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COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS ASSESSMENT





OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

The leading healthcare provider in Hardin County

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is proud to serve the residents of Hardin County by delivering quality healthcare in a safe environment with exceptional customer service. Over the last several years, we have made considerable changes to our facility and technology to better meet the healthcare needs of our community members in and around Kenton, Ohio.

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Introduction

OhioHealth is a nationally recognized, not-for-profit, system of faith-based hospitals and healthcare organizations serving 50 Ohio counties. All OhioHealth entities are connected by (a) a mission to “improve the health of those we serve,” (b) core values of compassion, excellence, stewardship, integrity, and inclusion, (c) cardinal value of “we honor the dignity and worth of each person”. OhioHealth’s vision is “to provide exceptional care for all through experiences that earn a lifetime of trust”.

OhioHealth member hospitals are located in nine Ohio counties.

- **Athens County** – OhioHealth O’Bleness Hospital
- **Delaware County** – OhioHealth Grady Memorial Hospital
- **Franklin County** – OhioHealth Riverside Methodist Hospital, OhioHealth Grant Medical Center, OhioHealth Doctors Hospital, OhioHealth Dublin Methodist Hospital, OhioHealth Grove City Methodist Hospital, OhioHealth Rehabilitation Hospital
- **Guernsey County** – OhioHealth Southeastern Medical Center
- **Hardin County** – OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital
- **Marion County** – OhioHealth Marion General Hospital
- **Morrow County** – OhioHealth Morrow Hospital
- **Pickaway County** – OhioHealth Berger Hospital
- **Richland County** – OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital, OhioHealth Shelby Hospital
- **Van Wert County** – OhioHealth Van Wert Hospital

OhioHealth has been recognized nationally for its world-class healthcare services. OhioHealth has been recognized by Fortune as one of the “100 Best Companies to Work For” from 2007-2021. (OhioHealth 2024). Great Place to Work® and PEOPLE magazine have honored OhioHealth as one of the 2021 PEOPLE Companies that Care® (OhioHealth 2024). In 2020, four OhioHealth hospitals, namely, Riverside Methodist Hospital, Grant Medical Center, Doctors Hospital and Dublin Methodist Hospital were named a 2020 LGBTQ Healthcare Equality Top Performer based on the 2020 Healthcare Equality Index (HEI) administered by the Human Rights Campaign (HRC). In 2020, OhioHealth was recognized as Great Place to Work – Certified™ based on the Great Place to Work® Trust Index™ survey.

In February 2021, the OhioHealth Inclusion Pledge was adopted throughout the health system. Each OhioHealth employee becomes a part of a culture that cares; one that supports one another; and honors the dignity and worth of each person. OhioHealth is committed to ensuring that the organization reflects the rich diversity of the communities we serve. We respect, embrace, and derive strength from the ways that we are similar and the ways that we are different.

Located in Hardin County, Ohio, OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital has served the Hardin County and neighboring communities for more than 60 years now. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and its compassionate team of healthcare providers and support staff, provides top quality care to patients and families within their own local community. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital, located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326, is 25-bed Critical Access Hospital (CAH). With a staff of more than 200, the hospital is able to provide acute and short-term skilled care, a full range of outpatient diagnostic and therapeutic services utilizing state-of-the-art technology, rehabilitation and physical therapy services, as well as numerous community programs and services. The 24-hour emergency department is staffed by nurses and physicians specially trained in emergency care. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial also offers the convenience of a multi-specialty center in which a variety of specialists are able to treat and diagnose patients locally. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial is fully accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations. As a part of a developing community-based health care system, the hospital provides the needed healthcare services or links residents to services not available in the county.

In Fiscal Year 2023, OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital had 294 inpatient admissions, 9,228 emergency department (ED) visits, 472 observations, 28,307 outpatient visits, and 369 surgeries.

OhioHealth is dedicated to serving communities through its community benefit. In Fiscal Year 2023, OhioHealth provided a total \$468 million in Community Benefit, including \$107.7 million in charity care, \$254.7 million in net cost of Medicaid programs, \$67.2 million in net cost of medical education, \$0.9 million in subsidized health services, \$10.8 million toward community health services, \$25.7 million in cash and in-kind contributions, and \$1 million for research.

Hardin Memorial Hospital is accredited by The Joint Commission as a Critical Access Hospital (The Joint Commission, 2024). The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Rehabilitation and Wellness Center located at 918 West Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio, 43326 is also accredited by the Joint Commission. The most recent review was completed on May 13, 2023 (The Joint Commission, 2024).

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital has always been an active partner in addressing community health needs in Hardin County, Ohio and neighboring communities. Examples of OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's community programs and services include community fairs, farmers markets, health screenings and health education. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is an active member of the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County with a mission of "to Inspire, educate, and facilitate healthy lifestyle choices." OhioHealth is dedicated to serving the communities it serves through its Community Benefit programs and services.

The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010 requires not-for-profit hospitals to conduct a community health needs assessment (CHNA) once every three years (Internal Revenue Service, 2024). OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital collaborated with the Kenton Hardin Health Department and various community stakeholders to identify significant community health needs in Hardin County and determine the priority health needs that will be addressed in the implementation strategy. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital also collaborated with the Kenton Hardin Health Department and community stakeholders in determining OhioHealth's alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan (SHIP).

Based on Hardin County's 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP), the priority health needs in Hardin County, including Hardin County's alignment with the SHIP are summarized in **Table 1**.

Table 1. Summary of Hardin County priority health needs and Hardin County's alignment with Ohio's State Health Improvement Plan

Priority Health Needs	Detailed Description	Alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan (SHIP)?	Notes
Health Behaviors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adult weight status Youth weight status Adult vaping Youth vaping 	Yes	Health behavior is a priority factor in Ohio's 2020-2022 SHIP
Chronic Disease	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cardiovascular health Diabetes 	Yes	Chronic Disease is a priority health outcome in Ohio's 2020-2022 SHIP
Mental Health and Addiction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adult mental health and suicide Youth mental health and suicide Adult drug use Youth drug use Youth alcohol use Youth bullying Youth violence Youth adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) 	Yes	Mental Health and Addiction is a priority health outcome in Ohio's 2020-2022 SHIP

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital has developed the Fiscal Years 2026-2028 Implementation Strategy to meet community health needs in Hardin County, in collaboration with the Kenton-Hardin Health Department and various community stakeholders. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's 2025 Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) and Fiscal Year 2026-2028 Implementation Strategy demonstrates its continuing commitment to play an active and effective role in the Hardin County community by fulfilling its mission "to improve the health of those we serve." Moreover, OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Implementation Strategy include actions and strategies that align with the Ohio 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.).

For information about OhioHealth Hardin Memorial's CHNA process and for a copy of the reports, please visit <https://www.ohiohealth.com/locations/hospitals/hardin-memorial-hospital/about-us/community-health-needs-assessment/>. Please contact Jim Parobek President, OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital through email Jim.Parobek@ohiohealth.com to obtain hard copies of the CHNA reports at no charge. Written comments regarding this CHNA report and related implementation strategy can also be submitted to Jim Parobek.

A. Definition of the Community Served by the Hospital Facility and How the Community Served Was Determined

A.1. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital facility locations and ZIP Codes of communities served

- **OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital** – located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- **OhioHealth Emergency Department** – located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- **OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton** – located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- **OhioHealth ContinuCare Program** – located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- **OhioHealth Hardin Wellness Center** – located at 918 W. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326

A.2. Percent of patients served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital who reside in Hardin County, Ohio

Analysis of internal OhioHealth data showed that Hardin County is the community served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital. In Fiscal Year 2022, on average, 78% of patients served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital reside in Hardin County. In Fiscal Year 2023, on average, 80% of patients served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and various facilities reside in Hardin County. Refer to **Table 2**.

Table 2. Percent of patients served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital who reside in Hardin County, Ohio based on inpatient admissions, outpatient visits, Emergency Department visits, observations, and surgeries

	Percent of Patients Served from Hardin County, Ohio	
	Fiscal Year 2022	Fiscal Year 2023
Inpatient admissions	83%	82%
Outpatient visits (excluding observation)	82%	87%
Emergency Department	82%	82%
Observation	84%	89%
Surgeries	60%	60%
Average	78%	80%

B. Demographics of the Community

B.1. Total Hardin County population (Ohio Department of Development, n.d.)

In 2020, the Hardin County population was 30,696 people.

B.2. Race and ethnicity breakdown of Hardin County population (Ohio Department of Development, n.d.)

- White – 94.7%
- African American or Black – 1.3%
- Native American – 0%
- Asian – 0.7%
- Pacific Islander – 0%
- Other races – 1.1%
- Two or more races – 2.2%
- Hispanic (may be of any race) – 2%
- Total minority population – 6.1%

B.3. Age breakdown of Hardin County population (Ohio Development Services Agency, n.d.)

- Under 5 years – 5.7%
- 5 to 17 years – 16.8%
- 18 to 24 years – 16.4%
- 25 to 44 years – 21.1%
- 45 to 64 years – 24.1%
- 65 years and more – 15.9%

The median age in Hardin County was 36.1 years.

B.4. Income breakdown of Hardin County population (Ohio Development Services Agency, n.d.)

- Median household income – \$52,112.00
- Per capita personal income – \$40,636.00
- Families with income below poverty level – 12.6%
- Individuals with income below poverty level – 17.9%

C. Existing Healthcare Facilities and Resources within the Community that are Available to Respond to the Community's Health Needs

C.1. Healthcare Facilities and Community Resources Addressing Health Behaviors, including (a) adult weight status, (b) youth weight status, (c) adult vaping, and (d) youth vaping

C.1.1. OhioHealth and Hardin Memorial Hospital

OhioHealth offers weight management programs that address health behaviors to help adult patients with managing their weight.

C.1.1.1. OhioHealth Weight Management Programs and Services

OhioHealth offers medical and surgical options for effective and safe weight loss. OhioHealth offers a holistic approach to weight loss where the OhioHealth team provides the support and care before and after treatment to help patients sustain a healthy weight for life. The OhioHealth team helps patients with developing life-long healthy living habits (OhioHealth 2015-2024).

Medical weight management is a medically supervised, non-surgical weight management program. Patients will have a personalized treatment plan in consultation with the multidisciplinary team to help achieve weight loss. The OhioHealth physician will meet with the patient regularly to review progress towards achieving optimal weight loss. The healthcare team is comprised of physicians, nurse practitioners, dietitians, psychologists, and exercise physiologists. The team members help patients achieve weight loss through combination of diet, exercise, behavioral changes, and medication changes (if necessary). Most importantly, the team will explain which services are paid through health insurance and which services are paid out-of-pocket. The patient meets with a provider for detailed weight history and medical history, physical exam, and review of laboratory test results. The patient also meets with the OhioHealth dietitian to review a personalized meal plan.

C.1.1.1.1. Enrollment

During enrollment, the patient will have a body composition study using the InBody Technology to measure fat mass, muscle mass, percent body fat, and basal metabolic rate. The OhioHealth exercise physiologist will review the results of the body composition study. The individualized plan for the patient will be based on the results of the body composition study.

Moreover, the patient will meet with the OhioHealth medical provider for one hour to review current health conditions and medications, assess patient's history of food consumption and weight change, laboratory values, activity levels, sleep hygiene, and emotional health. The individualized plan may include medication changes, setting calorie targets, and meetings and consults with the multidisciplinary team.

At enrollment, the patient will also meet with the OhioHealth dietitian to create a personalized meal plan. The meal plan will be guided by the provider, patient's health conditions, and personal food preferences. Patients will be educated about meal planning, calorie targets, and empowerment to succeed in sustainable weight loss.

C.1.1.1.2. Patient Engagement, Education and Accountability

After enrollment, the patient will meet with an exercise physiologist to learn how to set goals related to exercise and physical activity. The exercise physiologist will discuss physical activities that are appropriate and enjoyable, and also consider the patient's limitations or barriers to exercise. Moreover, the exercise physiologist helps patients develop goals for maintaining or increasing muscle mass during the patient's weight loss journey.

The patient will also have up to three appointments with the psychologists to help with behavior change, stress management, obtaining adequate sleep, means of coping, and establish a relationship with food as means of nourishment.

The patient will attend a Core Concept Class that may be accessed virtually. The 90-minute class is taught by the psychologist and exercise physiologist, which is directed at teaching the foundational concepts of a medical weight program.

Thereafter, the patient attends ongoing group education and support to be accountable. The weekly classes are taught by the dietitian, exercise physiologist, or psychologist. These classes are educational and conversational to allow participants to share their experiences, and challenges with the OhioHealth Team and the group.

The OhioHealth Weight Management programs and services are available in the following locations (OhioHealth 2015-2024):

- **OhioHealth McConnell Heart Health Center** – located at 3773 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio 43214
- **OhioHealth Pickerington Methodist Hospital** – located at 1030 refugee Road, Suite 296, Pickerington, Ohio 43147
- **OhioHealth Delaware Health Center** – located at 801 OhioHealth Boulevard, Suite 160, Delaware, Ohio 43015
- **OhioHealth Westerville Medical Campus** – located at 300 Polaris Parkway, Suite 275, Westerville, Ohio 43082

C.1.1.2. OhioHealth Surgical Weight Management Programs and Services

Surgical weight management, also known as bariatric surgery, helps people who are significantly overweight lose pounds effectively and safely. It works by restricting the amount of food you can eat, and it often results in dramatic weight loss for people who have not been able to lose weight by other means. OhioHealth's surgical weight management program is designed to provide the right procedure for each person, along with continuing support to maintain weight loss.

OhioHealth's Surgical Weight Management Program is recognized by the American College of Surgeon as a Surgical Quality Partner and received Metabolic and Bariatric Accreditation and Quality Improvement Program (American College of Surgeons, 1996-2024). OhioHealth's bariatric surgeons include the following:

- **Nirav R. Rana, MD** – a general surgeon who works at the OhioHealth McConnell Heart Health Center, 3773 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio 43214
- **Thomas C. Robertson IV, MD** – a general surgeon who works at the at the OhioHealth McConnell Heart Health Center, 3773 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio 43214
- **Thomas E. Sonnanstine IV, MD** – a general surgeon who works at the at the OhioHealth McConnell Heart Health Center, 3773 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio 43214

The OhioHealth Surgical Weight Management Program is exemplary (OhioHealth 2015-2024) because:

- The bariatric surgeons have significant experience performing advanced laparoscopic, minimally invasive surgery techniques.
- OhioHealth Riverside Methodist Hospital offers superior post-surgical care.
- Long-term weight management support and therapy are provided by exercise physiologists and dietitians.
- Patients have access to state-of-the-art exercise facility and swimming pool at the OhioHealth McConnell Heart Health Center.
- Patients have access to a program coordinator who assists them with health insurance details.

C.1.1.3. OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Clinics in Hardin County

There are 3 OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Clinics in Hardin County. These primary care physician clinics address health behaviors related to adult and youth weight status and adult and youth vaping.

