

# TETON COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

ANNUAL REPORT  
JULY 1, 2020 – JUNE 30, 2021



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# WELCOME

Dear Community Member,

I am pleased to share with you the Teton County Health Department annual report for 2020-2021. We are fortunate in Teton County to have the support of the community, the Board of Health, and the Board of County Commissioners in carrying out our work. We would like to thank them for this support and for allowing us to work toward our Mission, to promote the health and wellbeing of the community through protection and prevention efforts in collaboration with an engaged public and other community partners.

This last year there were major changes that occurred in our COVID-19 response as federal and state funding sources became available. In this fiscal year we were able to hire approximately 87 COVID staff to help in the response. These staff assisted in public information, isolation and quarantine guidance, vaccine clinics, connecting the community with testing and answering questions, assisting businesses as they worked through COVID-19 challenges, and more. These staff allowed our regular staff to transition out of the COVID-19 response and back to our regular programs. During this fiscal year the first COVID-19 vaccinations became available and easier to access testing also became possible through the Curative kiosks. The Teton County Health Department continued to build off its foundation for the COVID-19 response from last fiscal year and continued to expand its capabilities and resources for the community.

We continue to strive for fiscal responsibility by maximizing resources through grant opportunities and the collection of fees for services. We continue to provide a high level of service throughout the Department including family planning client visits, immunizations provided, maternal and child health visits, drinking water samples tested, food inspections, pool and spa inspections, promotion of health messages through community events, advertising and other outreach efforts, promoting the Network of Care (a community resource guide and community data indicator website), prevention services related to alcohol, tobacco and other drugs, and suicide prevention.

Providing the highest quality services and improving the health of our community are why we are proud to serve Teton County. Our staff and I look forward to continuing our work together to make health available to all.

Sincerely,

Jodie Pond, MPH, MCHES®  
Director of Health  
Teton County Health Department



## VISION

We envision a safe environment and a healthy community.



## MISSION

Our mission is to promote the health and wellbeing of the community through protection and prevention efforts in collaboration with an engaged public and other community partners.



## SERVICE

We are proactive and responsive to the needs of our community.



## TEAMWORK

We collaborate with our co-workers, partners, and the public to create a healthy community.



## RESPECT FOR ALL

We demonstrate the highest level of professionalism in all aspects of our work.



# HEALTH DEPARTMENT STAFF

## **ADMINISTRATION:**

Jodie Pond, MPH, MCHES®,  
Director of Health

Carol Chappelle, Accounting Specialist

## **ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH:**

Sara Budge, REHS,  
Environmental Health Supervisor

Brody Wallace, Environmental  
Health Specialist – (start 9/2020 as  
part-time, promoted to permanent  
position 4/2021)

Caleb Raney, Environmental Health  
Specialist (start 11/2020)

Cassie Williams, Environmental Health  
Specialist (start 12/2020)

Anna Day, REHS,  
Environmental Health Specialist

Chris Attias, REHS, Environmental  
Health Specialist (end 10/2020)

Shane Yu, MPH, REHS, Environmental  
Health Specialist – (end 7/2020)

Carolyn Lee, Environmental Health  
Specialist (end 12/2020)

Kat Bratz, Environmental Health  
Administrative Assistant

## **PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE**

Rachael Wheeler, MPH,  
Public Health Response Coordinator

## **COMMUNITY PREVENTION:**

Beverly Shore, CPS

## **COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER:**

Dr. Travis Riddell, MD, MPH

## **PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING:**

Janet Garland, RN, BSN,  
Public Health Nurse Manager

Sandra Marshall-Goodson, RN, BSN,  
Communicable Disease Coordinator,  
Public Health Nurse

Jenny Barbera, RN, BSN, Maternal  
and Child Health Coordinator,  
Public Health Nurse

Hannah Kennedy, RN,  
Public Health Nurse

Jhala French, RN, Public Health Nurse

Kristy Bruner, RN, BSN,  
Public Health Nurse

Maurene Gustafson, RN,  
Public Health Nurse

Andrea Mazer, RN, BSN, Public Health  
Nurse (end 8/2020)

Chelsey Peters, RN, BSN,  
Public Health Nurse (start 11/2020)

Nancy Frost, Billing Clerk (start 9/2020)

Brenda DeBuhr,  
Billing Clerk (end 8/2020)

Odalys Avila Ramirez, Patient  
Registration Clerk (start 2/2021)

Lesli Espejel, Patient Registration Clerk  
(end 8/2020)

Marilu Hernandez,  
Medical Administrative Assistant

Shelley Rubrecht, Medical Interpreter

Kathryn Roberts, Sexual Health  
Outreach Coordinator (start 8/2020)

Adrian Croke, Sexual Health Outreach  
Coordinator (end 7/2020)

## **COVID-19 RESPONSE:**

Hired 87 COVID-19 Response  
Employees

Stuart Agnew, Program Assistant,  
(start 8/2020 promoted to Public  
Health Advisor 12/2020 and then  
promoted to Vaccine Coordinator  
on 1/2021)

McKinnley Cox, Program Assistant  
(start 8/2020, promoted to  
Public Health Advisor on 12/2020)

Ashley Cassat, MPH,  
Public Health Advisor (start 9/2020)

Andi Gordon, MPH, Case Investigator  
(start 6/2020, promoted to Isolate  
and Trace Coordinator 2/2021)

