

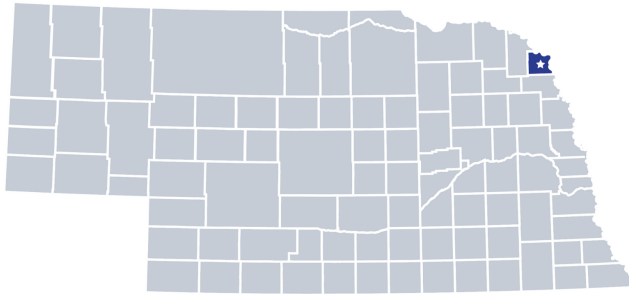
# Dakota County Health Department

2022 Profile



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Dakota County Health Department is locally governed and serves all **21,582** residents in **Dakota** County.



## Our Priorities

Public health priority areas included in our current Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP):

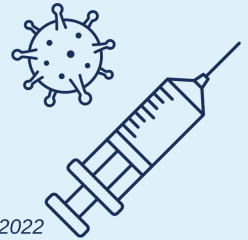
-  **Cancer Support**
-  **Weight Management**
-  **Diabetes Prevention**

## COVID-19 Local Progress

## Vaccinated & Boosted as of March 2022

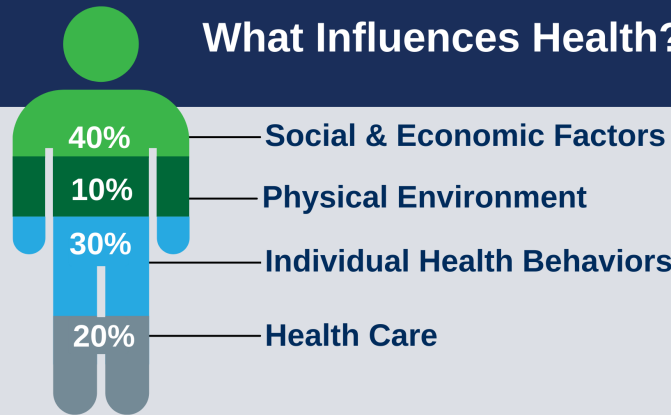
Over the last two years, health departments have been the frontlines of the COVID-19 response.

- 20.4%** Dakota County
- 30.7%** Nebraska
- 29.2%** National



Source: Centers for Disease Control COVID Data Tracker, as of March 25, 2022

## What Influences Health?



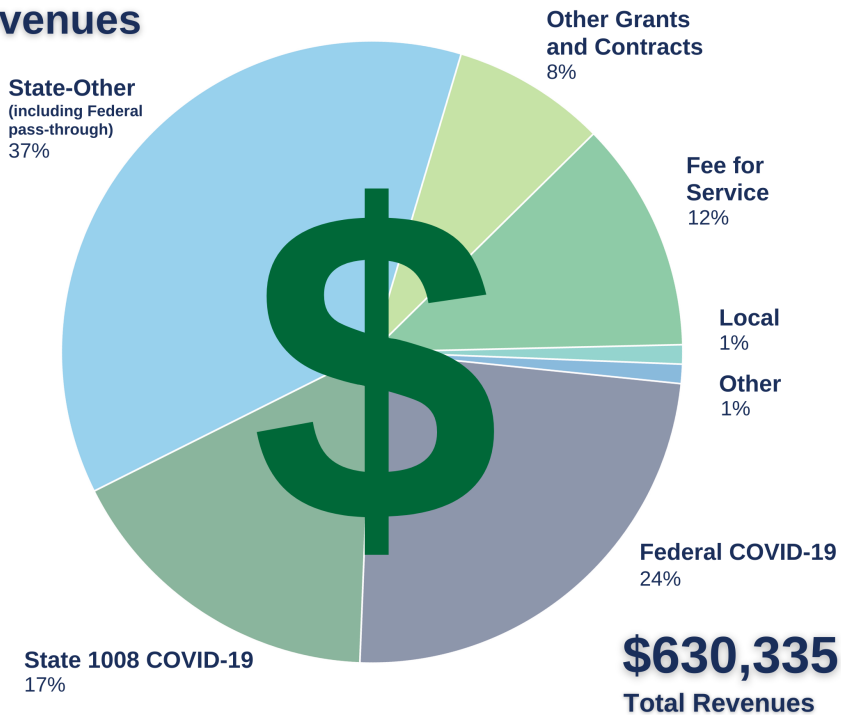
**80%** of what influences health and wellbeing occurs outside of the clinical care setting - in homes, workplaces, schools, and communities.