C.1.1.3.1. OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care at Kenton, Ohio

This Clinic is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326. This OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Clinic provides the following services:

- Access to preventative, wellness, and illness care
- Access to flu shots and other vaccines
- Physical exams, school physicals, sports physicals
- Women's health services
- Management of chronic diseases or conditions

C.1.1.3.2. OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care at Forest, Ohio

This Clinic is located at 216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843. This OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Clinic is also called Forest Community Health Center. The Clinic provides the following services:

- Access to preventative, wellness, and illness care
- Access to flu shots and other vaccines
- Physical exams, school physicals, sports physicals
- Women's health services
- Management of chronic diseases or conditions

C.1.1.3.3. OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care at Mt. Victory, Ohio

This Clinic is located at 460 S. Main Street, Mt. Victory, Ohio 43340. The Clinic provides the following services:

- Access to preventative, wellness and illness care
- Access to flu shots and other vaccines
- Physical exams, school physicals, sports physicals
- Women's health services
- Management of chronic diseases or conditions

C.1.1.4. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology

This Clinic is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. This Specialty Clinic provides care for patients suffering from breathing or lung problems such as asthma, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), and other lung diseases. It is known that vaping may lead to breathing complications and lung diseases. The providers collaborate with the patient in developing an individualized treatment plan to improve quality of life.

The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic provides the following services:

- General pulmonary consultation
- Pulmonary function testing
- Diagnostic bronchoscopy
- Endobronchial ultrasound and transbronchial needle aspiration
- Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)
- Bronchitis
- Emphysema
- Pulmonary fibrosis
- Pulmonary nodules
- Lung cancer
- Bronchiectasis
- Non-cystic fibrosis
- Interstitial lung disease
- Asthma
- Sarcoidosis
- Pneumonia
- Shortness of breath
- Cough/chronic cough
- Sleep apnea evaluation and treatment
- Sleep studies

C.1.1.5. OhioHealth Physician Group Heart and Vascular Physicians

This Clinic is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43326. The OhioHealth Physician Group Heart and Vascular Physicians provides personalized cardiovascular care, including management of complex conditions like peripheral vascular disease, heart failure and heart valve diseases, as well as heart disease prevention. It is known that excess weight and vaping are risk factors for heart disease and may lead to heart disease complications.

The OhioHealth Physician Group Heart and Vascular Physicians Clinic provides the following services:

- Cardiac imaging
- Cardiothoracic surgery
- Electrophysiology
- Heart failure
- Interventional cardiology
- Structural heart anomalies
- Vascular diseases

C.1.1.6. OhioHealth Marion General Hospital Smoking Cessation Program

Patients who had diagnoses of tobacco use, smoking or vaping are educated about the ill effects of tobacco use or smoking to general health and wellbeing and risk for comorbidities. Patients who expressed interest in quitting were referred to the Ohio Quitline or to Marion General Hospital's 6-week outpatient smoking cessation program. The OhioHealth Marion General Hospital Smoking Cessation Program has served patients from Hardin County.

The Marion General Hospital's Smoking Cessation Program six-week classes are as follows:

- **Week 1** – Introduction and assessment
- **Week 2** – Health Effects of Tobacco
- **Week 3** – Addiction and Withdrawal
- **Week 4** – Emotions, Stress, Coping Skills
- **Week 5** – Relapse Prevention
- **Week 6** – The New You

C.1.1.7. OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Ear, Nose and Throat) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

The OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center for Ear, Nose and Throat (ENT) is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. OhioHealth Physician Group provides expert care for conditions of the ear, nose, throat, head, and neck. OhioHealth providers diagnose and treat hearing problems, voice and swallowing disorders, sleep apnea, sinus conditions, and head and neck cancers, and give comprehensive care and personalized support to patients.

The OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Ear, Nose and Throat) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital provides services including but not limited to:

- **Allergies** – include but not limited to care for (a) asthma, and (b) allergies, seasonal and perennial rhinitis (hay fever).
- **Hearing, ears, and balance** – include but not limited to care for (a) chronic ear infections; (b) birth defects/developmental delays – Down's syndrome; (c) protruding ears (otoplasty); (d) vestibular and/or balance disorders – including motion sickness and vertigo; (e) ear aches, infection (otitis media) or swimmers ear; (f) nerve pathway disorders (affecting hearing and balance); (g) perforated ear drum; (h) ringing in the ears (tinnitus); (i) draining ear; (j) hearing loss; (k) ear, face or neck pain; (l) nerve damage or trauma.
- **Nose** – include but not limited to care for (a) any disorders, chronic condition or general concerns of the nose or sinuses; (b) nose bleeds (epistaxis); (c) stuffy nose; (d) loss of smell; and (e) nasal polyposis.
- **Throat** – include but not limited to care for (a) stutter, voice or other communicative disorders; (b) voice, salivary gland or swallow disorders; (c) tonsil or adenoid infection; (d) gastroesophageal reflux disease (GERD); (e) airway problems or obstructions – snoring, sleep apnea; (f) chronic sinusitis or laryngitis (sore throat); (g) lump in the neck parathyroid, thyroid or voice box; (h) hoarseness; (i) chronic cough; (j) trauma (injury) – post-operative voice or swallow disorders; (m) paralyzed vocal chords or nerve damage(post heart attack).
- **Head and Neck** – include but not limited to care for (a) facial plastic and reconstructive surgery; (b) facial or skin cancers; (c) cancerous or noncancerous tumors; (d) trauma and injuries; (e) cyst or polyp removal; and (f) thyroid disease.

C.1.1.8. OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (General Surgery) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

The OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (General Surgery) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Services include but not limited to:

- Laparoscopic surgery
- Gallbladder surgery
- Hernia surgery
- Splenectomy
- Appendectomy
- Breast cancer surgery
- Colon cancer surgery
- Thyroid surgery
- Thoracoscopic surgery
- Endocrine surgery

C.1.1.9. OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (General Surgery) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital (Medical Oncology and Hematology)

The OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Medical Oncology and Hematology) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. With decades of experience, OhioHealth Physician Group Cancer Care physicians, nurses and medical staff are skilled at treating many different types of cancer. Services include but not limited to:

- Breast cancer care and surgery
- Cancer screening and prevention
- Colon and rectal surgery
- Endocrine care and surgery: thyroid, para-thyroid
- Gallbladder surgery
- Gastrointestinal surgical oncology
- General surgery
- Gynecologic cancer services – for women with cancers of the reproductive tract including cervical, endometrial, uterine, vaginal and ovarian cancers.
- Hepatobiliary cancer
- Infusions services
- Liver cancer surgery
- Lung cancer care and surgery
- Medical oncology and hematology
- Pancreatic cancer surgery

- Prostate cancer care and surgery
- Radiation oncology
- Skin cancer and melanoma surgery
- Surgical oncology
- OhioHealth CancerCall
- Supportive care – include patient navigation, integrated care, spiritual care, genetic counseling and testing, survivorship support

C.1.1.10. Specialty Center (Nephrology) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital provided by Kidney Associates, Inc.

The Specialty Center (Nephrology) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Board certified and fellowship trained nephrologists treat many different kidney disorders such as but not limited to:

- Acid-based disorders
- Acute kidney failure
- Chronic kidney disease
- Diabetic kidney disease
- Electrolyte disorders
- End-stage renal disease
- Hypertension
- Hemodialysis
- Urinary abnormalities
- Peritoneal dialysis
- Glomerular kidney diseases
- Pre- and post-kidney transplant care
- Kidney stones

C.1.1.11. OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Neurology) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

The OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Neurology) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. The OhioHealth Physician Group Neurology providers diagnose and treat neurological conditions and diseases. The OhioHealth Physician Group uses **advanced tests and diagnostics** that include but are not limited to:

- **Diagnostics/Tests** – include but not limited to (a) Electromyography exam; (b) Skin Biopsy; (c) Spinal Fluid Analysis; (d) Ultrasound of Peripheral Nerve and Muscle; (e) Neuropsychological Testing; (f) Computed Tomography (CT); (g) Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI); (h) Duplex Ultrasound; (i) Digital Subtraction Angiography; (j) Carotid Ultrasound; (k) Transcranial Doppler (TCD), which provides real-time information that cannot be obtained through static images like CT and MRI; (l) Outpatient electroencephalogram (EEG) Studies; (m) Epilepsy Neuroimaging; (n) Confirm Epilepsy Diagnosis; (o) Presurgical Evaluation Process; (p) Epilepsy Monitoring Units; (q) Neuropsychological Testing; (r) Wada Test; (s) Stereoelectroencephalography (SEEG) Test; (t) Invasive EEG Monitoring; (u) Evoked Potentials; (v) Lumbar Puncture; (w) Neuropsychological Evaluations; (x) Optical Coherence Tomography; and (y) Myelogram.
- **Spine Care** – include but not limited to (a) Spine; (b) Back Pain; (c) Cervical/Thoracic/Lumbar disc herniation; (d) Complex Spine; (e) Herniated Cervical Disc; (f) Herniated Lumbar Disc; (g) Kyphosis; (h) Neck Pain; (i) Radiculopathy; (j) Sciatica; (k) Scoliosis; (l) Spinal Cord; (m) Spinal Stenosis; (n) Spine Arthritis; (o) Spine Disease & Disorders; (p) Spine Fractures; (q) Spine Injections; (r) Spine Trauma; (s) Vertebral Augmentation; (t) Vertebral Compression Fractures.
- **Spine Surgery** – include but not limited to (a) Cervical Spine Fusions; (b) Decompression; (c) Discectomy; (d) Image Guided Spine Surgery; (e) Lumbar spine fusions; (f) Minimally Invasive Spine Surgery; (g) Revision Spine Surgery; (h) Spinal Cord Stimulation; (i) Spinal cord tumors; (j) Spinal Fusions; (k) Spine Surgery; (l) Syringomyelia; (m) Syrinx; (n) Vertebroplasty; (o) Vertebroplasty & Kyphoplasty.
- **Neurology** – include but not limited to neurological conditions ; (a) headaches; (b) sleep disorders; (c) stroke; (d) multiple sclerosis; (e) Parkinson's Disease; (f) electromyography; (g) nerve conduction studies; (h) electroencephalogram (EEG); (i) nerve conduction studies; (j) epilepsy; (k) seizures; (l) cerebral palsy; (m) dementia; (n) headaches; (o) hyperhidrosis; (p) muscle diseases; (q) neurogenic bladder; (r) neuromuscular disease; (s) neuropathic pain; (t) normal pressure hydrocephalus; (u) peripheral nerve; (v) peripheral neuropathy; (w) hydrocephalus.
- **Movement disorders** – include but not limited to (a) Essential Tremor; (b) Huntington's Chorea; (c) Parkinson's Disease.
- **Multiple sclerosis** – include but not limited to (a) Neuromyelitis Optica; (b) Transverse Myelitis; (c) Optic Neuritis; (d) Acute disseminated encephalomyelitis (ADEM).
- **Neuro-oncology** – include but not limited to (a) Brain Tumors; (b) Spinal Cord Tumors.
- **Neurovascular diseases** – Brain Aneurysm Treatment; (b) Brain Arteriovenous Malformation & Fistula Treatment; (c) Vascular; (d) Acute Stroke Treatment; (e) Central Nervous System Vasculitis; (f) Cerebrovascular Disease; (g) Stroke.
- **Spasticity** – include but not limited to (a) intrathecal Baclofen Therapy; (b) Botox; (c) Neuro Physical Therapy, Neuro Occupational Therapy.
- **Stroke**
- **Sports concussion**

- **Access to Behavioral Health services** – include but not limited to (a) Adolescent Psychiatry; (b) Adult Counseling; (c) Adult Psychiatry; (d) Affective Disorders; (e) Anger Management; (f) Anxiety Disorders; (g) Attention Deficit Disorder; (h) Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder; (i) Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Evaluations; (j) Bipolar Disorder; (k) Cognitive Therapy; (l) Depression; (m) Dissociative Disorders; (n) Electroconvulsive Therapy; (o) Forensic Psychiatry; (p) General Psychiatry; (q) Geriatric Depression; (r) Geriatric Post Traumatic Stress Disorder; (s) Geriatric Psychiatry; (t) Group Therapy; (u) Liaison Psychiatry; (v) Mental Retardation & Development Disabilities; (w) Mood Disorders; (x) Neurobehavior Disorders; (y) Neuropsychiatric Disorders; (z) Other mental health disorders.
- **Neurosurgery** – include but not limited to (a) Epilepsy Surgery; (b) Awake Craniotomy; (c) Benign and Malignant Brain Tumors; (d) Brain Surgery; (e) Brain Tumor; (f) Carpal Tunnel Surgery; (g) Chiari Malformation; (h) Computer Assisted Surgery /Stealth; (i) General Neurosurgery; (j) Glioblastoma; (k) Intraoperative Magnetic Resonance Imaging; (l) Meningioma; (m) Nerve Entrapment; (n) Peripheral Nerve; (o) Peripheral Neuropathy; (p) Pituitary Tumors; (q) Shunt Evaluation and Management; (r) Skull Base Surgery; (s) Traumatic Brain Injury; (t) Ulnar Nerve.
- **Neurocritical care** – include but not limited to (a) External Ventricular Catheter; and (b) Intracranial Pressure Monitoring.

C1.1.12. OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Obstetrics and Gynecology) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Obstetrics and Gynecology) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Services include but not limited to:

- **Prevention and early detection** – include but not limited to (a) Women's preventive care; (b) Teen and adolescent care; (c) Pap tests; (d) Breast examinations; (e) Pelvic examinations; (f) Osteoporosis screening; (g) Nutritional counseling; (h) Human papilloma virus (HPV)/cervical cancer vaccine (Gardasil).
- **Family planning** – include but not limited to (a) Birth control and counseling; (b) Preconception counseling; (c) Pre-pregnancy patient education to prepare for pregnancy; (d) Infertility assessments and basic treatments; (e) Reversal of tubal ligation (select physicians); (f) IUD insertions; (g) Effective treatment options for endometriosis that often improve pregnancy prospects.
- **Women's health/gynecological conditions** – include but not limited to (a) Gynecologic exam; (b) Management of heavy bleeding, painful or irregular cycles; (c) Management of premenstrual symptoms; (d) Perimenopause/menopause; (e) Hormone treatment (including natural hormone replacement).
- **Obstetrical care** – include but not limited to (a) prenatal care; (b) Pregnancy risk assessment and monitoring for high-risk pregnancies; (c) delivery; (d) postpartum care.
- **Surgical services** – include (a) Colposcopy; (b) Endometrial biopsy; (c) Endometrial ablation; (d) Laser surgery for endometriosis and other conditions; (e) Advanced laparoscopy; (f) Advanced hysteroscopy; (g) Reversal of tubal ligation (select physicians).

C.1.1.13. OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Orthopedic Surgery) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

The OhioHealth Physician Group Orthopedic Surgery is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Services provided include but not limited to:

- General orthopedic surgery
- Joint replacement surgery
- Total joint revisions of the hip and knee
- Joint preserving surgical procedures for hips and knees
- Total hip and knee replacement
- Knee and shoulder reconstruction
- Uni-compartmental knee replacement
- Hand surgery
- Fracture repair
- Advanced, minimally invasive surgical options including arthroscopic surgery
- Foot surgery
- Care for upper extremity injuries

C1.1.14. OhioHealth Physician Group Specialty Center (Podiatric Surgery) at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

The OhioHealth Physician Group Podiatric Surgery is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326 (OhioHealth 2015-2024). Services provided include but not limited to:

- Foot and ankle care for youth and adults
- Diagnose and treat bunions, diabetic or non-healing wounds
- Foot infections
- Flat feet
- Warts

C.1.2. Hardin Family YMCA

The Hardin Family YMCA offers programs and services that address adult and youth weight status.

