

Dakota County Health Department

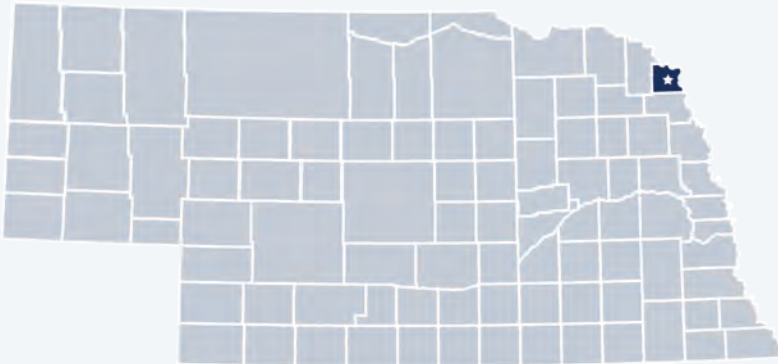
2019 Profile



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Dakota County Health Department is locally governed and serves all **20,900** residents in **Dakota** County.



Our Priorities

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



Cancer Support

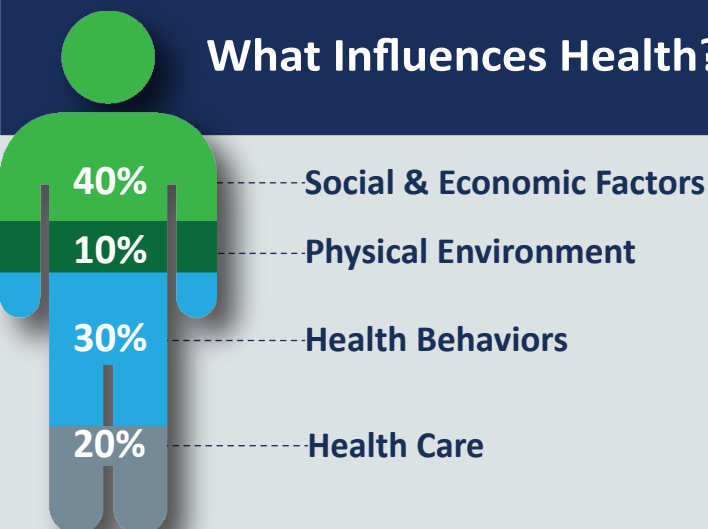


Weight Management



Diabetes Prevention

What Influences Health?



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

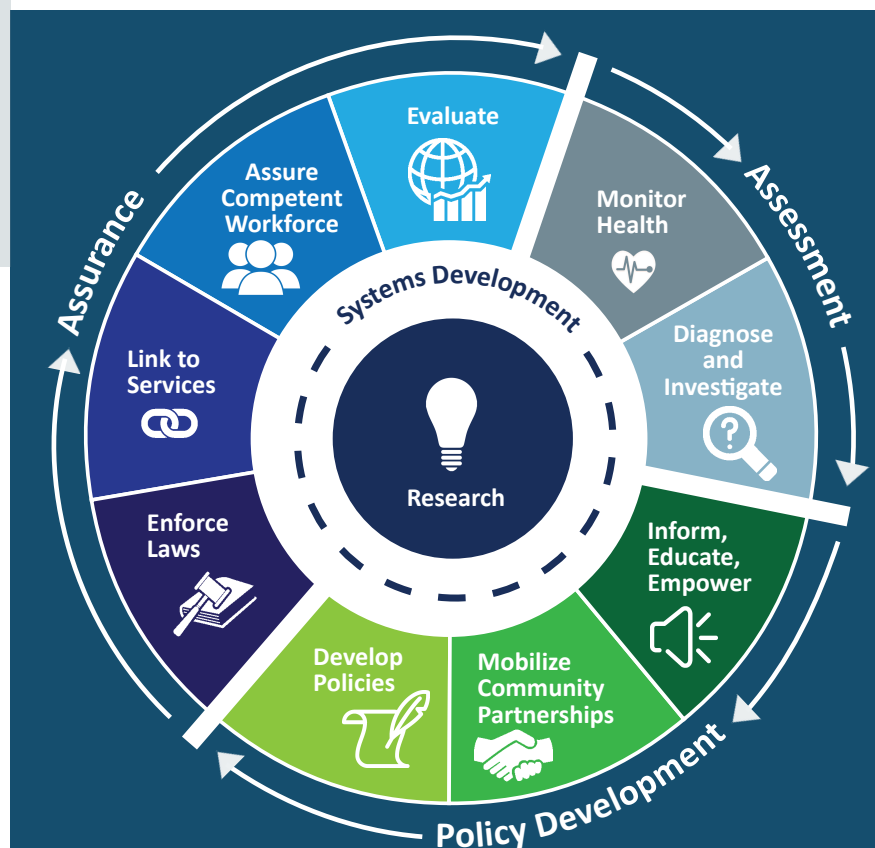
Local health departments (LHDs) are **Chief Health Strategists**—partnering across sectors to promote safety, prevention, and wellness to address that 80%.

Core Functions & 10 Essential Services of Public Health

ASSESSMENT: Collect and analyze information about health problems in Nebraska Communities.

POLICY DEVELOPMENT: Work with partners to apply data, educate the public, and develop programs and policies—all to address and prevent illness, disease, and disability.

ASSURANCE: Promote effective coordination and use of community resources to protect the health and wellbeing of Nebraskans.





DCHD employs 7
full & part-time staff.