Shane Yu, MPH, REHS,  
Environmental Health Specialist –  
(start 7/2020, end 6/2021)

Melinda Lee, MPH, Logistics  
Coordinator (start 3/2021,  
promoted to Epidemiologist 6/2021)

Marta Iwaseczko, RN,  
Public Health Nurse (start 1/2021,  
promoted to Vaccine Clinic Lead  
2/2021)

Abby McGurty, Public Health Nurse  
(start 7/2020 promoted to Nurse  
Coordinator 12/2020)

## **BOARD OF HEALTH:**

Dr. Dan Forman, DVM - Chair

Dr. David Peterson, MD - Vice Chair

Sadie Cole, PhD - Secretary

Joe Burke

Ingrid Daffner Krasnow, MPH

Dr. Scott Larsen, DMD

David Dornan, MPH

JJ King, MPH (end 2/1/2021)



# HEALTH DEPARTMENT PROGRAMS AND SERVICES



## Administration

Teton County Health Department has a variety of services and programs designed to protect the health and safety of County residents. Programs and services are delivered using the Core Functions and Essential Services of Public Health as a framework.

### SERVICES

- Increase efficiencies and reduce duplication of services through defining the local public health system
- Partnership development and coordination to ensure that the core functions and essential public health services are being delivered to the residents and visitors of Teton County
- Support a process of quality improvement



## Community Health

Community Health programs address a wide variety of health promotion and disease prevention issues, including chronic disease, HIV/STI (sexually transmitted infections), other infectious diseases, injury, adolescent health, reproductive health, immunization, tobacco cessation, primary care, and mental health.

### PROGRAMS

- Community Education Campaigns
- Community Health Improvement Plan
- Community Health Needs Assessment (Mobilizing for Action through Planning and Partnership, MAPP)
- Network of Care — an online resource for human services and community health indicators

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## Community Prevention

The Community Prevention Program promotes evidence-based strategies, education, outreach, and trainings to prevent suicide and reduce the problematic use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs. The areas of concern are the prevention of suicide, underage alcohol use, adult binge drinking, opioid prescription and other drugs, and tobacco.

### PROGRAMS

- Community Partnerships
- Community Prevention Coalition of Teton County (CPCTC)
- Community Trainings
- Education and Outreach
- Grants to Community-Based Organizations to Address the Areas of Concern
- Media Awareness Campaigns



## Emergency Preparedness and Response

The Public Health Emergency Preparedness and Response Program plans for early detection and rapid response to biological or chemical events, infectious disease outbreaks, and natural disasters to prevent and mitigate illness and injuries to the residents of Teton County.

### PROGRAMS

- Community Partnerships
- COVID-19 Response
- Emergency Response/Preparedness Planning
- Emergency Response Training
- Outbreak Investigation
- Public Information and Warning
- Strategic National Stockpile Program



## Environmental Health

Environmental Health staff provides public health protection and education through a variety of programs. In addition to routine inspections of food establishments, recreational water facilities, childcare facilities, and body art establishments, Environmental Health is focused on educating the community by providing classes and educational materials. Classes provided by the Division include pool operator training and food safety manager training. Environmental Health also acts as a resource for drinking water quality, indoor air quality, lead poisoning, radon testing, and other general environmental health hazards.

### PROGRAMS

- Air Quality – Indoor Mold, Smoke
- Body Art Inspections
- Childcare Establishment Inspections
- Food Service Inspections
- Pool/Spa/Food Classes and Community Education
- Plan Reviews
- Pool/Spa Inspections
- Radon Testing
- Water Quality and Testing



## Nursing and Clinical Services

Public Health Nursing provides client-centered quality care and services at the individual, family, and community level in a culturally competent manner. Programs include: Communicable Disease, Family Planning, Immunization and Laboratory Services, Maternal and Child Health (MCH), and outreach education and programming.

### PROGRAMS

- Disease Surveillance and Reporting
- Health Education
- HIV and PrEP Case Management
- HIV/STD Counseling, Testing, and Prevention
- Immunizations and Clinic Services
- Long-Term Care Assessments
- Maternal Child Health Services (Prenatal and Postpartum Home Visiting Program and Children's Special Health)
- Sharps and Medication Disposal
- TB Testing & Direct Observed Therapy





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## County Health Officer

The County Health Officer is a licensed medical provider in the State of Wyoming appointed by the Teton District Board of Health with approval from the Board of County Commissioners to serve Teton County.

### DUTIES

- Assists with Emergency Preparedness Operations
- Enforces Health Laws and Regulations
- Promotes the Health of Teton County Citizens
- Serves as the Medical Director for the Teton County Health Department



## Teton District Board of Health

Provide administrative support and technical assistance to the Board of Health to accomplish priorities established by the Board.