C.1.2.1. Programs and services that address adult weight status through the YMCA Healthy Living-Healthy Spirit activities

C.1.2.1.1. Yoga

Yoga helps persons with building strength, flexibility and promotes overall wellbeing. Classes meet on Tuesday and Thursday mornings and Monday and Wednesday evenings. Stretch and relaxation are offered on Saturday mornings (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024).

C.1.2.1.2. SilverSneakers Yoga

SilverSneakers Yoga offers older adults with series of seated and standing yoga poses to improve flexibility, balance and range of movement (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024). SilverSneakers yoga are offered Mondays and Wednesday mornings (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024).

C.1.2.1.3. Healthways SilverSneakers Fitness Program

The Healthways SilverSneakers Fitness Program is a health, exercise and wellness program that helps older adults living lifestyles that promote health and physical activity. SilverSneakers serve persons 65 and older or those with qualified disability with Medicare Supplemental Insurance. The program enables persons to participate in SilverSneakers Cardio, SilverSneakers Classic, SilverSneakers Yoga, Silver & Fit, Active & Fit Direct; Fitness Coach (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024).

C.1.2.1.4. Online Personal Training

Online personal training enables online access to beginner exercises to advanced gym goers. The participant learns various apps for the online personal training. Participants have access to a coach or a mentor during the first month or for extended periods. Participants also can create a personal plan for their workouts with support from a coach or mentor (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024).

C.1.2.1.5. In-Person Training Options

Participants have selection for one-on-one in-person training options such as 1 day per week, 2 days per week, or 3 days per week (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024).

C.1.2.1.6. Small Group In-Person Training (Tribes)

Group sizes vary from 2 people, 3 people, or 4 to 6 people (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024).

C.1.2.1.7. Health and Fitness

The Hardin County Family YMCA promotes participants to achieve and maintain wellness (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024). Programs include:

- **Chisel & Chat** – incorporates aerobics, strengthening exercises, and stretching
- **Total Body Conditioning** – mix of aerobic and floor exercises that gives an overall workout
- **Strike** –cardio kickboxing using freestanding bags
- **Body works** – incorporates strengthening, conditioning, and muscle tone building
- **Stretch and Tone** – gentle, stretching class that improves flexibility, balance and muscle tone
- **Yoga** – integrates flexibility and stretching to help the mind and body
- **Group cycle** – use of stationary bikes
- **Cardio drumming**
- **Zumba** – a cardio dance class

C.1.2.2. Programs and services that address youth weight status through the YMCA Youth Development swim, sports and play and camps (Hardin Family YMCA, 2024)

Youth activities are delivered to provide supervised play to children in a safe, clean and wholesome area.

C.1.2.2.1. Youth volleyball

Youth ages 8 to 16 have access to individual and group lessons.

C.1.2.2.2. Youth swimming - Aquatics

Swim Starters program serve children ages 6 months to 36 months. The Swim Starters program promotes water safety and being less afraid of the water. Children are taught how to flip over in water, floating on back, and crawling out of the pool. Children have to be accompanied by a parent or adult when they are swimming.

- **Swim Basics** – for beginning swimmers who learn how to swim.
- **Swim Strokes** – an advanced swim class for swimmers beyond the Swim Basics.
- **Private Swim Lessons** – offers one-on-one lessons for children and adults.
- **Sea Dragons Swim Team** – learning about competitive swimming which includes physical conditioning, building self-confidence, sportsmanship, building character, and self-discipline.

C.1.2.2.3. YMCA Summer Day Camp

The YMCA Summer Camp provides supervised play to children in a safe, clean and wholesome area.

Children participate in field trips, travel to the Kenton City pool, arts and crafts, outdoor adventures, opportunities for socialization, and building relationships with peers.

C.1.3. Ohio Department of Education and School Districts in Hardin County

Ohio Law requires school districts to provide health education on the harmful effects and legal restriction against the use of drugs of abuse, alcoholic beverages, and tobacco, including electronic smoking devices (Ohio Department of Education and Workforce, n.d.). Electronic smoking devices include (a) E-cigarettes or e-cigs; (b) vapes or vape pens; (c) mods, pods, or tank systems; (d) JUULs or Puff Bars; and (e) Electronic nicotine delivery systems or ENDS. Electronic smoking devices include a battery, heating element, and a place to hold liquid. The liquid contains nicotine, ultrafine particles, flavorings, and other chemicals. E-cigarettes can also be used to deliver marijuana and other drugs. Aerosol is produced by heating the liquid in the device. The user inhales the aerosol. The use of e-cigarettes leads to (a) e-cigarette, or vaping, product use associated lung injury (EVALI); (b) risk of addiction; (c) burns; and (d) risks for injuries. The Ohio Department of Education endorsed that the evidenced-based educational program CATCH My Breath, for students from Grades 5 to 12. The CATCH My Breath is a youth, e-cigarette, JUUL, and vape prevention program, which consist of four 30-minute lessons (CATCH Global Foundation, 2014-2024). It is available at no cost to school districts. It teaches both harmful effects and legal restrictions of electronic smoking devices. According to the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce's Prevention Services Data Report 2021-2022 and 2022-2023, 96.4% of Hardin County Schools provide prevention-focused curriculum. Additionally, 100% of Hardin County schools offer prevention-focused programs and support services (Ohio Department of Education and Workforce, 2024).

C.1.4. Wildcat Health Clinic at Kenton Middle School

The Wildcat Health Clinic is a partnership between the Healthcare Partners of Western Ohio and Kenton City Schools. Kenton Middle School is located at 300 Oriental Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. The Clinic offers health care services for students and for the community. At this Clinic, the Healthcare Partners of Western Ohio provides the following services (Health Partners of Western Ohio, 2024; Kenton City Schools, 2024):

- **Wellness and Preventive Care** – focuses on helping patients become healthy and maintain it and assisting patients on healthy lifestyle choices. Services include: (a) shots for adults and children; (b) check-ups and physical exams; (c) annual wellness visits; (d) health screenings; (e) fluoride treatment of teeth.
- **Short-Term Sick Care** – include treatment of (a) sore throats; (b) earaches; (c) muscle sprains and strains; (d) headaches; and (e) other common illnesses.
- **Long-term Disease Management** – focuses on teaching patients about understanding and managing chronic diseases such as but not limited to (a) diabetes; (b) asthma; (c) high blood pressure; (d) Hepatitis C; (e) high cholesterol; and (f) lung disease.
- **Women's Health Services** – include (a) regular pap smears; (b) pelvic exams; (c) breast exams; (d) screening for sexually transmitted diseases (STDs); (e) family planning options such as birth control pills, Depo Provera shots; Intra-Uterine Devices (IUDs), and implants.
- **Laboratory Services** – available at the Health Partners of Western Ohio Clinic.
- **Obstetrics Services** – available at the Kenton Community Health Center. Services include (a) pregnancy care; (b) childbirth; and (c) postpartum care.
- **Access to Silver Diamine Fluoride** – the treatment prevents, slows, or stop tooth decay.
- **Behavioral Health** – Treat and support patients with mental health challenges such as (a) depression and anxiety, (b) drug and alcohol abuse, (c) smoking, and (d) overeating.
- **Substance Use Treatment** – include assessment of (a) patient's problem; (b) identifies the appropriate treatment; (c) helps patients understand the problem and make changes; and (d) prescribe medications that help you resist abuse.
- **Medication Assisted Treatment** – provides (a) access to medicines; (b) counseling, therapies, and (c) psychosocial support.
- **Social Services and Outreach** – offers (a) access to social worker; (b) address basic needs such as food, housing, transportation, utilities; assistance with obtaining health insurance options.

C.2. Healthcare Facilities and Community Resources Addressing Chronic Disease (includes conditions such as heart disease, diabetes, and childhood conditions such as asthma and lead exposure)

C.2.1. OhioHealth and OhioHealth Memorial Hospital

C.2.1.1. OhioHealth Physician Group Heart and Vascular Physicians

OhioHealth addresses heart disease through the OhioHealth Physician Group Heart and Vascular Physicians. OhioHealth's Heart and Vascular Physicians conduct testing, diagnostic procedures, and minimally invasive treatments and surgeries.

- **Cardiac imaging** – (a) cardiovascular computed tomography (CT) angiography; (b) Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI); (c) Cardiovascular MRI; (d) Cardiac positron emission tomography (PET); (e) Dobutamine stress echocardiogram; (f) Echocardiogram; (g) Electrocardiogram; (h) Exercise stress echocardiogram; (i) Exercise stress tests; (j) Coronary calcium scoring; (k) Transesophageal echocardiogram; and (l) Nuclear imaging.
- **Cardiothoracic surgery** – includes procedures and treatments for (a) Advanced heart failure procedures; (b) Aortic aneurysm repair; (c) Aortic valve replacement; (d) Arrhythmia surgery; (e) Atrial septal defect/patent foramen ovale (PFO) closure; (f) Coronary artery bypass grafting; (g) Endovascular treatment of complex vascular disorders; (h) Esophageal surgery; (i) Lung surgery; (j) Mitral valve repair and/or replacement; (j) Tricuspid valve repair and/or replacement; and (k) Ventricular assist devices.
- **Electrophysiology tests and diagnostics** – include (a) Mobile cardiac outpatient telemetry; (b) Event monitors; (c) Holter monitors; (d) Tilt-table testing; (e) Electrophysiology studies; (f) Device trans-telephonic monitoring; and (g) Device interrogation and programming.
- **Electrophysiology procedures and treatments** – include (a) Radiofrequency catheter ablation; (b) Cryoballoon catheter ablation; (c) Implantable cardioverter defibrillator implantation; (d) Cardiac resynchronization device implantation; (e) Permanent pacemaker implantation; (f) Implantable event monitors; (g) Lead extraction; (h) Direct current cardioversion; and (i) Left atrial appendage closure.
- **Heart failure tests and diagnostics** – include (a) testing for cardiomyopathies; and (b) cardiopulmonary exercise testing.
- **Heart failure procedures, treatments and support** – include (a) Invasive hemodynamics / cardiac catheterization; (b) Advanced heart failure evaluation and treatment; (c) Cardiac transplant evaluation; (d) Cardiac transplant (post-surgery) management; (e) Left ventricular Assist Device (LVAD) evaluation, implantation, and management; (f) Heart failure medication optimization; (g) Dietary counseling; (h) Heart failure-related social services; (i) Genetic counseling; (j) Palliative care/hospice consultative services.
- **Interventional cardiology tests and diagnostics** – include (a) Coronary angiography; (b) Diagnostic cardiac catheterization; and (c) Trans-radial coronary angiography.
- **Interventional cardiology procedures and treatments** – include (a) Angioplasty atherectomy; (b) Balloon valvuloplasty; (c) Coronary stenting; (d) Extracorporeal membrane oxygenation (ECMO); (e) Femoral access Impella intra-aortic balloon pump; (f) Mitra-clip; (g) Percutaneous coronary intervention (radial access); (h) Stenting; and (i) Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR).

- **Structural Heart Anomalies Tests and Diagnostics** – includes (a) Transthoracic echocardiogram; (b) Electrocardiogram; (c) Blood work; (d) Pulmonary function testing; (e) Carotid duplex studies; (f) Transesophageal echocardiogram; (g) Cardiac catheterization; (h) Computed tomography (CT) angiogram of the chest; and (i) abdomen and pelvis.
- **Structural Heart Procedures and Treatments** – includes (a) patent foramen ovale (PFO) closures; (b) Mitra-clip; (c) Open and endovascular valve repair/treatment; (d) Septal occlusive devices; (e) Transcatheter aortic valve replacement (TAVR); (f) Treatment of paravalvular leak; and (g) Watchman procedure.
- **Vascular Diseases Tests and Diagnostics** – includes (a) Thoracic outlet syndrome; (b) Abdominal aortic aneurysm screening; (c) Ankle-brachial index; (d) Arterial doppler; (e) Arterial duplex; (f) Carotid duplex ultrasound; (g) Peripheral angiography; (h) Pulse volume recordings; (i) Renal artery ultrasound; (j) Vein mapping; and (k) Venous duplex ultrasound.
- **Vascular Diseases Procedures and Treatments** – includes (a) Abdominal aortic aneurysm repair; (b) Ambulatory phlebectomy; (c) Aorto-femoral bypass; (d) Carotid angioplasty and stenting; (e) Carotid artery surgery; (f) Carotid endarterectomy; (g) Catheter-directed thrombolysis of pulmonary embolism; (h) Cosmetic vein care; (i) Dialysis access; (j) Endovascular aneurysm repair; (k) Endovascular stent graft; (l) Endovenous laser treatments; (m) Hyperbaric oxygen therapy; (n) Inferior vena cava (IVC) filter placement/removal; (o) Limb salvage; (p) Lower extremity wound care; (q) Peripheral angioplasty; (r) Peripheral vascular surgery; (s) Pseudoaneurysms percutaneous repair; (t) Sclerotherapy; (u) Thoracic endovascular aortic repair; (v) Ultrasound-assisted thrombectomy; (w) Vein procedures; (x) Venous stent placement; and (y) Vertebral artery stenting.

C.2.1.2. OhioHealth Diabetes Programs

OhioHealth believes that learning how to control diabetes is critical to enjoying long-term good health and quality of life. OhioHealth's personalized diabetes treatment programs help patients achieve good health and maintain an active lifestyle. The multidisciplinary team teach the most current information and resources for self-management of Type 1, Type 2, and gestational diabetes (OhioHealth 2015-2024).

OhioHealth provides teaching about diabetes self-management skills in individual or group sessions. Individual appointments with the dietitian or nurse diabetes educator will include assessments on patient's eating habits and development of personalized meal eating plans.

The program includes the following components:

- Comprehensive education class series, including individual assessments with a nurse educator and dietitian
- Individual consultation with a nurse educator and/or dietitian for specific needs
- Free support group meetings every other month

The consultation with a nurse offers discussion on (a) reasons why managing diabetes is important; (b) prevention of diabetes complications; (c) understanding and dealing with the emotional aspects of diabetes; (d) safely managing diabetes; (e) use of glucose meters and taking medications; (f) making behavior changes that promote healthy lifestyles.

