

ALABAMA  
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HEALTH



**The goal of the Macon County Health Department is to serve the citizens of Macon County and surrounding areas with an outlook for healthier living and longer life.**

## **Macon County Health Department**

812 Hospital Road  
Tuskegee, Alabama 36083  
334-727-1800

Hours of Operation Monday-Friday  
8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. except for official state holidays  
[alabamapublichealth.gov/macon](http://alabamapublichealth.gov/macon)

***For more information on Home Care and Home Health Services please call:***

Telephone: (334) 358-2002 or 1-888-749-5694

Office Hours: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Monday through Friday, except holidays

On-call Service: 24 hours, 7 days a week, including holidays

### ***Free Communication Assistance***

The use of an interpreter or other communication services to assist the participant to effectively communicate with bilingual staff and is offered to all clients.



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# **Health Department Services**

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## ALLKids

A health insurance program for eligible children up to age 19. You can apply online at: [www.alabamapublichealth/allkids](http://www.alabamapublichealth/allkids)

## ALL Babies

ALL Babies is low-cost, comprehensive healthcare coverage for eligible pregnant women who reside in an eligible county, and available at this county. You can apply online at: [www.alabamapublichealth.gov/allbabies](http://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/allbabies)

## Breast and Cervical Cancer

The purpose is to prevent unnecessary disease, disability, and premature death due to cancer of the breast or cervix by providing early detection, screening and referral services to those who have no insurance or those under insured.

## COVID-19 Wrap-Around Services

Provides basic social support services for persons needing access to COVID-19 testing, and quarantine and isolation support necessary to prevent the spread of COVID-19.

## Environmental Health Services

### Subdivision and Septic Systems

Inspects and approves the use of on site sewage systems for homes and businesses in accordance with the current "On site Sewage Treatment and Disposal" rules.

### Food and Lodging Sanitation

Reviews plans prior to construction of food and lodging establishments. Make regular inspections of all facilities where food is served and sold to the public.

### Solid Waste

Works closely with private collectors, government officials and county residents to ensure adequate and safe disposal of garbage.

### Rabies Control

Coordinates rabies-prevention and -control measures to reduce the risk of rabies transmission and the need for human post-exposure prophylaxis.

### Body Art

Works closely with body art licensees and body art facilities to ensure all are operating in accordance with the rules and regulations.

## Family Planning (FP)

Birth control information and different methods of contraception are available to those in the child bearing age. Physical exams, including pap smears are provided by Nurse Practitioners. We accept BC/BS insurance and Plan 1st Medicaid.

## Home Care

The Autauga County Health Department provides quality home care services for residents of Autauga, Bullock, Chambers, Coosa, Elmore, Lee, Lowndes, Macon, Montgomery, Russell, and Tallapoosa counties.

## Home Health

The Autauga County Health Department provides home health care services to Alabama residents who meet eligibility requirements. This agency is a Medicare/Medicaid-certified provider for home healthcare. The home health team provides professional care on an intermittent part-time basis in the privacy of the home to acutely and/or chronically ill individuals. Several treatments can now be provided in the home that were previously limited to the hospital setting.

### Home Health Services Offered

- Nursing Services
- Home Health Aide
- Physical Therapy
- Medical Social Services

### Reimbursement

- Medicare
- Medicaid
- Self-pay on a sliding-free scale
- Other private insurances, including government

### Eligibility

Eligibility varies by the insurance and reimbursement requirements, and by each individual's specific medical needs.

## Immunizations

There are ten routine childhood vaccines that protect children from 14 diseases. You may be eligible to receive these vaccines at the health department. Alabama law requires a certificate of immunization for children attending all schools and

licensed day cares. The form is available at the health department with an up to date immunization record.

## Plan First

A family planning coverage program for women ages 19-55 and vasectomies for men ages 21 and older.

## Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD)/HIV

STD/HIV testing, treatment, and prevention counseling for anyone 12 years or older (no parental consent), including pregnant women. STD/HIV services are free and confidential.

## Sobra Medicaid

Apply online at: [medicaid.alabama.gov](http://medicaid.alabama.gov)

## Tuberculosis

Tuberculosis Program provides services to suspects, cases and contacts to Tuberculosis. Will provide treatment for Latent Tuberculosis Infection (LTBI) when referred by physicians.

## Vital Records

Certified copies of Alabama Birth, Death, Divorce and Marriage certificates can be requested locally. A non-refundable search fee is required.

## Well Women Program

Opportunity for health counseling/coaching, health promotion, chronic disease identification and assistance with planning/adopting a healthy lifestyle to women ages 15-55 who live in Macon County.

## Women, Infants and Children (WIC)

This institution is an equal opportunity provider. Nutrients are materials your body needs for growth, energy and healthy living. That is where WIC can help. WIC is a program that provides supplemental foods to pregnant, postpartum, breast feeding women, infants and children up to age 5 who meet certain income requirements and have nutritional risks.