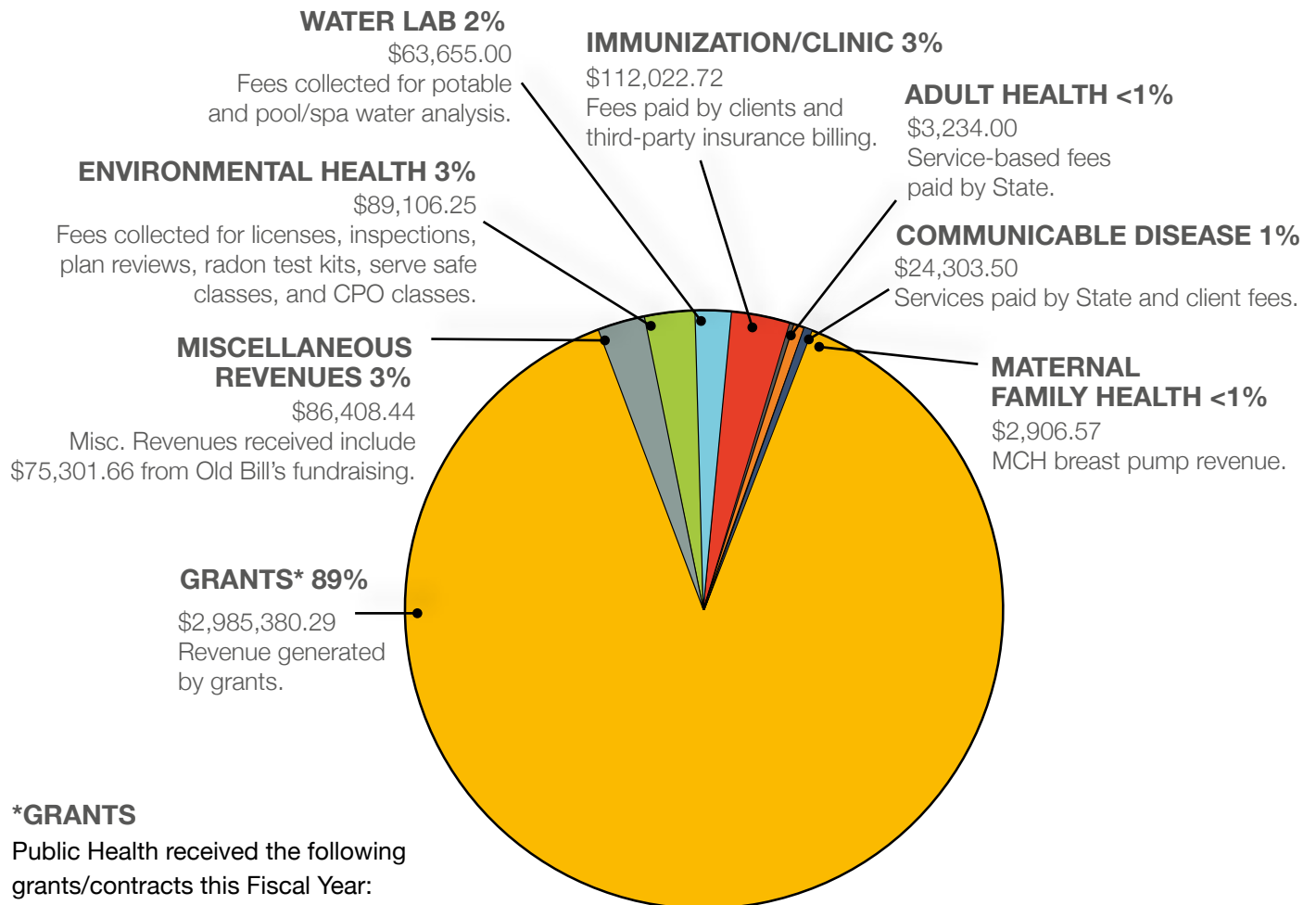
### INITIATIVES

- COVID-19 Guidance
- Updating Food Code
- Water Quality

# FINANCIALS

## INCOME:

The overall revenue, including grants, this Fiscal Year is \$3,367,016.77. This represents an increase over the last Fiscal Year of \$2,171,823.59 of which the majority is attributed to COVID-19 Grant revenue.