The consultation with a dietitian offers discussion on (a) developing a healthy eating plan; (b) enabling meal plan to fit within the patient's lifestyle; (c) enjoying tasty and appealing foods

The OhioHealth Diabetes Services are available in the following OhioHealth facilities:

- **OhioHealth Delaware Medical Campus** –located at 801 OhioHealth Boulevard, Delaware, Ohio 43015
- **OhioHealth Grant Medical Center** – located at 111 S. Grant Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43215
- **OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital** – located at 335 Glessner Avenue, Mansfield, Ohio 44903
- **OhioHealth McConnell Heart Health Center** – located at 3773 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio 43214
- **OhioHealth O’Bleness Hospital** – located at 55 Hospital Drive, Athens, Ohio 45701
- **OhioHealth Pickerington Methodist Hospital** – located at 1010 Refugee Road, Pickerington, Ohio 43147
- **OhioHealth Westerville Medical Campus** – located at 300 Polaris Parkway, Westerville, Ohio 43082

C.2.2. Examples of Clinics serving Children with Asthma

C.2.2.1. OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care

The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326. The physicians and advanced practice providers who provide care for children with asthma include:

- **Cristina M. Crum, MD** – specializes in internal medicine
- **Kalyan K. Das, MD** – specializes in internal medicine
- **Jeffrey L. Neuhauser, MD** – specializes in Family Medicine
- **Norma J. Ogbonna, MD** – specializes in Family Medicine
- **Kelsey A. Smith, PA-C** – specializes in Family Medicine
- **Danielle L. Mayer, PA-C** – specializes in Family Medicine

C.2.2.2. Kenton Community Health Center

The Kenton Community Health Center is located at 111 W. Espy Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326

C.2.2.3. Wildcat Health Clinic at Kenton Middle School

The Wildcat Health Clinic at Kenton Middle School is located at 300 Oriental Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

C.2.2.4. Lima Memorial Health System Kenton Medical Center

The Lima Memorial Health System Kenton Medical Center located at 1211 East Columbus Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

C.2.3. Ohio Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics and Ohio Department of Health

It is known that 2 out of 3 homes in Ohio may have lead paint. In Ohio, 3 out of 10 children have elevated blood lead levels. Forty percent of high-risk kids in Ohio do not receive the recommended lead tests. Among U.S. States, Ohio has the third highest percent of children under age 6 with elevated blood lead levels. There are many houses in Ohio that were built before 1978, which contain lead-based paint. Some old homes have not been properly maintained or upgraded, especially in minority communities (Ohio Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics and Ohio Department of Health, 2021).

Primary prevention is key related to lead exposure based on the facts below:

- There is no safe blood level of lead.
- Lead exposure is a risk factor for (a) impaired development, (b) poor school performance, and (c) behavioral problems.
- The diagnoses of elevated blood lead level cannot be reversed.

The Ohio Law and Ohio Department of Health recommendation requires that all kids aged 12 and 24 months who live in zip codes with risk for lead exposure and those enrolled through Medicaid should have a venous or capillary test completed.

The Ohio's contacts for management recommendations for children receiving blood lead test include:

- **Ohio Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Prevention Program** – 1-877-LEAD-SAFE
- **Help Me Grow Hotline (Home Visiting and Early Intervention)** – 1-800-755-GROW (4769)
- **Medicaid Provider Hotline** – 1-800-686-1516
- **Children with Medical Handicaps (CMH)** – 614-466-1700
- **Poison Control** – 1-800-222-1222
- **Women, Infants and Children (WIC)** – 614-644-8006

C.2.4. The Ohio State University (OSU) Extension Hardin County

The OSU Extension Hardin County Office is located at 1021 W. Lima Street, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Programs and services include but not limited to:

C.2.4.1. 4-H Development

4-H has a mission of “give young people access to opportunity”. 4-H means Head, Hands, Heart and Health. 4-H Clover is available to children ages 8-18. 4-H Cloverbud is available to children ages 5-7. 4-H belief that children learn best by doing. Children are exposed to various hands-on projects such as science, health, agriculture, and civic engagement through the guidance of adult mentors. Children are encouraged to partake in leadership roles. 4-H Healthy Living programs help youth balance their emotional, mental, and physical health (The Ohio State University, 2024). Examples of activities under the 4-H Healthy Living program include:

- **Substance abuse prevention, achieving good mental health** – Adult mentors encourages good decision-making and interpersonal skills, taking care of their minds, body and spirit.
- **Fitness, health, nutrition and safety programs** – help youth build skills on eating healthy, being physically active in safe places, and master basic health principles.
- **Teen mentorship and leadership empowerment** – enables teen to serve as champions of health in their own communities. Through the Teen as Teachers program, the aim is to help teens start behavior change for themselves, their families and friends.

- **4-H Heathy Habits** – focuses on culturally appropriate focus on nutrition and skills to prepare healthy foods. 4-H has a free, downloadable cookbook.
- **4-H Health Rocks!®** – aims to reduce youth smoking and tobacco use, help youth build life and decision-making skills and help youth understand the ill effects of tobacco, alcohol and drug use in a person's health and wellbeing.
- **Youth Advocates for Community Health (YACH)** – empowers youth leaders to promote health in their communities. It enables healthy choice the easy choice in communities.

C.2.4.2. The Ohio State University (OSU) Extension Family and Consumer Sciences

The OSU Extension Family and Consumer Sciences helps persons gain knowledge, skills, and tools to make healthy choices and adopt healthy behaviors. The OSU extension department of Family and Consumer Sciences focuses on three aspects, (a) healthy people, (b) healthy finances, homebuyer education, and money management; and (c) healthy relationships (The Ohio State University, 2024). Moreover, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP-ED) program provides free education on nutrition and obesity to low-income individuals and families. Participants in the SNAP-ED program learns to eat more foods and vegetables, whole grains, low-fat proteins, low-fat dairy products, purchasing healthy foods on a budget, active living throughout the day, and safe food handling (The Ohio State University, 2024).

C.2.4.3. Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP-Ed)

SNAP-Ed is a free nutrition education and obesity prevention program that serve low-income adults and youth choose healthy foods and adopt healthy behaviors in their eating habits (The Ohio State University, 2024).

- **Focus on healthy people** – leads or participants in programs and services such as “Healthy Lifestyles Coalition”, “Dining with Diabetes”, “Food Preservation Workshops”, “ServSafe”, “Live Healthy, Live Well Challenges”.
- **Focus on healthy finances** – leads or participates in programs and services such as homebuyer education, money management, “Money Matters”, “Real Money, Real World”.
- **Focus on healthy relationships** – leads or participates in programs or services such as “Goo Crew”, “Active Parenting Now”, and “Successful Co-Parenting”.

C.2.5. Kenton-Hardin Health Department

Kenton-Hardin Health Department provides access to public health services that include (but are not limited to): (a) influenza vaccination and other immunizations; (b) collaborations with hospitals and laboratories to prevent disease transmission; (c) lead testing; (d) child safety seat program; (e) Help Me Grow home visiting program; (f) Cribs for Kids; (g) Community Baby Shower; (h) Hardin County Healthy Lifestyle Coalition; (i) Water First for Thirst; (j) Veggie U program for Hardin County schools; (k) hearing and vision screens; (l) well-child checks and physical exams; and (m) free blood pressure screening (Kenton Hardin Health Department, n.d.).

C.2.6. Hardin County Family YMCA

This local YMCA offers programs designed to address youth development, healthy living, and social responsibility. Programs related to youth development include (but are not limited to: (a) fitness and exercise; (b) gymnastics; (c) Taekwondo; (d) soccer; (e) swimming; and (f) day camp. Programs related to healthy living for all ages include: (a) yoga; (b) Taekwondo; massage; Healthways SilverSneakers™; fitness classes; aquatics; and sports and recreation. As part of social responsibility, volunteerism is encouraged to inspire members to be actively involved in their own neighborhoods (Hardin County Family YMCA, 2024).

C.2.7. Ohio Northern University (ONU) Raabe College of Pharmacy

The ONU Raabe College of Pharmacy provides health and wellness resources and clinical and educational services to the Hardin County community. Educational resources and support include: (a) community outreach services, (b) Drug and Health Information Center Support Line, (c) tobacco cessation, (d) mobile health clinic, (e) aging and elder care, (f) education about over-the-counter medications and supplements, (g) diabetes education, (h) heart health, (i) education about chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD) and asthma, (j) women's health, (k) managing emotions and mental health needs, (l) healthy eating and managing weight, (m) patient referrals to primary care providers (Ohio Northern University, n.d.).

The College of Pharmacy also provides screening services, such as (a) blood glucose; (b) hemoglobin A1C; (c) immunizations; (d) blood pressure; (e) review of medications; (f) cholesterol; (g) bone density; (h) prevention and wellness (Ohio Northern University, n.d.). The ONU HealthWise is a multidisciplinary team of faculty, students, and other health care specialists that provide health and wellness resources and outreach to the community Ohio Northern University, n.d.).

C.2.8. Hardin County Council on Aging, Inc

Services offered to Hardin County residents age 60 and older include: (a) Wilkinson McVitty Berlien Adult Day Center; (b) chore services (snow removal from walkways, lawn work, and simple home repairs and maintenance); (c) light housekeeping; (d) information and referrals (setting appointments with Legal Aid, HEAP, Medicare, meals and other needs); (e) socialization; (f) physical activity; and (g) access to transportation (Hardin County Council on Aging, n.d.).

C.2.9. Area Agency on Aging 3

C.2.9.1. Health Education Programs

- **A Matter of Balance: Managing Concerns About Falls** – addresses exercise, safety at home, assertiveness, and setting goals. Participants attain the following: (a) reduce the fear of falling; (b) learn that falls are preventable and manageable; (c) set goals for increasing activity; (d) reduce fall risks at home; and (e) improve strength and balance through exercise.
- **Bingocize** – combines the bingo game and health education. Bingocize help older adults be more physically active, improve mobility, use health information about falls prevention, nutrition, other health behaviors, and social engagement.
- **Tai Chi's Sun Style for Health** – helps older adults relax, maintain balance, prevent falls, and improve symptoms of chronic disease and arthritis.
- **Tai Ji Quan Moving for Better Balance** – helps older adults at risk of falling and those having difficulties with their balance. Tai Ji Quan aims to improve strength, balance, movement, and prevent falls.
- **Tai Ji Quan: Moving for Better Balance** – an evidence-based balance training for older adults who are at risk of falling and those with problems with maintaining balance.
- **Powerful tools for caregivers** – helps persons manage their stress, improve ability to communicate with family and friends, development of self-care behaviors; handling one's emotions; and decision making.
- **Chronic Disease Self-Management** – helps adults with chronic diseases how to manage and improve health. Topics include managing pain, nutritious eating; exercise; use of medications, managing emotions and effective ways of communicating with doctors and other health providers. Examples of chronic diseases include heart disease, fibromyalgia, diabetes, and Parkinson's Disease.

- **Chronic Pain Self-Management** – participants learn means of effectively managing pain daily through exercise, eating healthy; mind management of pain. Participants are also taught how to self-manage fatigue, insomnia, emotions, proper ways of communicating with family, friend, and coworkers. Participants are taught skills of developing action plans, solving problems and making decisions.
- **Diabetes Self-Management** – appropriate for patients who have prediabetes or type 2 diabetes. Topics include exercise, healthy eating; symptom management of fatigue, sleep, stress, depression, low blood sugar, losing weight; effectively communicating with others, managing sick days, importance of glucose monitoring. Participants are taught skills such as creating an action plan; solving problems; and decision making.

C.2.9.2. Wellness Programs

The Area Agency on Aging 3 offers the following wellness programs: (a) emotional wellness; (b) physical wellness; (c) intellectual wellness; (d) occupational wellness; (e) spiritual wellness; (f) social wellness.

As part of physical wellness, the Area Agency on Aging 3 provides education about aerobic exercise and muscle strengthening activities. Examples of appropriate physical activities related to aerobic activities for older adults include (a) walking or hiking; (b) dancing; (c) swimming; (d) water aerobics; (e) jogging or running; (f) aerobic exercise classes; (g) yoga; (h) bicycle ride; (i) yard work (raking or pushing a lawn mower); (j) tennis; (k) basketball; (l) walking during paying golf. On the other hand, examples of muscle-strengthening exercises for older adults include (a) exercise body weight machines; (b) push-ups, pull-up planks, squats; (c) gardening; (d) and carrying groceries (Area Agency on Aging 3, n.d.).

C.3. Healthcare and Community Resources that address mental health and addiction, including (a) adult mental health; (b) youth mental health; (c) adult suicide; (d) youth suicide; (e) adult drug use; (f) youth drug use; (g) alcohol use; (h) youth bullying; (i) youth violence; and (j) youth adverse childhood experiences)

C.3.1. OhioHealth Neuroscience Behavioral and Mental Health

OhioHealth provides patients with psychiatric disorders and their families access to inpatient and outpatient services throughout the Ohio region for patients.

C.3.1.1. Inpatient Behavioral Health Service Locations

- **OhioHealth Riverside Methodist Hospital** – 3535 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio 43214
- **OhioHealth Marion General Hospital** – 1000 McKinley Park Drive, Marion, Ohio 43302
- **OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital** – 335 Glessner Avenue, Mansfield, Ohio 44903

C.3.1.2. Inpatient Care

Inpatient care is often recommended when the emotional, psychological and behavioral problems have reached a crisis and the patient needs a safe environment to stabilize. As the crisis is addressed, the team assesses the need for follow-up outpatient care and puts a plan in place to support the patient's continued recovery. Services include medication management, group therapy and activities, electroconvulsive therapy (ECT), further consultation, and education.

C.3.1.3. Electroconvulsive Therapy (ECT)

ECT is a safe and effective treatment for some psychiatric disorders. We use it to treat depression, but it is also effective with other mood disorders, such as bipolar disorder. Before a patient receives their first treatment, they will create a treatment plan with their physician team to determine that ECT is the appropriate form of treatment. The total number of treatments needed to successfully treat severe depression will vary based on age, diagnosis, history of the illness, family support and response to treatment. Most people require six to twelve treatments and may notice a difference after two to four depending on the severity of their illness.

C.3.1.4. Psychiatric Emergency Services

A psychiatric assessment and evaluation are available to patients receiving care at OhioHealth Emergency Departments.

C.3.1.5. Inpatient Consultation/Liaison Services

Physicians may request a psychiatric assessment and evaluation for medical patients with psychiatric complications who are currently receiving inpatient hospital care. A psychiatrist, advance practice nurse or licensed independent social worker (LISW) will evaluate the patient, make recommendations for treatment and follow the patient's course of care until he/she is stabilized.

C.3.1.6. Outpatient Behavioral Health Services

- **OhioHealth Outpatient Behavioral Health Offices – Central Ohio** – located at 3820 Olentangy River Road, Columbus, Ohio 43214. Services include (a) Partial Hospitalization Program and Intensive Outpatient Program (contact phone at 614 566-4414); (b) Sexual Assault Response Network of Central Ohio Rape Helpline (contact phone at (614) 267-7020); (c) Mindfulness Based Stress Reduction Program (contact phone at (614) 788-4725).

- **OhioHealth Marion General Hospital Behavioral Health** – located at 1000 McKinley Park Drive, Marion, Ohio 43302. Services include (a) Partial Hospitalization Program and Intensive Outpatient Program (contact phone at (740) 383-8486); and (b) Aftercare Program (contact phone at (740) 383-8486).
- **OhioHealth Mansfield Hospital Behavioral Health** – located at 335 Glessner Avenue, Mansfield, Ohio 44903. Services include an Intensive Outpatient Program (contact phone at (419) 526-8942).
- **OhioHealth Physician Group Behavioral Health** – located at 5141 West Broad Street, Suite 115, Columbus, Ohio 43228. Services include (a) Partial Hospitalization Program (contact phone at (614) 544-1061; and (b) Intensive Outpatient Program (contact phone (614) 544-1061).

C.3.1.7. OhioHealth Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation Therapy (TMS)

TMS Therapy uses highly focused magnetic pulses to stimulate the areas of the brain thought to control mood. The theory is that TMS Therapy causes neurons to become active, leading to the release of neurotransmitters to relieve symptoms of depression. Each outpatient treatment involves gentle placement of the magnetic coil against the patient's head. TMS Therapy utilizes a technology similar to Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) that has a long-term record of safety.

