction@adcogov.org | 303.363.3077



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HEALTH INSPECTIONS IN SCHOOLS

We review and approve building plans for new or remodeled licensed kitchens, childcare programs, public pools, and schools. We provide health inspections for these programs to make sure they comply with all applicable health and sanitation regulation requirements. Our team also provides educational trainings and materials in basic food safety, hand washing demonstrations, environmental health concerns, and incorporating disease prevention practices into daily routines.



Kitchen Inspections

environmentalhealthinspections@adccgov.org

and **ehplanreviewsupport@adccgov.org**

303.288.6816



Childcare & School Inspections

ehchildcare@adccgov.org | 303.288.6816



Pool Inspections and Water Program

ehwaterprogram@adccgov.org | 303.288.6816

FOOD ACCESS

ACHD works with community partners to increase nutrition and food security within Adams County through various initiatives such as the Healthy Farmers Markets in Thornton and food policy and advocacy.

foodaccess@adcogov.org | 303.763.0417

WOMEN, INFANTS, & CHILDREN (WIC)

WIC nutrition program provides nutritious groceries, nutrition education, breastfeeding support, and other services free of charge to Adams County families who qualify. The program also provides access to Breastfeeding Peer counselors, who are moms who have breastfed their own babies and have special training to help other breastfeeding moms. They offer practical help and support to WIC participants during and after business hours when others may not be available to help.

wic@adcogov.org

Bennett: **303.439.5990**

Brighton: **303.659.2335**

Commerce City: **303.439.5990**

North Broadway (70th & Broadway): **303.426.5232**

Westminster: **303.255.6254**

PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE

The emergency preparedness and response program strives to minimize negative outcomes, injuries, disease, and illness by planning and preparing for potential public health incidents and threats that may impact the health and safety of our population. Our team is available to review emergency plans, support development of new plans, identify gaps, and provide recommendations while forging strong partnerships in support of resiliency and recovery within the community.

laoliveto@adcogov.org | 303.809.3266



COMMUNICABLE DISEASE

The communicable disease team assists with implementing measures to help prevent the spread of infectious illnesses among students and staff. This includes providing infection control guidance, communications, and reporting.

disease@adcogov.org or
outbreak@adcogov.org | 720.769.7600

YOUTH TOBACCO/ VAPING PREVENTION

Our tobacco team provides technical assistance to develop effective policies that incorporate education, staff training, and restorative practices to connect students with evidence-based resources, while keeping them in the classroom.

The tobacco team also provides support to local governments and the local tobacco retail community to develop effective policies and equitable enforcement strategies to keep commercial tobacco products out of the hands of Adams County youth.

tobacco@adcogov.org
303.220.9200



POLICY & PUBLIC AFFAIRS

The Public Health Act of 2008 compels local health departments to inform, educate, develop, and implement public policy that improves community health. We can assist you in researching best practices for priority issue areas in your community and developing a strategic plan that considers the entire continuum of policy development, using data to pinpoint the issue, convening community partnerships, developing the policy or program language, working through implementation challenges, and evaluating performance.

publichealthleg@adcogov.org | 517.610.6503

CHILD FATALITY REVIEW TEAM (CFRT)



ACHD is responsible for reviewing injury- and violence-related fatalities of children ages 0-17 that occur in Adams County. School District participation is required on the cross-agency, multi-discipline Child Fatality Review Team to help identify specific risk and protective factors that can be mitigated or enhanced through best practices and evidence-based interventions. School Districts provide critical insight for developing robust strategies for fatality prevention.

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HCP (A PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN & YOUTH WITH SPECIAL HEALTHCARE NEEDS)

Nurses provide information, share resources, and care coordination for children and youth with special healthcare needs, such as prematurity, genetic disorders, autism, diabetes, attention deficit disorders, or other issues that impact families.

hcupreferrals@adcogov.org | 303.517.0427



NURSE SUPPORT PROGRAM

Nurses provide Adams County pregnant and parenting families individualized support, education, resources, and care coordination to help them be their strongest. Families are eligible if they meet income requirements, are pregnant or parenting a child under six months, and live in Adams County.

nursesupportreferrals@adcogov.org
303.815.0046

NURSE FAMILY PARTNERSHIP



Nurses provide home visits for residents who are pregnant with their first baby. The program helps first-time parents have healthy pregnancies, become knowledgeable and successful parents, and provide their babies with the best possible start in life.

nfpreferrals@adcogov.org | 303.255.6246

DIABETES EDUCATION PROGRAMS

Journey to Wellness is a grant-funded, year-long, lifestyle change program, designed for individuals who have pre-diabetes, have previously been diagnosed with gestational diabetes, or are at risk of developing diabetes. Diabetes Self-Empowerment Program classes provide eight hours of support and skills to assist with managing diabetes.



diabeteseducation@adcogov.org



BREASTFEEDING SUPPORT

ACHD staff offer Baby Café, a weekly drop-in group open to all pregnant and breastfeeding families in the community. Contact the local WIC office for dates and times. ACHD also offers support to organizations and companies that want to become a Breastfeeding Friendly Employer.



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