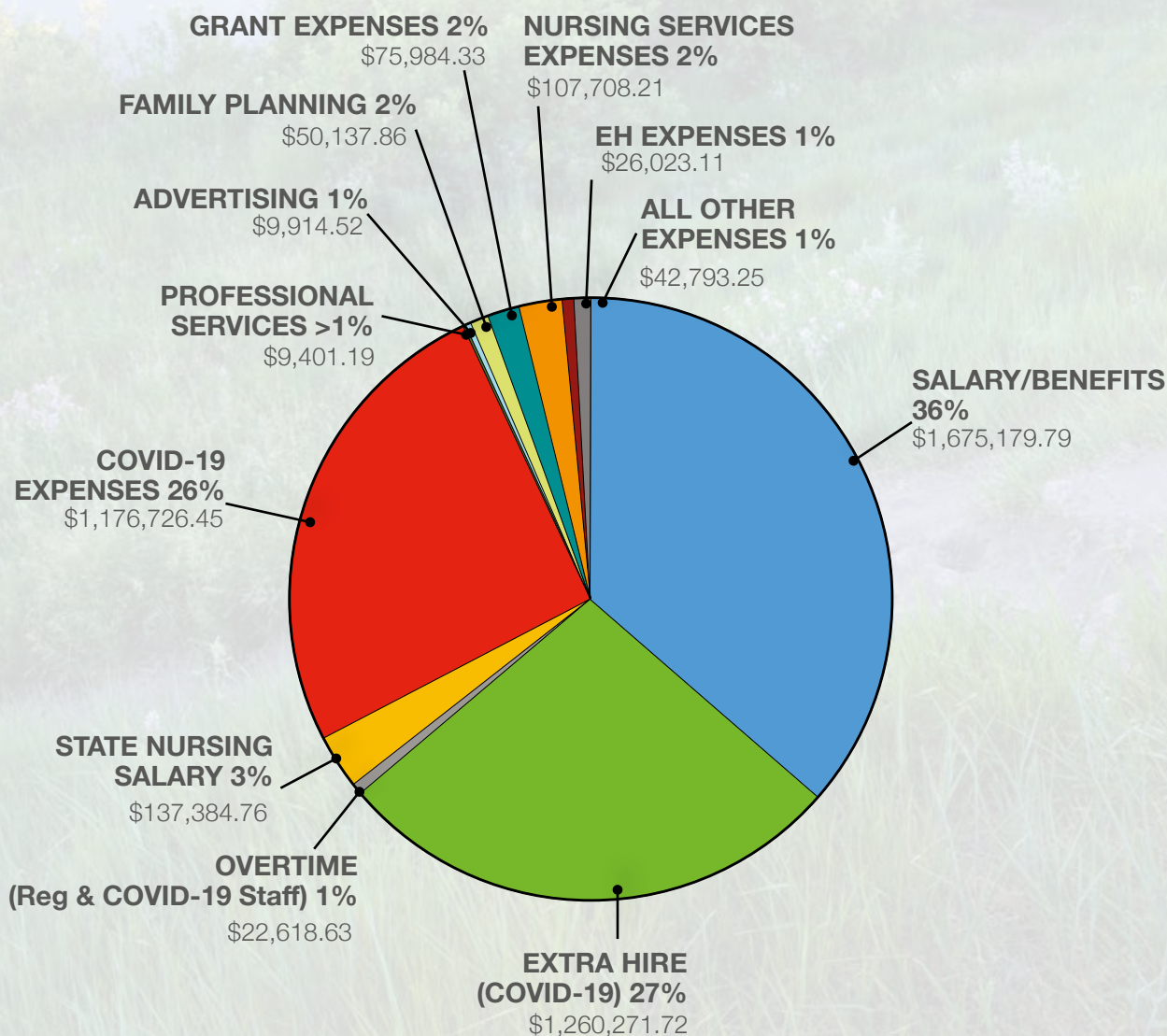
1. Maternal and Child Health (MCH) Grant: \$116,711.77
2. Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Grant: \$138,742.69
3. Public Health Emergency Preparedness Grant: \$107,000.00
4. Public Health Emergency Preparedness Emergency Crisis Funding: \$95,540.27\*  
\*(\$75,000.00 received this year. \$20,540.27 received and carried over from FY 20/21.)
5. COVID-19 WY CARES ACT: \$808,465.76
6. COVID-19 SLIB Grant (Town of Jackson): \$500,000.00
7. COVID-19 SLIB Grant (Health Department deposited directly to Teton County general fund): \$497,703.25
8. COVID-19 CDC Vaccine Grant: \$426,834.49
9. COVID-19 CDC I/T/T Grant: \$532,367.39
10. County Health Officer Emergency Preparedness Contract: \$9,600.00
11. Prevention Grant: \$133,036.69
12. Communicable Disease Grant: \$117,081.23



# FINANCIALS

## EXPENSES:

The overall expenses this year are \$4,594,143.82. This represents an increase over last fiscal Year of \$2,516,404.35. The majority of this increase is reflected in Staff Salaries/Benefits and expenses related to COVID-19 (Extra Hire Salaries/Benefits – \$1,246,649.58, Overtime – \$22,618.63, and Supplies – \$1,127,774.34) while most all other expense categories decreased from the last Fiscal Year. All COVID-19 expenses are reimbursed through federal grant funding or donations from the Community Foundation.



May not equal 100%  
due to rounding.



# COMMUNITY HEALTH OUTREACH

## Outreach Events:

- Senior Flu Clinics (120 flu shots donated by Rotary Breakfast Club).
- Other Outlying Flu Clinics (including Teton County School District, Grand Teton National Park, and Teton Village).
- Booths at People's Market to promote prevention and sexual health.
- Drug Take Back hosted by the Community Prevention Coalition of Teton County — two safe drug disposal collection days per year. Collected 74 pounds during two events. One in the Spring and one in the Fall.



**Who's looking in your medicine cabinet?**

**Take care of family, friends, and our beautiful ecosystem. Bring your expired or unused medications to Take Back Jackson for safe disposal.**

**June 3rd from 10—4**  
Town Building parking lot  
150 East Pearl Street

**CPCTC**  
Community Prevention Coalition of Teton County

**Protect Your Family from Radon**

Radon is a gas that you can't see, smell, or taste — but it can be dangerous. It's the second leading cause of lung cancer.

**1 out of 15**  
Homes has high radon levels

**Radon and Smoking: A Dangerous Combination**

If you live in a home with high radon levels, smoking raises your risk of lung cancer by 15 times.

**Take the First Step**

Learn more by calling the National Radon Hotline:  
**1-800-SOS-RADON**  
1-800-767-7236

**There's good news — you can protect your family by testing your home for radon.**

**CPCTC**  
Community Prevention Coalition of Teton County

**HELP Stop Underage Drinking**

**21+**

**Misdemeanor crime punishable up to 6 months in jail and \$750.00 fine**

**IT IS ILLEGAL:**

- Furnish or sell alcohol to minors
- Host house parties where minors are possessing or consuming alcohol at any residence or premise that is owned, rented, leased, or subleased
- Minor to possess or consume alcohol
- Falsification of identification

**CPCTC**  
Community Prevention Coalition of Teton County

**Fase de Riesgo Crítico en el Condado de Teton**

¿Que significa el color MORADO y que se puede hacer?