C.3.1.8. OhioHealth Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP)

The Partial Hospitalization Program is used either as a step down from inpatient care or to help prevent hospitalization for outpatients experiencing more acute symptoms. PHP is structured treatment in a group setting designed to treat adults with symptoms of depression, anxiety, and/or thought disorganization that are affecting their ability to function in multiple areas of their lives. The goal of this program is to stabilize the acute symptoms and help people return to more normal levels of functioning. Patients attend the program five days per week, up to six hours per day. Length of stay varies and is determined by individual needs. The contact phone is (614) 566-4414.

C.3.1.9. OhioHealth Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP)

The Intensive Outpatient Program may serve as a step down from inpatient care or PHP, or for outpatients needing more intensive care than office visits. Depression, anxiety, and/or thought disorganization are the symptoms addressed in the group treatment format. The focus is on helping patients better understand their diagnosis, manage symptoms, increase functioning, and prevent relapse. Patients attend three or four days per week for up to four hours per day. Length of stay varies and is determined by individual needs.

C.3.2. Kenton Community Health Center

The Kenton Community Health Center offers Behavioral Health services that address the following:

- **Mental health conditions** – include addressing feelings of depression or anxiety; drug and alcohol abuse; smoking; and overeating.
- **Substance Use Treatment** – include addressing abuse of alcohol, drugs, and medications.
- **Medication-Assisted Treatment** – a whole person approach include prescription of medicines, counseling, behavioral therapies and social support.

C.3.3. Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize, and Hardin Counties

The Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of contracts with various agencies in providing mental and behavioral programs and services for residents of Allen, Auglaize, and Hardin Counties. Following House Bill 483, the Board is the hub of the local Recovery-Oriented System of Care. Partners take responsibility for educating, advocating, coordinating, and facilitating the programs and services and support systems for persons, families and communities (Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize, and Hardin Counties, n.d.).

The Mental Health and Recovery Services Board have identified various programs to address the mental and behavioral health needs of Hardin County residents. The Board engage community collaborators to educate, advocate, coordinate, and make possible the programs, services and supports for individuals, families, and communities (Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize, and Hardin Counties, n.d.).

- **Client Protection** – the Board protect the rights of persons with mental illness or addiction by (a) investigating abuse and neglect, and (b) responding to client's complaints.
- **Care Coordination** – ensures the clients are served appropriately and without restriction through (a) public and private hospital utilization review/management; (b) consultations on client's cases; (c) planning for hospital discharge; (d) planning for residential placement; (e) access to outpatient and inpatient care; (f) planning for re-entry and criminal justice; (g) forensic tracking and monitoring; and (h) assessment of place of residence.
- **Development and Management of Housing** – provision of recovery housing, adult care facilities, group homes, independent living, permanent supportive housing for persons with mental health and/or addiction needs.
- **Community Education and Awareness** – on mental illness and addiction and reduce the stigma and remove barriers to care. Examples include Mental Health First Aid training, Crisis Intervention Team training, school-based prevention program.
- **Critical Incident Management** – the Board collaborate with community partners to develop crisis response plans and deploying responders for the critical incident.
- **Consolidation** – There are 52 Alcohol, Drug Addiction and /Mental Health Boards in Ohio.
- **Inter-Board Collaboration** – enables continuum of care for clients. Focus of collaborations include (a) recovery housing, group homes, adult care facilities, and living independently; (b) access to crisis beds and hotlines; (c) inpatient and outpatient detox; (d) medication-assisted treatment (MAT); (d) residential treatment; (e) Forensic monitoring, jail, and re-entry services; (f) child and adolescent prevention and treatment; (g) telemedicine.
- **Collaboration and Coordination with the Community** – space sharing with consumer and peer support agencies, Suicide Prevention Coalitions, Alcoholic Anonymous and Narcotic Anonymous.

C.3.3.1. We Care Regional Crisis Center

The Crisis Center brings together all the needed services to provide quality crisis intervention. Services include (a) medical management of withdrawal for opioid and stimulants; (b) Crisis Hotline and information and Referral at 1-800-567-HOPE; (c) Crisis Counseling to stabilize the situation and make appropriate referrals; (d) Screening and Crisis Intervention for children and adolescents; (e) Emergency Diagnostic Assessment; and (f) access to “after hours” care for families and clients, law enforcement, persons in crisis, (g) access to Crisis Stabilization Unit; (h) referral to psychiatric inpatient care at St. Rita’s Medical Center Psychiatric Inpatient Unit; (i) access to follow-up phone call within 24 hours to ensure the clients have the information and support for their recovery.

C.3.3.2. Family Resource Center of Northwest Ohio, Inc.

The Family Resource Center helps patients overcome life’s challenges, support necessary to get life back on track, build confidence, and move forward to recovery. The Family Resource Center provides support and resources to patients who are having mental and behavioral challenges such as (a) substance abuse or addiction; (b) anger and stress; (c) anxiety and depression; (d) grief and loneliness; (e) self-esteem. The Family Resource Center provides prevention and education, treatment, and support for recovery (Family Resource Center of Northwest Ohio, Inc., 2023).

C.3.3.3. Lima Urban Minority Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Outreach Program (Lima UMADAOP)

Lima UMADAOP provides culturally sensitive drug or alcohol treatment and prevention services for African American and Latino/Hispanic American communities. Services are available at Joshua Treatment Center, Wauseon Wellness Recovery and Support Center, Prevention Education and Enrichment Center, and Hardin Hope Recovery Support Center (Lima UMADAOP, 2021).

C.3.3.4. Coleman Health Services

Coleman Health Services provide mental health, crisis, employment, and social support to clients, including veterans. Clinical services include crisis stabilization, counseling, psychiatry and case management. Residential services may be temporary or permanent. Employment Services help people in recovery or people with disabilities. Employment services are available for people without a high school diploma, lack work experience, misdemeanors, or felonies. Coleman Employment Services provide training, skills and choices for employment, engage employers, and match applicants with employers (Coleman Health Services, 2024).

C.3.3.5. Specialized Alternatives for Families and Youth (SAFY)

SAFY offers family centered care that addresses trauma and fosters positive behavioral health. Services include foster care, family supportive services; and behavioral health (SAFY, n.d.).

- **Foster Care** – include case management, mental health assessments, planning for treatment, teaching skills. In 2022, through foster care services, SAFY has achieved the following: (a) served 2,297 youth; (b) 54% of youth achieved permanency; (c) 97% of youth served helped them achieve their goals (SAFY, n.d.).
- **Family Supportive Services (Empowering Families Programs)** – helps families achieve physical, social, and emotional well-being. Support services include parenting education, anger management, and problem solving. In 2022, SAFY’s Empowering Families Programs achieved the following: (a) served 563 families; (b) 90% of families achieved their goals or had a positive experience; and (c) 97% of caregivers felt positive about their family’s future (SAFY, n.d.).
- **Behavioral Health Services** – supports youth and family wellbeing and resiliency. In 2022, SAFY’s behavioral health programs achieved the following: (a) 96% of caregivers expressed satisfaction with the services they received; (b) 97% of caregivers were more positive about their family’s future; and (c) 97% feel their family’s beliefs and values were treated with respect (SAFY, n.d.).

C.3.3.6. Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS)

C.3.3.6.1. Prevention Programming

- **Act Raising Safe Kids** – The ACT Raising Safe Kids Program teaches positive parenting skills to parents and caregivers of children from birth to age 10.
- **Crisis Intervention Team** – CIT equips officers to interact with individuals experiencing a psychiatric crisis.
- **Guiding Good Choices** – destined for parents of youth ages 9 - 14. Parents will learn strategies for promoting healthy behaviors in children and reducing risks of behavior problems among adolescents related to alcohol, tobacco, and other drugs
- **Mental Health First Aid** – teaches adult participants (a) how to identify, understand and respond to signs of mental illness and substance use disorders; (b) teaches skills on how to reach out and provide initial support to someone who may be developing a mental health or substance use problem and help connect them to the appropriate care. Mental Health First Aid utilizes the action plan ALGEE, which stands for: (a) Assess for risk of suicide or harm; (b) Listen nonjudgmentally; (c) Give reassurance and information; (d) Encourage appropriate professional help; (e) Encourage self-help and other support strategies.
- **Youth Mental Health First Aid** – teaches adults how to identify, understand and respond to an adolescent (ages 12-18) who may be experiencing a mental health or substance use challenge.
- **Mental Health First Aid for Older Adults** – teaches participants how to identify, understand and respond to someone experiencing a mental health and substance challenge among people aged 50 and older.
- **Mental Health First Aid for Military Members, Veterans and Their Families** – teaches people how to identify, understand, and respond to a veteran or service member experiencing mental and substance use challenges, with special consideration on culture of military life.
- **Mental Health First Aid for Public Safety** – teaches law enforcement officers and criminal justice staff how to de-escalate incidents without compromising safety. Participants learn how to identify, understand, and respond to someone who is experiencing a mental health or substance use challenge. The program focuses on the needs and situations faced by public safety personnel.
- **Mental Health First Aid for Fire and Emergency Medical Services (EMS)** – Participants learn how to identify, understand and respond to someone who is experiencing a mental health or substance use challenge. The program focuses on the unique experiences and needs of firefighters and EMS personnel, including how to intervene in the field to serve their peers.
- **Mental Health First Aid for Higher Education** – Participants learn how to identify, understand, and respond to a college student who is experiencing a mental health or substance use challenge. This course is recommended for professors, faculty, and other university or college students.
- **PAX Tools** – trauma-informed strategies that aims to enhance cooperation and self-regulation with youth. PAX Tools aim to support parents, guardians and youth workers create a nurturing environment that helps kids succeed.
- **Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR)** – teaches teachers, parents, staff, and other adults the recognize the signs of suicide, convince the person to seek or accept help, and intervene and refer to appropriate community resources.
- **Wellness Initiative for Senior Education (WISE)** – teaches older adults about health and wellness promotion, especially as it relates to the aging process.
- **Triple P (Positive Parenting Program)** – led by Nationwide Children's Hospital's Early Child Mental Health Program to help parents adopt positive reinforcements when dealing with their children.

C.3.3.6.2. School-Based Programming

Through funding from the Mental Health Resources Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties, PASS provides various health and wellness education free of charge to schools. PASS offers social emotional learning curriculum that teach decision making, emotion regulation, distress tolerance, and mindfulness. PASS also offers schools with curriculum that focus on suicide prevention, tackling substance use/misuse and gambling disorders.

- **Botvin Life Skills Training High School Program** – aims to promote health and personal development for grades 9 or 10 students. The program consists of 10 class sessions, about 40-45 minutes each session, and taught 2 or 3 times a week.
- **CATCH My Breath** – a program for grades 6-12 that teaches knowledge and skills to make informed decisions about the use of E-cigarettes.
- **Class Action** – alcohol-use prevention program that utilizes real-world social and legal consequences of underage alcohol use to educate teenagers from grades 9-12.
- **DBT Steps-A** – teaches students from grades 6-12 about decision making, problem solving, social-emotional learning, and regulation of emotion.
- **Gatekeepers** – focus on raising mental health awareness and suicide prevention among student grades 7-12. Meetings of gatekeepers are facilitated every two weeks or every month staff from the school and PASS.
- **I MIND** – a voluntary 4-hour program held in one day. Adolescents who participate in I MIND are given tools to avoid substance use. I Mind helps students return to school or school programs as quickly as possible after receiving discipline measures.
- **Lifelines** – education program for grades 5-12 about suicide and prevention of suicide. Lifelines fits into integrating into health class or lesson plans.
- **PAX Good Behavior Game** – teaches self-regulation for students from kindergarten to grade 6. The PAX Good Behavior Game include strategies teachers use throughout the day to help students with regulating their behavior and having focused attention.
- **Project Alert** – effectively increases likelihood of students grades 7-12 to remain drug-free. The program is presented for eleven sessions to middle school students to enhance and encourage drug-free life choices.
- **Refuse, Remove, Reasons (RRR)** – help students in grades 6-8 become resilient and decide positively to assure good health and abstain from alcohol, tobacco, drugs, and marijuana.
- **SOS Signs of Suicide** – help students in grades 6-12 prevent suicide through the ACT (Acknowledge, Care, Tell) plan when concerned about suicidal thoughts or actions for self or others. Students fill out a complete a brief depression or suicide screening and the screening results are reviewed by trained professionals.
- **Too Good for Drugs** – aims to enhance protective factors against alcohol, tobacco and other drugs. The program helps students gain social and emotional skills for making healthy choices, building positive friendships, communicating well with others, and not yielding from peer pressure.
- **The Blues Program** – Classes consist of single-gender identifying groups of 4 - 8 teens who manifest symptoms of depression. The goal is to reduce stress and promote emotional well-being among the teens.

C.3.3.6.3. Postvention Services

PASS has coordinated the services of the Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Western Ohio Team that is available 24/7. The CISM Team helps people affected by critical incidents become more resistant, resilient and being able to recover from the traumatic incident.

C.3.3.7. National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Mid-Ohio

C.3.3.7.1. NAMI Basics

NAMI Basics is an online, six-session education program, available on demand for persons who provide care to youth and young adults age 22 and younger experiencing anxiety, depression, obsessive compulsive disorder, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), post-traumatic stress disorder, bipolar disorder or other mental health conditions. The education session is comprised of the following:

- The effect and influence of mental health conditions on entire family
- Learning about various types of mental health care professionals
- Available treatment options and therapies
- Learning about the public mental health care system, and school and juvenile justice systems
- Learning about resources available to navigate these systems
- Learning how to advocate for children's rights at school and in health care settings
- learning preparations for crisis situations (such as self-harm, suicide attempts) and how to respond to these situations
- Learning about the importance of self-care

C.3.3.7.2. NAMI Family-to-Family

NAMI Family-to-Family is a free eight-week educational program for family members, significant others, and friends of people with mental health conditions. The Family-to-Family program has been shown to improve coping skills and reduce anxiety of persons supporting those experiencing mental challenges.

C.3.3.7.3. NAMI Peer-to-Peer

NAMI Peer-to-Peer is a free, eight-session educational program for adults with mental health conditions so they could better understand themselves and their recovery. The NAMI Peer-to-Peer educational session includes activities, discussions, and videos. The session includes the following components:

- Setting vision and goals for the future
- Partner with health care providers
- Build confidence for decision-making
- Practice relaxation and stress reduction tools
- Story sharing
- Strengthening relationships
- Developing skills in communication
- Learn about mental health treatments

C.3.3.8. Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions

C.3.3.8.1. Clinical Programs

The Clinical Programs of Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions include (a) Partial Hospitalization Program for those with issues on substance use disorder and mental health; (b) Intensive Outpatient Programs that offers relapse management skills, support, and personalized care; (c) Peer Support Program; and (d) Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT). During the group programs, the facilitators discuss topics, including regulating emotions, managing anger, coping skills, healthy boundaries, healthy friendships and relationships, relapse, triggers, effective communication. Skills are meant to help with the patient's recovery journey. As part of the rehabilitation services program, patients have access to individual and group counseling, case management; support services from peers, nursing services; evaluation of mental health status; Medication-Assisted Treatment; Medication management; urine drug screening; breath analyzer testing (Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions, n.d.).