Local health departments (LHDs) are Chief Health Strategists - partnering across sectors to promote safety, prevention, and wellness to address that 80%.

## Core Functions & 10 Essential Services of Public Health



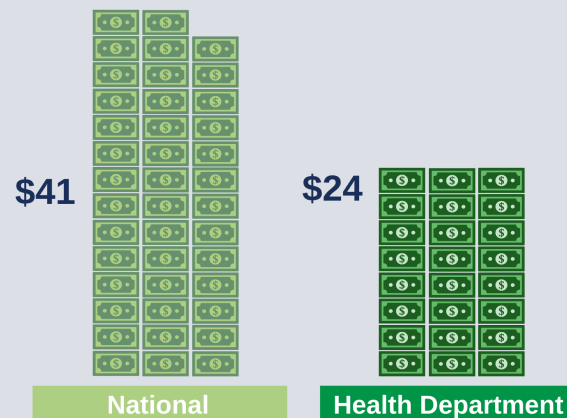
## Revenues



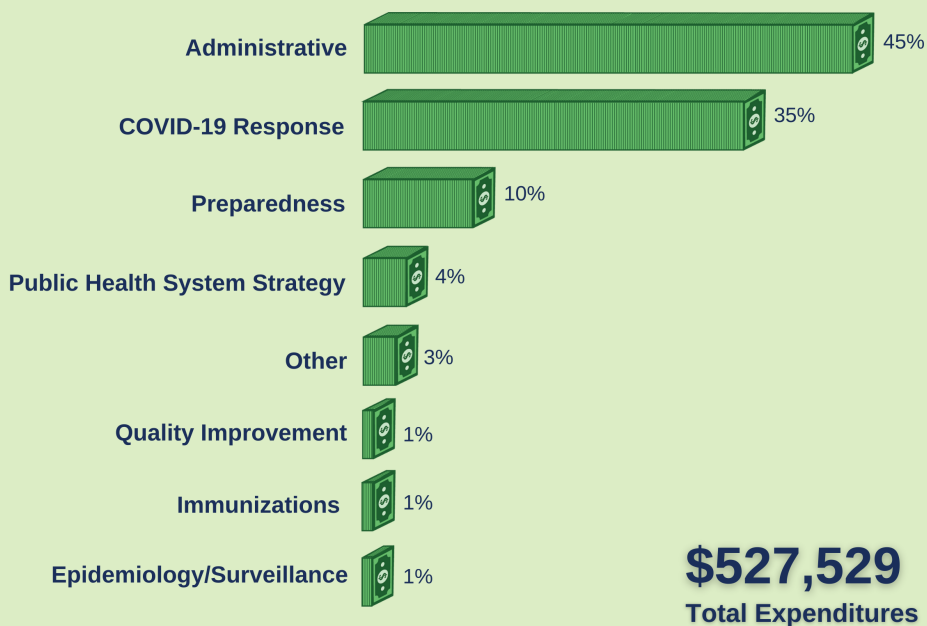
## Worth the investment.

Every **\$1** invested in prevention **saves \$5.60** in health care costs!

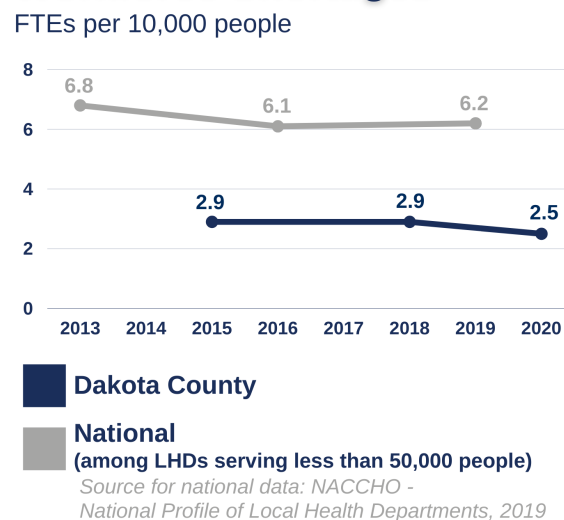
### Per Capita Expenditures



## Expenditures



## Workforce Shortages



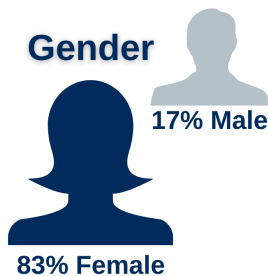
Dakota County Health Department has had **fewer staff per capita** than similar-sized health departments throughout the nation.

## Our Team

6 Staff  
6 FTEs



### Gender



### Race



### Ethnicity