El Departamento de Salud del Condado de Teton ha creado un sistema de salud pública con códigos de colores para proporcionar acciones para que nuestros miembros de la comunidad puedan prevenir la propagación de COVID-19.

Los miembros de la propagación han cambiado a una categoría "Crítica". Esto significa que tenemos muchos contagios de COVID-19 en nuestra comunidad y que ha expuesto al equipo de Investigación de Casos y al Departamento de Contactos con tantos casos nuevos.

**Reúnanse con miembros de su casa solamente.**  
Evite reuniones sociales, recreativas y voluntarismo con miembros que no viven en su casa.

**Evite espacios con mucha gente.**  
Evite las 3 "C's". Evite espacios Concurridos, evita el alto riesgo de Contacto Cercano y el Confinamiento en lugares sin ventilación.

**Minimice sus salidas a la dispensa y limite realizar otros asuntos fuera de casa.**  
Solo marche a casa personal por necesidad. Solo lo permite sugerirlos si solo por servicios de contacto por algunos, entregue a domicilio, pedidos para hacer y servicio virtual.

**Protaja a los miembros de la Comunidad más Vulnerables.**  
No se permitan las visitas a hogares, al salir de ancianos y a otros miembros de la comunidad más vulnerables a menos de que sea personal.

**Quedese en casa.**  
Quedarse en casa cuando usted tiene síntomas, incluso si solo tiene síntomas leves. Cubra la boca al toser o al estornudar con un antebrazo o la parte del codo y no use pañuelos.

**Use un cubreboca.**  
Siempre lleve un cubreboca seco con múltiples capas en público.

**Mantenga su distancia.**  
Mantenga por lo menos 6 pies de distancia de otras personas. Evite en público, incluso cuando esté usando un cubreboca.

**Lave sus manos regularmente.**  
Lave sus manos con jabón y agua por lo menos 20 segundos y vea un video de la mano y agua en estado disponibles.

**CPCTC**  
Community Prevention Coalition of Teton County

# & INITIATIVES



- PRIDE sexual health testing event at The Rose in partnership with JH Pride with 18 people tested and 50 swag bags distributed.
- National HIV Free Testing Day event at the Health Department.

- **Stroll Wyoming**, created by one of our nurses in May 2021, provides strollers to mothers and families who may not otherwise have access to them. Through the gift of a stroller, families can more easily access our beautiful outdoor trails and pathways, thereby improving their mental health and quality of life. Plans are to bring together the stroller recipients in a group setting to foster connection between new moms. In this fiscal year Stroll Wyoming was able to provide 6 strollers to local families.



# COVID-19 **respo**

## Timeline of Important Events

- July 2020 In partnership with the Town of Jackson and Weed and Pest wastewater samples were analyzed for COVID-19 to determine levels of COVID-19 in the community
- July 2020 Requirement for TCHD's surveillance testing program for COVID-19 began
- July 20, 2020 Public Health Order #20-6 requiring that adults wear face coverings when entering or inside a retail or commercial business went into effect
- July 2020 Teton District Health Officer Recommendation #9 recommending early closure of all bars and restaurants
- August 2020 Surveillance testing program begins in partnership with TCHD and St. John's Health.
- October 2020 Teton District Health Officer Issues Recommendation #10: COVID-19 Recommendations for the General Public
- October 2020 Teton District Health Officer Issues Recommendation #11: COVID-19 Recommendations for Public when in Orange (Moderate) Risk; Mask Order and Early Closure Recommendation Extended Until November 30, 2020
- November 2020 Teton District Health Officer Reissues Recommendation #10: COVID-19 Recommendations for Public when in Red (High) Risk
- November 2020 Mask Order Extended Through January 4, 2021
- December 2020 Curative kiosks established to offer no-cost send out COVID-19 testing for Teton County community members
- December 2020 Recommendation #12: Gather with Members of Your Household Only
- December 2020 Shred the Spread and Be Kind for Teton Kind campaigns launched to provide the community with preventative measures and consistent messaging regarding COVID-19
- December 2020 COVID-19 vaccination campaign started. TCHD followed the Wyoming Department of Health's list of prioritized groups
- January 2021 Critical Level (Purple) was added to the color-coded guidance system for the COVID risk level based on extreme number of cases
- January 2021 Teton District Health Officer Reissues Recommendation #11: Gather in Household Groups Only through February 14, 2021
- March 2021 Teton County Receives Approval for Local Mask Order: Effective March 16 through April 16, 2021
- March 2021 Frist Mass COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic at KMart Location, Vaccinated 1,000 Community Members
- April 2021 COVID-19 vaccine appointments for the General Public opened
- April 2021 Teton County Extends Local Mask Order through May 17, 2021
- May 2021 COVID-19 vaccine was authorized for individuals ages 12+
- May 2021 56% of Teton County community members were vaccinated against COVID-19
- May 2021 Mask Order in Effect June 1 through 11, 2021 for Public and Private K-12 Schools
- June 2021 Mobile outreach COVID-19 vaccine clinics begin with use of the vaccine bus