C.3.3.8.2. Lighthouse Recovery Housing Program

The housing program include (a) recovery planning; (b) safe, structured, alcohol and drug-free environment; (c) regular house meetings and access to support of your peers; and (d) access to community resources and recovery support services (Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions, n.d.).

C.3.3.9. Wings Support and Recovery

C.3.3.9.1 Individual Peer Support – provides access to experiences of giving and receiving support and learning from persons with lived experiences. Persons with lived experience who are recovering from mental illness and/or addiction assist others by sharing their personal journeys, knowledge, and skills.

C.3.3.9.2. Parent Peer Support – provides access to empathetic listening and emotional support for families to navigate the systems available to help and support parents. Information are provided to parents about agencies that serve children's needs, children's behavioral health and development, and other community resources.

C.3.3.8.2. Benefits Planning – provides job opportunities and assistance to persons in order to reduce reliance of people with disabilities to Social Security benefits. The Certified Work Incentive Practitioner helps patients obtain work opportunities and sign up for benefits.

C.3.3.8.3. Support Groups – provides access to peer support who have lived experiences.

C.3.3.8.4. Transportation – access to rides for medical appointments and other mobility needs.

D. How Data Was Obtained

D.1. Definition of Community Served

The definition of the community served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital was based on the percentage of patients who reside in Hardin County during Fiscal Year 2022 and 2023, according to the hospital's electronic medical records. See **Section A (Table 2)**.

D.2. Hardin County's Demographic Data

The demographic data of Hardin County population were obtained from the Ohio Department of Development County Trends (Ohio Department of Development, n.d.). See **Section B**.

D.3. Ohio's Health and Health-Related Data

Pertinent statewide health data were summarized from Ohio's 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, 2022). See **Appendix A (Appendix Tables 1 to 10)**.

D.4. Hardin County's Health and Health-Related Data

Pertinent data and health-related data for Hardin County, State of Ohio, and the United States were obtained from County Health Rankings (County Health Rankings, 2024). Cancer profile of Hardin County was obtained from Ohio Department of Health (2023). Data associated with the significant health needs in Hardin County was obtained from the 2024-2027 Hardin Community Health Improvement Plan (Hardin County Community Assessment Advisory Committee, Kenton Hardin Health Department, Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio, 2024). See **Appendix B (Appendix Tables 11 to 19)**.

No information gaps were identified that may have an impact on the ability to assess health needs during this community health needs assessment (CHNA) process.

E. The Significant Health Needs of the Community

Appendix Table 19 summarizes the Hardin County's significant health needs that were identified by the Hardin County Community Needs Assessment Advisory Committee members based upon the findings of the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment and 2024-2027 Hardin County Community Health Improvement Plan (Hardin County Community Assessment Advisory Committee, Kenton Hardin Health Department, Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio, 2023; 2024).

F. Primary and Chronic Disease Needs, and Other Health Issues of Uninsured Persons, Low-income Persons, and Minority Groups

The primary and chronic disease needs and other health issues of uninsured persons, low-income persons, and minority groups and latest data for each need are summarized in **Appendices A and B**. Data are presented for Hardin County, Ohio, and United States.

G. The Process for Identifying and Prioritizing Community Health Needs

On November 16, 2023, the Hardin County Community Needs Assessment Advisory Committee members, with guidance from the Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio and Kenton Hardin Health Department reviewed the significant health needs in Hardin County based upon the 2022 Community Health Assessment report. The Committee members voted on their assessment of priority health needs based upon the ability of the collaborating organizations to successfully address the significant health need and collectively demonstrate impact and outcomes. Refer to the 2024-2027 Hardin County Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) for further details on the prioritization of Hardin County's significant health needs. **Table 3** summarizes the prioritization votes. **Table 4** summarizes Hardin County's priority health need categories, descriptions of each need, and alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan.

Table 3. Summary of significant health needs and count of votes by members of the Hardin County Community Needs Assessment Advisory Committee

Significant Health Needs	Prioritization Votes
Adult weight status	6
Adult mental health	5
Adult cardiovascular health	5
Youth mental health	4
Youth bullying/violence	4
Adult diabetes	2
Youth weight status	2
Adult health care coverage	2
Adult quality of life	2
Adult drug use	1
Youth drug use	1
Youth adverse childhood experiences (ACEs)/trauma	1
Adult ACEs/trauma	1
Youth alcohol use	1
Youth nicotine use	1
Adult nicotine use	1
Food insecurity	1
Adult health care costs	1
Adult cancer	1
Adult alcohol consumption	1

Table 4. Summary of Hardin County's priority health needs, descriptions of each need and alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan.

Priority Health Needs	Description	Alignment with the State Health Improvement Plan (SHIP)
Health behaviors	Adult weight status Youth weight status Adult vaping Youth vaping	Yes
Chronic Disease	Cardiovascular health Diabetes	Yes
Mental health and addiction	Adult mental health Youth mental health Adult suicide Youth suicide Adult drug use Youth drug use Youth alcohol use Youth bullying Youth violence Youth adverse childhood experiences (ACEs)	Yes

H. The Process for Consulting with Persons Representing the Community's Interests and Input Provided

OhioHealth and OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital participated in the conduct of the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP). The Hardin County CHA and CHIP were led by the Kenton-Hardin Health Department and the Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio in collaboration with the Hardin County Community Assessment Advisory Committee. The Committee was comprised of representatives of organizations represent the Hardin County community's broad interests, and their representatives possess skills and knowledge in public health. Organizations representing the medically underserved, low-income and minority populations in Hardin County participated in the 2023 CHA and 2024-2027 CHIP.

Appendix C lists the organizations, schools, and government agencies who were represented during the public meetings for the Hardin County CHA and CHIP.

All required sources for community input participated in the public meetings for the Hardin County CHA and CHIP. No written comments on the prior CHNA report and related implementation strategy were received.

I. The Impact of Any Actions Taken to Address the Significant Health Needs Identified in the Hospital Facility's 2022 Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA)

Appendix D summarizes the impact and outcomes of OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's actions to address the priority health needs that were identified in the 2022 Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA). In the 2022 CHNA, the priority health needs include:

1. **Mental health and addiction** – include mental health services for youth and adults; depression rates among youth; addiction counseling and services.
2. **Chronic disease** – include diabetes, obesity, and smoking.
3. **Access to care** – include lack of providers such as primary care providers, mental health providers, and obstetricians/gynecologists (OB/GYN).

As described in the Fiscal Year 2023-2025 OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Implementation Strategy, **Appendix D** presents the impacts and outcomes for each OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's action for Fiscal Year 2023 and 2024. These programs and services are continuing in Fiscal Year 2025.

J. Organizations Contracted to Assist with the Community Health Needs Assessment

The Kenton-Hardin Health Department contracted with the Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio (HCNO) and University of Toledo in conducting the Hardin County 2022 Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP). **Table 5** summarizes the team members from HCNO and University of Toledo and their roles in the conduct of the Hardin County 2022 CHA and 2024-2027 CHIP.

Name of Team Members	Affiliation	Job Title	Role(s)
Jodi Franks, MPH, CHES	Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio (HCNO)	Community Health Improvement Coordinator	Facilitated the public meetings and surveys for the steps in the Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP)
Emily Gensler, MPH	Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio (HCNO)	Community Health Improvement Manager	Participated in summarizing findings from the surveys and meetings and writing the CHA and CHIP reports
Gabrielle MacKinnon, MPH	Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio (HCNO)	Community Health Improvement Manager	Participated in summarizing findings from the surveys and meetings and writing the CHA and CHIP reports
Mallory Ohneck, MPH, CHES	Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio (HCNO)	Community Health Improvement Data Manager	Participated in analyzing data and summarizing findings from the surveys and meetings and writing the CHA and CHIP reports
Joseph A. Dake, PhD, MPH	University of Toledo School of Population Health	Professor and Chair	Participated in analyzing data and summarizing findings from the surveys and meetings and writing the CHA and CHIP reports
Samantha Schroeder, MPA	Unknown	Consultant	Participated in analyzing data and summarizing findings from the surveys and meetings and writing the CHA and CHIP reports

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and OhioHealth system employees actively participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Hardin County Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP). OhioHealth has been part of the Hardin County Community Assessment Advisory Committee.

The OhioHealth Data Management and Evaluation Specialist and Community Health Nurse, Mary Ann G. Abiado, PhD, MSN, RN utilized the findings from the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and actions and strategies described in the Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) as basis for the 2025 OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) and Fiscal Years 2025-2027 Implementation Strategy to Address Priority Health Needs. The completed CHNA and Implementation Strategy were reviewed thoroughly by Jeffrey Kasler, Director of OhioHealth Government Relations, the OhioHealth Legal Counsel, and OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital leaders and other team members who are involved in Community Benefit Operations. The CHNA and Implementation Strategy were approved by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Governance Council, OhioHealth Faith, Culture and Community Benefit Committee, and the OhioHealth Board.

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Appendix A. Summary of Data and Information from Ohio's 2019 State Health Assessment and 2022 Online State Health Assessment Portal (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Appendix Table 1. Summary of Findings from the 2019 State Health Assessment

Findings	Description and Data Details
Ohioans' overall wellbeing declined	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Premature death, life expectancy and overall health worsened. The leading causes of premature death in 2017 were unintentional injuries (including drug overdose), cancer and heart disease. Ohio's life expectancy dropped from 77.6 years in 2010 to 76.5 years in 2017. Increase in infant deaths, blood pressure, late-stage cancer diagnosis was observed. Black or African Americans life expectancy in 2017 was 72.8 years compared to 77 among Whites.
Ohioans' lack opportunities to reach full health potential	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ohioans who are black or African American, with low income, with disabilities or live in Appalachian counties have worse health outcomes compared to overall Ohio population.
Health promotion activities need to be addressed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interventions need to focus on the following: (i) physical activity, (ii) tobacco use, (iii) access to dental care, (iv) access to mental health, (v) income disparities, (vi) unemployment, (vii) adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), (viii) access to transportation, (ix) lead poisoning and (x) racism
Ohio's significant health challenges continue to be mental health and addiction, chronic disease, and maternal and infant health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ohio's performance worsened or did not improve. Cross-cutting factors include poverty, lack of access to transportation, lack of physical activity, unhealthy eating, and lack of access to care
Multi-sector collaboration is important to improve health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approximately 80 percent of modifiable factors that can improve health are related to health behaviors (healthy eating and tobacco cessation) and social determinants of health (housing, transportation, education, employment). Poverty, racism, discrimination, trauma, violence, and toxic stress lead to health disparities.

Findings from Appendix Table 1

Ohioans have been afflicted with alarming rates of mental health and addiction, chronic diseases, and poor birth outcomes. Outcomes-focused collaborations among government, health care systems and community organizations are necessary to improve health and increase access to health care services.

Appendix Table 2. Data on overall health status and premature death in Ohio and population groups with the worst outcome.

Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2020)	United States (2020)
Improve overall health status	% of adults with fair or poor health	16.5%	18.9%	15%	12%
	<u>Worst outcome</u> – Low-income adults (less than \$15,000 annual household income)	38.6%	45.1%	No data	No data
Reduce premature death	Years of potential life lost before age 75, per 100,000 population (age-adjusted)	7,876.1	8,774.5	8,700 (2018-2020)	7,300 (2018-2020)
	<u>Worst outcome</u> – Black (Non-Hispanic)	10,850.5	12,599	No data	No data

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 2

In 2020, 15% of adults in Ohio considered themselves in fair or poor health compared to 12% of adults in the United States. There was a 3.9% reduction in the percent of Ohio adults with fair or poor health in 2020 compared to 2017. From 2018-2020, in Ohio, 8,700 years of life were lost due to deaths of Ohioans under age 75 per 100,000 people compared to 7,300 years of life lost due to deaths in the United States.

Appendix Table 3. Ohio outcomes data on reducing depression, reducing drug dependence or abuse, and reducing suicide deaths compared to the United States. Data shows Ohio's progress in addressing mental health and addiction.

Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2013-2014)	Ohio (2015-2016)	Ohio (2020)	United States (2020)
Reduce depression (%)	% of persons 12-17 years with a major depressive episode in the past year	10.33%	13.98%	18.25%	17%
	% persons ages 18+ with a major depressive episode in the past year	7.33%	7.85%	9.25%	6%
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2013-2014)	Ohio (2015-2016)	Ohio (2018-2019)	United States (2018-2019)
Reduce drug dependence or abuse (%)	% persons age 12+ who has illicit drug dependence or abuse in the past year	2.76%	2.61%	4%	4%
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2015-2016)	Ohio 2016-2020)	United States (2016-2020)
Reduce suicide deaths (Number of deaths per 100,000 population)	Number of suicide deaths per 100,000 population	13.9	14.8	15	14
	Males ages 10-24	15.9	18.5	No data	No data
	Males ages 25-44	28.5	33.6	No data	No data
	White (non-Hispanic) males ages 45-64	34	32.1	No data	No data
	White (non-Hispanic) males ages 65+	32.2	33	No data	No data

Continuation of Appendix Table 3. Ohio outcomes data on reducing depression, reducing drug dependence or abuse, and reducing suicide deaths compared to the United States. Data shows Ohio's progress in addressing mental health and addiction.

Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2015-2016)	Ohio (2018-2020)	Ohio (2018-2020)
Reduce unintentional drug overdose death (Number of deaths per 100,000 population)	Number of deaths due to unintentional drug overdoses per 100,000 population	27.7	44.1	38	23
	White (Non-Hispanic) males ages 25-44	87.1	136.7	No data	No data
	White (Non-Hispanic) males ages 45-64	43.5	72.4	No data	No data
	White (Non-Hispanic) females ages 25-54	39.7	59.9	No data	No data
	Black (Non-Hispanic) males ages 25-54	50.9	99	No data	No data
	Black (Non-Hispanic) males 55-64	74.7	137.8	No data	No data

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 3

Depression, drug dependence or abuse, suicide and unintentional drug overdose deaths showed an increasing trend in Ohio.

Appendix Table 4. Ohio's outcomes related to reducing heart disease, hypertension, diabetes, prediabetes, and child asthma morbidity. Data shows Ohio's progress in addressing chronic diseases.

Desired Outcome	Indicator	Baseline (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2021)	United States (2021)
Reduce heart disease (%)	% of adults ever diagnosed with coronary heart disease	4.2%	4.7%	4.6%	4.9%
	% of adults ever diagnosed with heart attack	4.9%	5.5%	5.2%	No data
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Baseline (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2021)	United States (2017-2018)
Reduce hypertension (%)	% of adults ever diagnosed with hypertension	34.3%	34.7%	35.6%	49.6%
	Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	40.3%	40%	No data	No data
	People with a disability	53.1%	No data	No data	No data
	People with less than high school diploma	40.7%	48.9%	No data	No data
	People with less than \$15,000 annual household income	35.7%	46.6%	No data	No data
	People older than 65 years	62.2%	60%	No data	No data
	People who live in Appalachian counties	39.7%	No data	No data	No data

Continuation of Appendix Table 4. Ohio's outcomes related to reducing heart disease, hypertension, diabetes, prediabetes, and child asthma morbidity. Data shows Ohio's progress in addressing chronic diseases.

