2024 MONTGOMERY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

YEARS OF ALABAMA PUBLIC HEALTH

Provides caring, quality services that affect every person in Montgomery County—not just those who walk through health department doors.



The Bureau of Clinical Laboratories provides quality laboratory results

for the following programs: maternity, family planning, child health, STD, tuberculosis control, diabetes, HIV/AIDS, newborn screening, and environmental services.



Alabama's Children's Health Insurance Program

increases access to care for eligible, uninsured children ages birth through 18, and served 8,139 Montgomery County children in the month of October 2024.



WIC provides nutrition assessment, education, and nutritious foods at no cost to a monthly average of 6,595 limited-income pregnant, breastfeeding, and postpartum women, infants, and children up to age 5 at nutritional risk in Montgomery County



Licensed public health social

workers provide case management/care coordination for family planning, newborn screening disorders, elevated lead levels, home health, and other services.



Issued 172 new or repair permits to regulate and permit onsite sewage disposal systems and oversee treatment and disposal of septage and other permitted wastes.



Prevents the occurrence and spread of rabies

within the human and animal population of Montgomery County by investigating reports of 126 exposures to animal bites.



Provided confidential testing, treatment, counseling, partner referral, and epidemiologic

investigations for most sexually transmitted diseases in 9,309 support nurse visits.



and a monthly average

of 120,600 statewide.

Confidential and professional family planning services

were provided to
Montgomery County
residents. A wide range
of services is available
regardless of income
to prevent unintended
pregnancies through
education and
contraceptive services.



Offers a tobacco Quitline free to Alabama residents.

Free call, free coaching, and free nicotine patches (if medically eligible and in coaching) to help tobacco users quit.
Call 1-800-QUIT NOW or go to
Quitnowalabama.com



Provides breast and cervical cancer screening

to uninsured women age 40-64. The Montgomery County Health Department served 22 women in 2024.



Newborn screening

detects genetic or metabolic conditions, thereby reducing morbidity, premature death, intellectual and other developmental disability through early detection and follow-up.



Regulates the possession, use and disposal of

radioactive materials and equipment, and administers a radon and naturally occurring radioactive materials program.



Responds to storms, floods, disease outbreaks, nuclear power plant accidents, and

other emergencies.
Employees provide
training, coordination,
and response to
disasters and partner
with local first
responders for health,
medical, and social
services.



Assists rural and medically underserved areas

by working with health care providers and organizations to prepare grants and provide workforce development.



Protects patients/ residents of health care facilities from

abuse and neglect.
Works to ensure facilities comply with state and federal standards.
Requires corrective action when surveys find facilities are noncompliant. Assures that emergency medical services meet or exceed established standards.

CELEBRATING 150 YEARS OF SERVICE TO ALABAMA

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The Alabama Department of Public Health (ADPH) works closely with your community to protect the public's health through emergency preparedness activities, health care coalitions, training, and response.

The mission of ADPH is to promote, protect, and improve the health of individuals and communities in Alabama, and has served Montgomery County since 1934. Our purpose is to provide caring, high quality, and professional services for the improvement and protection of the public's health through disease prevention and the assurance of public health services to resident and transient populations of the state regardless of social circumstances or the ability to pay.

All services from ADPH are provided to eligible persons without regard to race, color, creed, national origin, political beliefs, handicaps, or sex. Payment for services varies. No one will be denied services if unable to pay.

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Remote Patient Monitoring for Chronic Disease Management People using Medicaid First as their sole source of health insurance and with one of the following conditions are eligible for Remote Patient Monitoring Case Management: diabetes, hypertension, or congestive heart failure. Those wishing to participate in the program at no cost to you, or seeking information about this program, should contact Rebecca Norris at (334) 358-2354 or 1-888-749-5694.