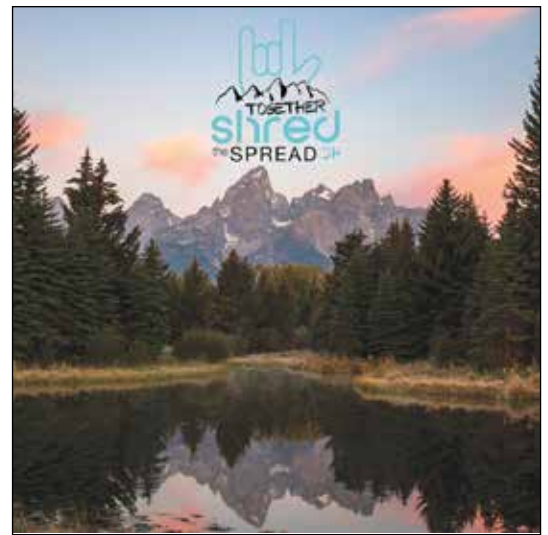
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## Changes to Internal Services

By late Summer/Fall of 2021, TCHD was able to begin hiring additional COVID-19 staff to assist in the response. From July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021, 87 COVID-19 staff were hired. These staff allowed the core TCHD staff to transition back to the programs to which they are normally assigned.

The Nursing Staff were utilized as liaisons to special groups designated in the COVID-19 response (housing, childcare, schools, food insecurity, etc.) and assisted with contact tracing and case investigating and handled incoming COVID-19 calls before a full team was hired.

Environmental Health (EH) Staff served as a primary point of contact for many local businesses and developed several procedures and documents to guide them during the Pandemic. Staff also devoted significant time to interpreting and explaining health orders to businesses. EH staff were able to return to basic services implementing announced inspections during this fiscal year. COVID-19 responsibilities were transitioned to the COVID Public Health Advisor, the EH Supervisor and EH Administrative Assistant.



Ayude a nuestra **comunidad** a que siga prosperando

Nuestros negocios confían en usted para seguir adelante. **DETENGA LA PROPAGACIÓN DEL VIRUS** lavándose las manos, usando la mascarilla de tela seca de doble capa y mantenga una distancia . Si estás enfermo, quédese en casa y que se recupere pronto.

sea amable por **TETON**

- ¡Lávate LAS MANOS!
- ¡Cúbrete LA MASCARILLA!
- ¡Mantén LA DISTANCIA!
- ¡Quédese EN CASA CUANDO ESTÉ ENFERMO!

**JUNTOS shred the SPREAD**

[shredthespreadj.com](https://www.shredthespreadj.com)

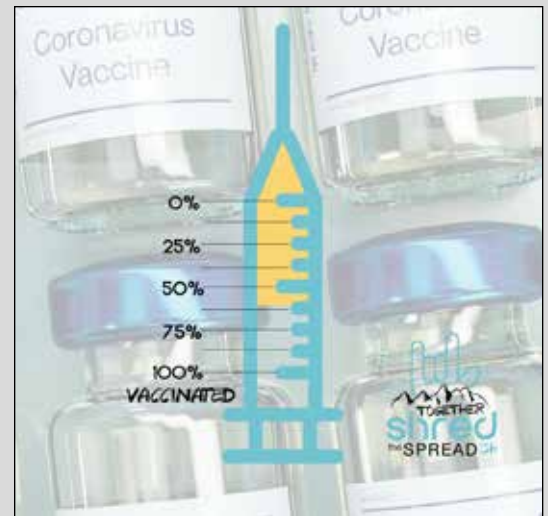
# COVID-19 response



## COVID-19 RESPONSE

- A total of 4,561 COVID-19 cases occurred and were investigated July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021
- 26,839 doses of COVID-19 vaccines were administered by the Health Department  
1,031 J&J vaccine given, 4,820 Moderna vaccine given, 20,988 Pfizer given
- 104 Volunteers and hired Vaccinators were utilized for the administration of COVID-19 vaccinations
- 150+ Call Center Volunteers assisted in answering real time COVID-19 questions from the public
- 500 Clinic Volunteers dedicated their time to assist with various COVID-19 vaccine clinic duties
- 150+ Call Center Volunteers assisted in answering real time COVID-19 questions from the public
- 20 COVID-19 vaccine outreach clinics took place with 17 different organizations/partners for a total of 217 doses given
- 500+ students were vaccinated at the school-based and COVID-19 vaccine clinics on May 17, and May 18, 2021

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follow the COVID-19 health orders and guidelines, & SUPPORT LOCAL

shredtheSpreadJH.com

be kind for TETON kind.

wash UP, mask ON, space OUT, stay home WHEN SICK

shred TOGETHER the SPREAD JH

**SHOTS FOR SWAG**  
A HOLE COMMUNITY vaccination campaign

**BIG THANK YOU** to the businesses that supported our vaccination efforts by generously donating prizes for the Shots for Swag campaign raffle! It truly takes the **HOLE COMMUNITY**.