Desired Outcome	Indicator	Baseline (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2021)	United States (2015-2018)
Reduce diabetes (%)	% of adults who have been told by a health professional that they have diabetes	11%	11.3%	12.6%	16.3%
	Black or African American (non-Hispanic)	14.1%	14.2%	No data	No data
	People with a disability	21.8%	No data	No data	No data
	People with less than high school diploma	13.6%	15.8%	No data	No data
	People with less than \$15,000 annual household income	13.7%	19.4%	No data	No data
	People older than 65 years	23.4%	22.8%	No data	No data
	People who live in Appalachian counties	12.3%	No data	No data	No data
Monitor prediabetes (%)	% of adults who have been told by a health professional that they have prediabetes	7.5%	8.8%	9.5%	10.8%
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Baseline (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2017-2018)	United States (2010-2018)
Reduce child asthma morbidity (Emergency department visits per 10,000 children)	Emergency department visits for pediatric asthma, per 10,000 children, ages 0-17 (does not include patients with cystic fibrosis or respiratory system abnormalities or transfers)	86.9	72.3	80.3	88.1
	Black or African American	245.6	175.9	No data	No data
	Appalachian counties	78.2	No data	No data	No data

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 4

The prevalence of heart disease, hypertension, diabetes, and prediabetes in Ohio show an increasing trend. The emergency department visits for pediatric asthma shows a declining trend.

Appendix Table 5. Ohio's outcomes related to reducing preterm birth, low birth weight, and infant mortality. Data shows Ohio's progress in addressing maternal and infant health.

Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2021)	United States (2020)
Reduce preterm births (%)	% of live births that are preterm, less than 37 weeks gestation	10.3%	10.4%	10.59%	10.49%
	Black, non-Hispanic	14.1%	14.3%	No data	No data
	People with less than high school diploma	11.5%	11.7%	No data	No data
	Less than 18 years old	10.7%	10.7%	No data	No data
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2020)	United States (2020)
Reduce very preterm births (%)	% of births which the newborn weighed less than 32 weeks	1.7%	1.8%	1.6%	1.5%
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2014-2020)	United States (2020)
Reduce low birth-weight births (%)	% of births in which the newborn weighed less than 2,500 grams	8.5%	8.7%	9%	8%
	Black, non-Hispanic	13.9%	14.3%	No data	No data
	People with less than high school diploma	10.8%	11.3%	No data	No data
	Less than 18 years old	10.2%	10.8%	No data	No data
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2014-2020)	United States (2020)
Reduce infant mortality	Rate of infant deaths per 1,000 live births	7.2	7.2	7.0	6.0
	Black, Non-Hispanic	15.2	15.8	No data	No data
Desired Outcome	Indicator	Ohio (2015)	Ohio (2017)	Ohio (2019)	United States (2019)
Reduce neonatal infant deaths	Rate of neonatal infant deaths (birth through 27 days of life) per 1,000 live births	4.8	5	4.6	3.7

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 5

Ohio's infant mortality rate, neonatal infant death rate, and percent of very preterm births showed a declining trend. However, the percent of preterm births and low birth weights in Ohio showed an increasing trend.

Appendix Table 6. Ohio's outcomes related to social determinants of health, such as housing, job and income availability compared to United States. Data shows Ohio's progress in addressing social determinants of health.

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Access to housing assistance Average number of months spent on HUD housing assistance waiting list	2017	22 months	27 months
Food insecurity Percent of households that are food insecure	2017	14.5%	12.5%
Incarceration rate Imprisonment rate of sentenced prisoners under the jurisdiction of state or federal correctional authorities per 100,000 residents	2019	430	419
Severe housing burden for renters (Less than 20,000 household income) Households spending 30% or more of income on housing as a percent of renter-occupied housing units where the household income is less than \$20,000	2019	86.3%	88.7%
Severe housing burden for renters (\$20,000 to \$34,999) Households spending 30% or more of income on housing as a percent of renter-occupied housing units where the household income is \$20,000 to \$34,999	2019	65.8%	78.6%

Continuation of Appendix Table 6. Ohio's outcomes related to social determinants of health, such as housing, job and income availability compared to United States. Data shows Ohio's progress in addressing social determinants of health.

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Severe housing burden for renters (\$35,000 to \$49,999) Households spending 30% or more of income on housing as a percent of renter-occupied housing units where the household income is \$35,000 to \$49,999	2019	25.6%	50.2%
Severe housing burden for renters (\$50,000 to 74,999 household income) Households spending 30% or more of income on housing as a percent of renter-occupied housing units where the household income is \$35,000 to \$49,999	2019	6.7%	26.2%
Labor force participation Labor force participation rate, ages 16 and over	2019	63.5%	63.6%
Out-of-pocket spending on health care Percent of people whose out-of-pocket spending on health care accounted for more than 10% of annual income	2020	21.1% <u>Breakdown per race:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> African American 12.2% White 23.6% 	17.4% <u>Breakdown per race</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> African American 16.5% White 18.5%
Low income working families with children Low income working families with children as a percent of all families	2019	22%	22%

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 6

Compared to the United States, Ohio has higher rates of food insecurity, incarceration rate and percent of people where their out-of-pocket spending for healthcare comprised more than 10% of their income.

Appendix Table 7. Outcomes related to adolescent suicide, adolescent well visits, adolescent bullying, adult obesity, adult poverty, adult smoking or adverse childhood experiences, child abuse and neglect, intimate partner violence, and depression in Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Adolescent suicide Adolescent suicide rate, ages 15-19, per 100,000	2020	11.3 per 100,000	10.8 per 100,000
Adolescent well visit Percent of adolescents, ages 12 through 17, with a preventive medical visit in the past year (2-year estimate)	2020	82.5%	80.7%
Adult obesity Percent of adults 18+ who are obese (>95 th percentile for body mass index)	2020	35.5%	31.9%
Adult poverty Percent of persons age 18+ who live in households at or below the poverty threshold (<100 Federal Poverty Level)	2019	12.3%	11.9%
Adult smoking Percent of adults who are current smokers	2020	19.3%	15.5%
Adverse childhood experiences Percent of children who have experienced two or more adverse experiences among households with 100 to 199% federal poverty level	2020	29.9%	24.9%

Continuation of Appendix Table 7. Outcomes related to adolescent suicide, adolescent well visits, adolescent bullying, adult obesity, adult poverty, adult smoking or adverse childhood experiences, child abuse and neglect, intimate partner violence, and depression in Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Adverse childhood experiences Percent of children who have experienced two or more adverse experiences among households with 200 to 399% federal poverty level	2020	18.7%	16.7%
Adverse childhood experiences Percent of children who have experienced two or more adverse experiences among households with 400% federal poverty level or greater	2020	8%	8.1%
Adverse childhood experiences Percent of children who have experienced two or more adverse experiences	2020	20.4%	18.1%
Adolescent Bullying (perpetrators) Percent of adolescents, ages 12 through 17, who bully others (perpetrators)	2020	14.7%	13.7%
Adolescent Bullying (Victims) Percent of adolescents, ages 12 through 17, who are bullied	2020	40.5%	35.2%
Child Abuse and Neglect Rate of child maltreatment victims per 1,000 children in population	2020	9.2 per 1,000 children	8.4 per 1,000 children

Continuation of Appendix Table 7. Outcomes related to adolescent suicide, adolescent well visits, adolescent bullying, adult obesity, adult poverty, adult smoking or adverse childhood experiences, child abuse and neglect, intimate partner violence, and depression in Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Homicide deaths Number of deaths due to homicide per 100,000 population (age adjusted)	2020	9.2	7.2
Intimate partner violence Lifetime prevalence of rape, physical violence, and/or stalking by an intimate partner for women	2012	38%	37.3%
Major Depressive Episodes Percent of persons age 18+ who experienced a major depressive episode within the past year	2019	8.8%	7.5%
Youth depression prevalence Percent of adolescents aged 12-17 who have had at least one major depressive episode	2019	14.7%	15.1%
Youth with depression who did not receive mental health services Percent of youth with major depressive episode who did not receive any mental health treatment	2018	52.2%	59.6%
Unmet need for mental health Percent of adults age 18 and older with past year mental illness who reported that their perceived need for treatment/counseling was not received	2018	22.1%	23.6%

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 7

Compared to the United States, Ohio's population have higher rates of adolescent suicide, obesity, poverty, smoking, adverse childhood experiences, adolescent bullying, child abuse and neglect, intimate partner violence, homicide deaths, major depressive episode. and insufficient sleep.

Appendix Table 8. Outcomes related to excessive drinking, illicit drug use and dependence, illicit drug use, marijuana use, alcohol, cigarettes, cocaine, heroin, and unintentional injuries in Ohio compared to the United States. . Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Excessive drinking Percent of adults reporting binge drinking, defined as consuming more than 4 (women) or 5 (men) alcoholic beverages on a single occasion in the past 30 days.	2020	16.3%	15.7%
Illicit drug abuse and dependence Percent of persons age 12+ with past-year illicit drug use disorder.	2020	5.9%	6.6%
Illicit drug use Percent of individuals aged 12+ with illicit drug use in the past month.	2020	12.7%	13.2%
Marijuana use Percent of individuals aged 12+ with marijuana use in past month (2014-2016); substate estimates are calculated on groups of counties.	2016	8.1%	8.5%
Perceived risk of alcohol Percent of individuals aged 12-17 perceiving great risk of having 5 or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week.	2020	43%	35.5%

Continuation of Appendix Table 8. Outcomes related to excessive drinking, illicit drug use and dependence, illicit drug use, marijuana use, alcohol, cigarettes, cocaine, heroin, and unintentional injuries in Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Perceived risk of cigarettes Percent of individuals aged 12-17 perceiving great risk of smoking one or more packs of cigarettes per day.	2020	63%	66.1%
Perceived risk of cocaine Percent of individuals aged 12-17 perceiving great risk of intaking cocaine once a month.	2020	50.3%	53.3%
Perceived risk of heroin Percent of individuals aged 12-17 perceiving great risk of trying heroin once or twice.	2020	62.3%	62%
Perceived risk of marijuana Percent of individuals aged 12-17 perceiving great risk of smoking marijuana once a month.	2020	22.2%	22.8%
Unintentional injuries (including drug overdose and motor vehicle accidents) Annual age-adjusted mortality rates for the leading causes of death, per 100,000 population, Ohio.	2020	78.2 per 100,000	57.6 per 100,000
Unmet need for illicit drug use treatment Percent ages 12 and older needing but not receiving treatment for illicit drug use in the past year, 2019-2020.	2020	5.3%	6.3%

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 8

Compared to the United States, Ohio's population has higher rates of unintentional injuries (combined drug overdose and motor vehicle accidents).

Appendix Table 9. Outcomes related to access to exercise, asthma prevalence, depression, diabetes, obesity, smoking, Alzheimer's Disease, and cancer in Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Source	Year	Ohio	United States
Access to exercise opportunities Percent of individuals who live reasonably close to a location for physical activity (County Health Rankings, 2023)	County Health Rankings (2023); Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2020, 2022	84%	84%
Prevalence of asthma in children Estimated prevalence of children aged 0-17 who currently have asthma	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2019	7.7%	7.4%
Adult asthma prevalence (crude rate) Estimated crude prevalence of adults who currently have asthma	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2019	11.1%	9%
Adult depression prevalence (crude rate) Estimated crude prevalence of adults ever diagnosed with depression	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2020	22%	19.6%
Adult diabetes prevalence (crude rate) Crude percent of adults who have been told by a health professional that they have diabetes	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2020	12.4%	10.6%

Continuation of Appendix Table 9. Outcomes related to access to exercise, asthma prevalence, depression, diabetes, obesity, smoking, Alzheimer's Disease, and cancer in Ohio versus United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Source	Year	Ohio	United States
Adult obesity Percent of adults 18+ who are obese (greater than 95th percentile for body mass index)	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2020	35.5%	31.9%
Prevalence of obesity among children age 2-4 Percent of children, ages 2 through 4, who are obese (BMI at or above the 95th percent)	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2018	12.6%	14.4%
Prevalence of obesity among adolescents age 10-17 (total) Percent of adolescents, ages 10 through 17, who are obese (BMI at or above the 95th percentile)	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2019	15.7%	16%
Prevalence of obesity among high school students (African American) Percent of adolescents, ages 10 through 17, who are obese (BMI at or above the 95th percentile)	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2019	21.5%	21.1%
Prevalence of obesity among high school students (White) High school students who were >= 95th percentile for body mass index, based on sex- and age-specific reference data from the 2000 CDC growth charts	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2019	15.2%	13.1%
Prevalence of obesity among high school students (total) High school students who were >= 95th percentile for body mass index, based on sex- and age-specific reference data from the 2000 CDC growth charts (Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2019	16.8%	15.5%

Continuation of Appendix Table 9. Outcomes related to access to exercise, asthma prevalence, depression, diabetes, obesity, smoking, Alzheimer's Disease, and cancer in Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Source	Year	Ohio	United States
Adult smoking Percent of adults who are current smokers	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.)	2020	19.3%	15.5%
Alzheimer's Disease Mortality Rate Annual age-adjusted mortality rates for the leading causes of death, per 100,000 population,	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.); Centers for Disease Control and Prevention National Center for Health Statistics (2023)	2020, 2021	38 per 100,000	36 per 100,000
Cancer Mortality Rate Annual age-adjusted mortality rates for the leading causes of death, per 100,000 population,	Ohio Department of Health Online State Health Assessment (n.d.); Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (2022)	2020	159.1	144.1

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 9

Compared to the United States, Ohio's population have higher rates of the following: (a) adult asthma prevalence, (b) adult depression prevalence, (c) adult diabetes prevalence, (d) adult obesity, (e) prevalence of obesity among high school students, (f) adult smoking, (g) Alzheimer's Disease, and (h) cancer mortality rates.

Appendix Table 10. Outcomes related to breastfeeding, obesity among children, and child asthma, child masculinization, child poverty, infant mortality rate, low birth weight, preterm birth, safe sleep for Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Breastfeeding – Ever Percent of infants who are ever breastfed	2018	82.3%	83.9%
Breastfeeding at Six Months Percent of infants who are breastfed at 6 months of age	2018	50%	56.7%
Teen birth rate Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19	2020	17.6	15.4
Safe sleep Percent of infants most often laid on his or her back to sleep	2014	89.1%	88.9%
Infant mortality rate among total population Number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births (total)	2018	6.9	5.7
Infant mortality rate among African Americans Number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births among Non-Hispanic African Americans.	2018	14	10.8

Continuation of Appendix Table 10. Outcomes related to breastfeeding, obesity among children, and child asthma, child masculinization, child poverty, infant mortality rate, low birth weight, preterm birth, safe sleep in Ohio compared to the United States. Data were obtained from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Measure	Year	Ohio	United States
Low birth weight Percent of birth in which the newborn weighed <2,500 grams	2020	8.5%	8.3%
Preterm birth Percent of live births that are preterm (< 37 weeks gestation)	2020	10.3%	10.2%
Prenatal care during first trimester Percent of women who completed a pregnancy in the last 12 months who received prenatal care in the first trimester	2020	73.3%	77.7%

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 10

Compared to the United States, infant mortality rate and teen birth rate in Ohio in 2020 were higher. Infant mortality rates among African Americans are 2.6 times compared to infant mortality rates among Whites.

