



District Advisory Council Newsletter

October—December 2021

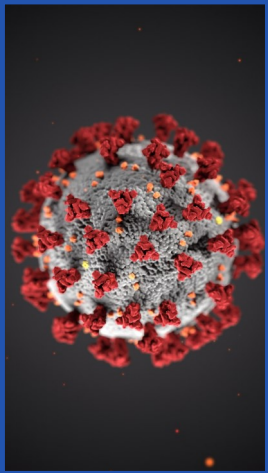
LCHD Welcomes New Health Commissioner

The Logan County Health District (LCHD) welcomed Travis Irvan, MPH as Health Commissioner in August 2021 after his acceptance of a 5 year contract with the district. Irvan is the successor of Dr. Boyd Hoddinott, now serving as LCHD’s part-time Medical Director. Irvan earned his Masters of Public Health from the University of Toledo. He comes from Delaware General Health District having served Delaware County since 2006, working in epidemiology and program management. He has also worked with LCHD for numerous years while providing contract epidemiological services to Logan County.



COVID-19 in Logan County

Between October 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021, there were 2,530 COVID-19 cases reported in Logan County Residents. The average age of these cases was 41 years old. 82 residents were hospitalized and there were 32 deaths reported in this 3-month window. Of the hospitalizations, 16 were fully vaccinated but none had received a booster if they were eligible. Eighty percent (80%) of the hospitalizations were unvaccinated. Six (6) of the deaths were fully vaccinated and no deaths reported had received a booster if they were eligible. Eighty-one percent (81%) of the COVID-19 related deaths were unvaccinated.



Public Health Nursing

LCHD continues to provide both childhood and adult immunizations to the Logan County community on top of COVID-19 vaccinations. Childhood and adult immunizations like Hepatitis B, DTaP, Tdap, HPV and Flu are all available by appointment to the Logan County community. To schedule an appointment for childhood or adult immunizations, call (937) 651-6189.

COVID-19 Vaccinations are still ongoing at LCHD’s office. Clinics are available throughout each week with hours available by both appointment and walk-in.

Visit www.loganhealth.org for more information.



Logan County's WIC Office Has Moved!

Logan County's Women, Infants and Children (WIC) Office has a new home, located in the same building as Logan County Job and Family Services at 1 Hunter Place in Bellefontaine.

Though the office has moved, everything else has remained the same including staff members, phone numbers, e-mail addresses and services provided.

WIC staff continue to provide supplemental food and nutrition education, breastfeeding education, healthcare referrals, immunization screenings and referrals, and supplemental foods to those eligible Logan County residents.

Eligible residents include:

- Pregnant women
- Women who have a baby less than six months old
- Breastfeeding mothers
- Infants and children up to five years old
- Women, Infants and Children with gross income that meets program guidelines

The WIC Staff can be reached at (937) 599-3345 during the normal hours of:

Monday—Wednesday: 8:00 AM-11:30 AM

1:00-4:00 PM

Thursday: CLOSED

Friday: 8:00-11:30 AM



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