Jackson Hole Children's Museum Teton Tiger Smith's Hungry Jack's General Store Healing Waters Therapeutic Float Center Teton Gem Works Pro Nails Wilson Hardware Drs. Dan & MJ Forman, DVM Carlman Legal Services, LLC Wyoming Karate Club Wright Training Wilson Backcountry Sports TSS Wildlife Expeditions Valley Bookstore Teton Toys Teton Mountain Lodge & Spa Subway St. John's Health Stagecoach Bar Snake River Brewing Roam Mercantile Penny Lane Pendleton Aspens Market Jackson Hole's Old Time Photos Off Square Theatre Company Jared Power Little Scout Creative Joint Effort Jackson Hole Vintage Adventures Jackson Hole Paragliding High Country Outfitters JC Jewellers Heart Six Ranch Grand Teton Lodge Company	Fish the Fly Guide Services Farmstead Cider Exum Mountain Guides D.O.G. Astoria Hot Springs Vertical Harvest Farms Thin Air Shakespers Teton Gravity Research Teton Mountaineering Stio Snow King Mountain Snake River Grill Rendezvous River Sports Red Act Theatre Company Quixote Pursue Pearl Street Bagels Pizzeria Caldera Pinky G's Pizzeria Perisphone National Museum of Wildlife Art Mursell's Sweet Shop Lost Creek Ranch & Spa Local Restaurant & Bar The Lexington Hotel & Suites Lee's Tees Larsen Family Dentistry Jackson Hole Community Radio Kate Newberry Massage Jackson Hole Youth Soccer Jackson Hole Cinemas JH Backcountry Health The Hub Bicycles Hotel Tens Hoback Market Hand File Pizza Hazen-Datz Shops	National Park Service Grand Targhee Bike Path Friends of Pathways Four Seasons EcoTour Adventures Cowboy Coffee Company Calico Bar & Restaurant Amangani
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TETON COUNTY WYOMING





# HEALTH DEPARTMENT STATS

## NURSING & CLINICAL SERVICES

### IMMUNIZATIONS PROGRAM:



3,155 vaccines were given other than COVID vaccines

- 2,574 flu vaccines
- 602 vaccines were given to those under 18 years old
- 379 were flu vaccines to those under 18 years old
- 613 clinic visits required an Interpreter (includes visits for Family Planning, Immunizations, and MCH)

### MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH (MCH) PROGRAM:

- 515 total MCH visits for the year
- 276 appointments with home visiting clients (includes home visits, telehealth, and clinic)
- 125 Medicaid application assistance appointments
- 71 Children's Special Health appointments
- 43 appointments for other services including child safety education, car seat installations, and lactation for non-home visiting clients



In addition, MCH nurses are working to improve Maternal Mental Health in our community and statewide through programs such as Postpartum Support International (PSI) Wyoming, Stroll Wyoming, and 2020 Mom Maternal Mental Health Public Health Fellowship.

## FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAM:



- 1,990 clinic visits (317 STD counseling/testing only)
- Long-Acting Removable Contraceptives (LARCs)
  - 70% of all IUDs inserted onsite; 100% of IUD requested removals were done on-site
  - 88% of all implants inserted on-site; 93% of implant requested removals were done on-site

- CANCER PREVENTION: Clinic FNP's ordered 174 PAPs, 91 mammograms, 9 colonoscopies
- PREGNANCY: 197 focused discussions and/or tests
- MENTAL HEALTH: The clinic averages 2 referrals per week for further care for mental health services, intimate partner violence, or substance abuse assistance with access to various services including applications for financial assistance to access the programs

### • REFERRALS/APPLICATIONS

- 53 referrals to local providers
- 134 clients assisted with applications to St. John's Foundation Women's Health Care Fund, WY Cancer Care, Bayer, Merck, Gilead, and others

- 74 tests done for non-reportable sexually transmitted diseases (Herpes, Mycoplasma, Ureaplasma and Trichomoniasis, Vaginitis Panels)

Teton County Family Planning (TCFP) has continued to provide birth control, Well Woman exams, and reproductive and sexual health care throughout the pandemic, with a steadily increasing number of clients. From July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021, the Clinic staff continued to provide ongoing services for our clients by phone, telehealth, and in-person visits, as the increased demand for all types of birth control, including LARCs, persisted.

## COMMUNICABLE DISEASE PROGRAM:

### Sexual Health Services

- 764 STD (sexually transmitted diseases) tests done in 2020/2021 for reportable diseases (Chlamydia, Gonorrhea, Hepatitis B & C, and Syphilis)
- 466 HIV tests (152 through Family Planning Clinic)
- 46 cases treated for Chlamydia and or Gonorrhea (reportable STIs)
- HIV Case Management: 10 cases managed
- PrEP Case Management: 13 cases managed



**PrEP**, or Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis, is an **HIV prevention** method in which people who don't have **HIV** take **HIV** medicine daily to reduce their risk of getting **HIV** if they are exposed to the virus. **PrEP** can stop **HIV** from taking hold and spreading throughout the body. More clients accessed **PrEP** case management services from July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021.