Our Team

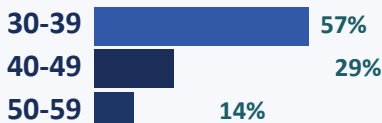
DCHD Staff Gender

86%
Female



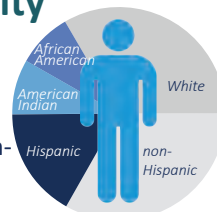
14%
Male

DCHD Staff Age

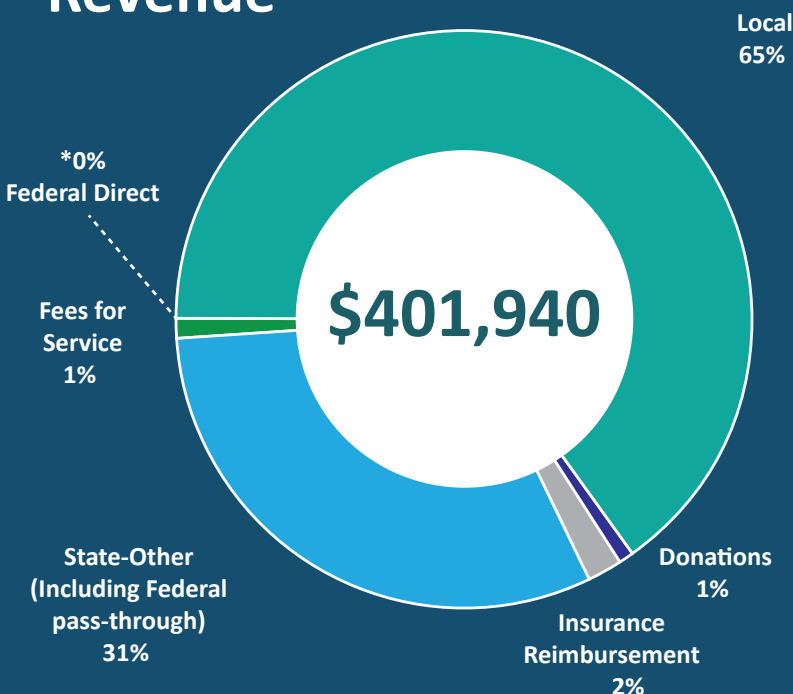


DCHD Staff Race/Ethnicity

66% are White.
17% are African-American.
17% are American-Indian.
33% are Hispanic.
(67% are non-Hispanic.)



Revenue

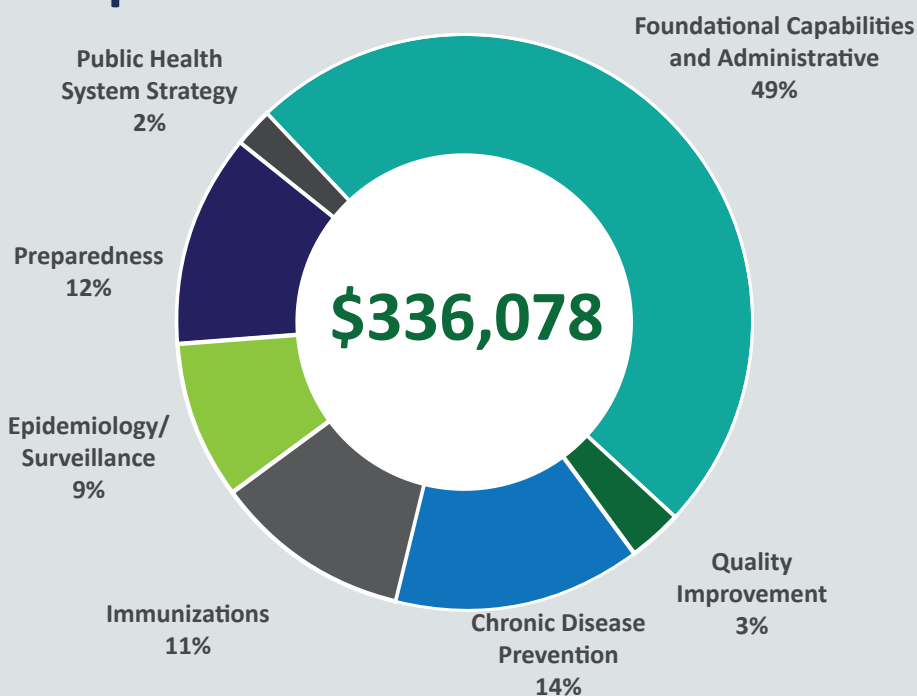


31% of DCHD's
FY 2018 revenue included **federal**
dollars passed through from the state.

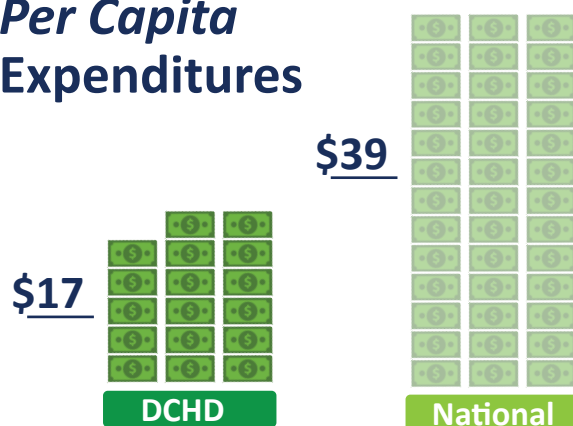
Dollars going to LHDs keep health
care systems & communities strong.

0% of DCHD's
FY 2018 revenue came from
the **Nebraska Health Care**
Cash Fund and General Fund.

Expenditures



Per Capita Expenditures



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

**Worth the
investment.**