### SEXUAL HEALTH OUTREACH ACTIVITIES:

- Grindr sexual health resources profile created
- Sexual Health, STIs, and birth control method classes at JHHS
- Social media posts weekly
- Sexual Health trivia event
- Transgender Day of Remembrance film screening
- 51,099 condoms distributed to 10+ locations
- Implemented testing at the Teton County Jail
- Counseling for high-risk clients' program re-established through grant funding
- World AIDS Day recognition

### OUTBREAK INVESTIGATION:

- 1 Latent TB case management case
- 53 cases of rabies concern follow up (potential bat bites)

### MEDICATION DONATION PROGRAM:

- From July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021, Teton County donated \$1,071.19 of usable inventory

### SHARPS DISPOSAL PROGRAM:

- Collected 29 total containers and 570 pounds of sharps. This was an increase in sharps disposal likely due to the increased number of vaccinations given this year (including COVID-19 vaccines)





## ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

### FOOD SERVICE INSPECTION PROGRAM:

- 444 Routine Inspections and 24 Pre-Opening Inspections conducted
- 10 Plan Reviews completed
- There are 355 food establishments in Teton County. 164 establishments were categorized as high risk, 114 medium risk, and 77 low risk
  - 1) Low risk – The establishment's operation involves coffee, carbonated beverages, and snack items such as a convenience or retail store. One routine inspection and one telephone inquiry annually.
  - 2) Medium risk – Establishment has limited menu with minimal preparation of items that are cooked to order such as a sandwich shop or fast food. One routine inspection and one telephone inquiry annually.
  - 3) High risk – Full service establishment where preparation process includes cooking, cooling, and holding or food is served to a high-risk population. These include schools, restaurants, and grocery stores. Two full inspections annually.



- The most common critical food violation was failure to have a certified food safety manager; the second most common was date marking
- There were 19 Temporary Food Permits issued. This number is very low due to the low number of special events during COVID-19 restrictions

### POOL/ SPA INSPECTION PROGRAM:

- There are 157 pools and spas in Teton County. Seasonal facilities require one inspection per year; year-round require 2 inspections per year
- 152 Routine Inspections and 19 Pre-Opening Inspections were conducted
- The most common pool and spa critical violations were record keeping and minimum testing frequencies met, followed by pool or spa water quality, usually having to do with the sanitizer levels
- 16 Plan Reviews were completed

### CHILDCARE ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTIONS PROGRAM:

- There were 34 inspections conducted. The Wyoming Department of Family Services has licensing authority for childcare establishments. They have been trained by EH staff and have taken over the sanitation inspection of those facilities that are not required to meet the Food Safety Rule. Those that are required to meet the rule were licensed with food licenses

### BODY ART ESTABLISHMENT INSPECTIONS PROGRAM:

- There are 6 body art establishments and 6 practitioners in Teton County. Body Art Establishments and Practitioners need to be inspected yearly

## RADON PROGRAM:

- 164 radon test kits were distributed. 113 results were reported back. 44 out of 113 test results, or 39%, were above the EPA action level (4.0 pCi/L)



## POOL/SPA/FOOD CLASSES:

- One online Certified Pool Operator Course was offered with 24 participants. Staff created the online format due to COVID-19
- No Food Manager Safety Courses were offered due to COVID-19. Online options are available and were encouraged. Proctoring sessions were increased to twice a month to accommodate those who needed proctoring

## WATER TESTING PROGRAM:

- There were 2,756 drinking water samples tested. 148 tested positive for Total Coliform, and 20 tested positive for E.coli
- There were 1,116 pool/spa water samples. 64 exceeded the bacteria threshold limit



## EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE

- Assistance in real-world events:



- COVID-19 Response in Teton County. The COVID-19 response was used to fulfill the public health preparedness and response program deliverables this fiscal year. The TCHD was operating under an incident command structure for the COVID-19 response
- 100% of staff are fit tested for N95 masks. The PHUR was also able to fit test home health staff for the Senior Center, staff at Legacy Lodge, and TCSD nurses
- PHRC worked with Teton County Emergency Management to fulfill resource requests for COVID-19. PHRC received multiple Strategic National Stockpile shipments throughout the response and was able to distribute these to identified organizations



## COMMUNITY PREVENTION

Strives to enhance the health and wellness of people living in the Teton County area through strategic prevention initiatives.

### COMMUNITY TRAININGS:

- Mental Health First Aid Youth/Adult
- safeTALK – Suicide Prevention
- QPR – Question. Persuade. Refer. Suicide Prevention
- Training for Intervention Procedures (TiPS) – Responsible Alcohol Server Training
- Crisis Intervention Training (CIT)

### COMMUNITY OUTREACH:

- Deterra Drug Deactivation System Distribution
- Drug Take Back Program – two year-round safe disposal sites
- Firearm safety lock distribution
- Community mental health and crisis resource dissemination
- Wyoming Quit Tobacco kit distribution
- Community mental health virtual programming, including education on how to have conversations about suicide, social media impacts on mental health, and the impacts of disordered eating and exercise on mental and physical health
- Prevention curriculum taught to Teton County students in grades 4-12, consisting of mitigating the risk factors and enhancing protective factors related to tobacco, alcohol, marijuana, opioids, and other drug use
- Man Therapy access – interactive mental health campaign
- MyStrength access – mental health application



### COMMUNITY PREVENTION COALITION OF TETON COUNTY (CPCTC):

The CPCTC will utilize effective prevention strategies that strengthen community efforts to prevent suicide and reduce the problematic use of alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs.

#### • PRIORITIZED CAUSAL AREAS:

- 1) Suicide
- 2) Tobacco
- 3) Underage Drinking and Youth Marijuana Use
- 4) Adult Overconsumption
- 5) Opioid and Other Drugs

#### • SUICIDE PREVENTION SUBCOMMITTEE:

- Zero Suicide Framework
- Free community training and education







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