Appendix B. Summary of Health and Health-Related Data for Hardin County

Appendix Table 11. Summary of Health Outcomes Data for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Premature Death Years of potential life lost before age 75 per 100,000 population, age adjusted	2019-2021	10,700 years of potential life lost	9,400 years of potential life lost	8,000 years of potential life lost
Leading Causes of Death under Age 75 in Hardin County				
Malignant neoplasms	2019-2021	166.4 per 100,000 people	No data	No data
Diseases of heart	2019-2021	119.3 per 100,000 people	No data	No data
COVID-19	2019-2021	72.3 per 100,000 people	No data	No data
Accidents	2019-2021	68.8 per 100,000 people	No data	No data
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	2019-2021	40.2 per 100,000 people	No data	No data
Life Expectancy Average number of years a person can expect to live	2019-2021	73.4 years	75.6 years	77.6 years
Poor or Fair Health Percent adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted)	2021	18%	16%	14%
Infant Mortality Infant mortality (Number of all infant deaths before age 1, per 1,000 live births)	2015-2021	No data	7 per 1,000 live births	6 per 1,000 live births
Child Mortality Number of deaths among children under 18 per 100,000 population	2018-2021	60 per 100,000 people	60 per 100,000 people	50 per 100,000 people

Continuation of Appendix Table 11. Summary of Health Outcomes Data for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Poor Physical Health Days Average number of physically unhealthy days in past 30 days (age-adjusted)	2021	4.1 poor physical health days	3.6 poor physical health days	3.3 poor physical health days
Poor Mental Health Days Average number of mentally unhealthy days in past 30 days (age-adjusted)	2021	5.4 poor mental health days	5.5 poor mental health days	4.8 poor mental health days
Low Birthweight Percent of live births with low birth weight (under 5 pounds, 8 ounces; under 2,500 grams)	2016-2022	8% of babies had low birth weight	9% of babies had low birth weight	8% of babies had low birth weight
Frequent Physical Distress Percent of adults reporting 14 or more days of poor physical health per month (age-adjusted)	2021	13%	11%	10%
Frequent Mental Distress Percent of adults reporting 14 or more days of poor mental health per month (age-adjusted)	2021	19%	17%	15%
Diabetes Prevalence Percent of adults aged 20 and above with diagnosed diabetes (age-adjusted)	2021	11%	11%	10%
HIV Prevalence Number of people aged 13+ years with HIV per 100,000 population	2021	82 per 100,000 people	242 per 100,000 people	382 per 100,000 people

Summary of Findings from Table 11

Higher percent of Hardin County residents experienced frequent physical and mental distress, poor physical health days, and greater years of potential life lost before age 75, and lower life expectancy compared to Ohio and the United States.

Appendix Table 12. Summary of Health Behaviors Data for Hardin County compared to Ohio and United States County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Adult Smoking Percent of adults who are current cigarette smokers (age-adjusted)	2021	23%	19%	15%
Adult Obesity Percent of adults age 18+ with body mass index of 30+ kg/m ² (age-adjusted)	2021	41%	38%	34%
Food Environment Index Index of factors that contribute to a healthy food environment, from 0 (worst) to 10 (best)	2019, 2021	7.5 out of 10	7 out of 10	7.7 out of 10
Physical Inactivity Percent of adults age 18+ reporting no leisure-time physical activity (age-adjusted)	2021	29%	25%	23%
Access to Exercise Opportunities Percent of population with adequate access to locations for physical activity	2020, 2022, 2023	56%	84%	84%
Excessive Drinking Percent of adults reporting binge or heavy drinking (age-adjusted)	2021	19%	20%	18%
Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths Percent of alcohol-impaired driving deaths	2017-2021	25%	32%	26%
Sexually Transmitted Infections Number of newly diagnosed chlamydia cases per 100,000 population	2021	251.5 per 100,000 people	479.8 per 100,000 people	495.5 per 100,000 people
Teen Births Number of births per 1,000 female population ages 15-19	2016-2022	19 per 1,000 females ages 15-19	18 per 1,000 females ages 15-19	17 per 1,000 females ages 15-19
Food Insecurity Percent of population who did not have adequate access to food	2021	14%	12%	10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 12. Summary of Health Behaviors Data for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Limited Access to Healthy Foods Percent of population who are low-income and do not live close to a grocery store, which limits their ability to obtain healthy foods	2019	3%	7%	6%
Drug Overdose Deaths Number of drug overdose deaths per 100,000 population	2019-2021	43 drug overdose deaths per 100,000 people	42 drug overdose deaths per 100,000 people	27 drug overdose deaths per 100,000 people
Insufficient Sleep Percent of adults with fewer than 7 hours of sleep on average (age-adjusted)	2020	38%	36%	33%

Summary of Findings from Table 12

Premature death, number of poor physical health, and poor mental health days are greater in Hardin County compared to Ohio and the United States. This translated to higher percent of physical and mental health distress. Moreover, the percent of adult smoking, obesity, food insecurity and insufficient sleep were also higher in Hardin County compared to Ohio and United States.

Appendix Table 13. Summary of Clinical Care Data for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Uninsured Percent of population under age 65 without health insurance	2021	10%	8%	10%
Uninsured Adults Percent of adults under age 65 without health insurance	2021	10%	9%	12%
Uninsured Children Percent of children under age 19 without health insurance	2021	8%	5%	5%
Primary Care Physicians Ratio of population to primary care physicians	2021	3,400 people to 1 primary care physician	1,330 people to 1 primary care physician	1,330 people to 1 primary care physician
Other Primary Care Providers Ratio of population to other primary care providers (Nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and clinical nurse specialists) who can perform routine and preventative care	2023	1,170 people to 1 other primary care provider (nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and clinical nurse specialists)	710 people to 1 other primary care provider (nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and clinical nurse specialists)	760 people to 1 other primary care provider (nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and clinical nurse specialists)
Dentists Ratio of population to dentists registered in Hardin County, Ohio	2022	6,080 people to 1 dentist	1,530 people to 1 dentist	1,360 people to 1 dentist
Mental Health Providers Ratio of population to mental health providers registered in Hardin County, Ohio	2023	1,600 people to 1 mental health provider	310 people to 1 mental health provider	320 people to 1 mental health provider
Mammography Screening (Percent of female Medicare enrollees ages 65-74 that received an annual mammography screening)	2021	39%	46%	43%

Continuation of Appendix Table 13. Summary of Clinical Care Data for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Flu Vaccinations Percent of fee-for-service Medicare enrollees that had an annual flu vaccination	2021	44%	49%	46%

Findings from Appendix Table 13

Ten percent of Hardin County resident does not have health insurance. Hardin County has greater percent of uninsured adults and children compared to Ohio. There is a need to add more primary care physicians, other primary care providers, and dentists in Hardin County. There is a need to increase the percent of persons obtaining flu shots in Hardin County. The percent of mammogram screenings in Hardin County need to be improved,

Appendix Table 14. Summary of Social and Economic Factors (Social Determinants of Health) for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
High School Graduation Percent of ninth-grade cohort that graduates in four years	2020-2021	93%	86%	86%
High School Completion Percent of adults ages 25 and over with a high school diploma or equivalent, such as GED	2018-2022	92%	91%	89%
Some College Percent of adults ages 25-44 who had completed some post-secondary education, including vocational/technical schools, junior colleges, or four-year colleges. This measure include those who had or had not attained degrees	2018-2022	47%	66%	68%
Unemployment Percent of population ages 16 and older who were unemployed but seeking work	2022	4.2%	4%	3.7%
Children in Poverty Percent of people under age 18 in poverty	2018-2022	18%	18%	16%
Disaggregated by Race				
White	2018-2022	31%	—	—
Hispanic	2018-2022	13%	—	—
Income Inequality Ratio of household income at the 80th percentile (higher income group) to income at the 20th percentile (lower income group)	2018-2022	4.2 times income inequality between higher income group and lower income group	4.7 times income inequality between higher income group and lower income group	4.9 times income inequality between higher income group and lower income group
Children in Single-Parent Households Percent of children that live in a household headed by single parent	2018-2022	18% of children live in single-parent households	26% of children live in single-parent households	25% of children live in single-parent households

Continuation of Appendix Table 14. Summary of Social and Economic Factors (Social Determinants of Health) for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Social Associations Number of membership associations such as civic, political, religious, sports and professional organizations per 10,000 population	2021	13.1 civic, political, religious, sports and professional organizations per 10,000 people	10.7 civic, political, religious, sports and professional organizations per 10,000 people	9.1 civic, political, religious, sports and professional organizations per 10,000 people
Injury Deaths Number of deaths due to injury such as homicides, suicides, motor vehicle crashes and poisonings per 100,000 population	2017-2021	93 deaths due to injury such as homicides, suicides, motor vehicle crashes and poisonings per 100,000 people	99 deaths due to injury such as homicides, suicides, motor vehicle crashes and poisonings per 100,000 people	80 deaths due to injury such as homicides, suicides, motor vehicle crashes and poisonings per 100,000 people
Disconnected Youth Percent of teens and young adults ages 16-19 who are neither working nor in school	2018-2022	No data	6% of teens and young adults ages 16-19 were neither working nor in school	7% of teens and young adults ages 16-19 were neither working nor in school
Reading Scores for 3rd Graders Average grade level performance for 3rd graders on English Language Arts standardized tests	2018	Third graders Scored, on average, 3.2 on a standardized English language arts test. A score of 3 means students performed at grade level	Third graders Scored, on average, 3.1 on a standardized English language arts test. A score of 3 means students performed at grade level	Third graders Scored, on average, 3.1 on a standardized English language arts test. A score of 3 means students performed at grade level

Continuation of Appendix Table 14. Summary of Social and Economic Factors (Social Determinants of Health) for Hardin County compared to Ohio and U.S. (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Math scores for 3rd Graders Average grade level performance for 3 rd graders on math standardized tests	2018	Third graders scored, on average, 3.1 on a standardized math test. A score of 3 indicates students performed at grade-level.	Third graders scored, on average, 3.0 on a standardized math test. A score of 3 indicates students performed at grade-level.	Third graders scored, on average, 3.0 on a standardized math test. A score of 3 indicates students performed at grade-level.
Median Household Income Where half of households in a county earn more and half of households earn less	2018-2022	\$58,800	\$65,800	\$74,800
Median Household Income Disaggregated by Race				
American Indian and Alaska Native	2018-2022	\$195,700	—	—
White	2018-2022	\$56,100	—	—
Residential Segregation between Black and White residents Index of dissimilarity where higher values indicate greater residential segregation between Black and White residents	2018-2022	No data	70 0 means no segregation and 100 means complete segregation	63 0 means no segregation and 100 means complete segregation
Homicides Number of deaths due to homicide per 100,000 population	2015-2021	No data	7 homicide deaths per 100,000 people	6 homicide deaths per 100,000 people
Suicides Number of deaths due to suicide per 100,000 population (age-adjusted)	2017-2021	18 per 100,000 people	15 per 100,000 people	14 per 100,000 people

Continuation of Appendix Table 14. Summary of Social and Economic Factors (Social Determinants of Health) for Hardin County compared to Ohio and United States (County Health Rankings, 2024)

Data	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Firearm Fatalities Number of deaths due to firearms per 100,000 population	2017-2021	10 per 100,000 people	14 per 100,000 people	13 per 100,000 people
Motor Vehicle Crash Deaths Number of motor vehicle crash deaths per 100,000 population	2015-2021	15 per 100,000 people	11 per 100,000 people	12 per 100,000 people
Juvenile Arrests Rate of delinquency cases per 1,000 juveniles	2021	24 juvenile delinquency court cases per 1,000 youths	22 juvenile delinquency court cases per 1,000 youths	No data
Severe Housing Problems Percent of households with at least 1 of 4 housing problems: overcrowding, high housing costs, lack of kitchen facilities, or lack of plumbing facilities	2016-2020	10% of households experienced at least 1 of the following housing problems: (a) overcrowding, (b) high housing costs, (c) lack of kitchen facilities, (d) lack of plumbing facilities	13% of households experienced at least 1 of the following housing problems: (a) overcrowding, (b) high housing costs, (c) lack of kitchen facilities, (d) lack of plumbing facilities	17% of households experienced at least 1 of the following housing problems: (a) overcrowding, (b) high housing costs, (c) lack of kitchen facilities, (d) lack of plumbing facilities

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 14

Motor vehicle crash deaths, juvenile arrests, and suicide rates were higher in Hardin County compared to Ohio and United States.

Appendix Table 15. Summary of Leading Causes of Death, Hardin County versus Ohio from the 2022 Online State Health Assessment) (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.)

Leading Causes of Death	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Heart Disease Annual age-adjusted mortality rates due to heart disease, per 100,000 population	2017	232.2	186.1	165.0
	2018	224.6	191.7	163.6
	2019	202.6	189.2	161.5
	2020	222.3	196.7	168.2
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	222.3	196.7	168.2
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	228	No data	No data
Cancer Annual age-adjusted mortality rates due to cancer, per 100,000 population	2017	131.3	171.3	152.5
	2018	185.5	165.7	149.1
	2019	191.9	163.2	146.2
	2020	168.5	159.1	144.1
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	168.5	159.1	144.1
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	169.8	No data	No data
COVID-19 Annual age-adjusted mortality rates due to COVID-19, per 100,000 population	2020	123.9	87.4	85
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	123.9	87.4	85.0
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	124.4	No data	No data
Unintentional Injuries Annual age-adjusted mortality rates due to unintentional injuries, per 100,000 population	2017	51.1	75.1	49.4
	2018	77.8	63.9	48
	2019	59.6	67.7	49.3
	2020	69.6	78.2	57.6
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	69.6	78.2	57.6
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	69.2	No data	No data

Continuation of Appendix Table 15. Summary of Leading Causes of Death, Hardin County versus Ohio (2022 Online State Health Assessment) (Ohio Department of Health, 2022)

Leading Causes of Death	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Chronic Lower Respiratory Diseases	2017	77	48.4	40.9
	2018	75.8	49.1	39.7
Annual age-adjusted mortality rate due to chronic lower respiratory diseases, per 100,000 population	2019	81.1	46	38.2
	2020	58.7	44.6	36.4
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	58.7	44.6	36.4
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	59.9	No data	No data
Alzheimer's Disease	2017	15.3	33.6	31.0
	2018	No data	35.1	30.5
Annual age-adjusted mortality rate due to Alzheimer's Disease, per 100,000 population	2019	No data	33.7	29.8
	2020	49	38.0	32.4
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	49	38.0	32.4
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	50.2	No data	No data
Diabetes Mellitus	2017	29.8	25.2	21.5
	2018	No data	25.4	21.4
Annual age-adjusted mortality rate due to Diabetes Mellitus, per 100,000 population	2019	38.1	25.5	21.6
	2020	48.2	28.3	24.8
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	48.2	28.3	24.8
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	49.4	No data	No data
Stroke	2017	56.4	42.9	37.6
	2018	29.8	42.8	37.1
Annual age-adjusted mortality rate due to stroke, per 100,000 population	2019	No data	42.3	37.0
	2020	43.2	45.4	38.8
Aggregated by Race/Ethnicity				
Total population	2020	43.2	45.4	38.8
African American (non-Hispanic)	2020	No data	No data	No data
White (non-Hispanic)	2020	44.2	No data	No data

Continuation of Appendix Table 15. Summary of Leading Causes of Death, Hardin County versus Ohio (2022 Online State Health Assessment) (Ohio Department of Health, 2022)

Leading Causes of Death	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Septicemia Annual age-adjusted mortality rates due to septicemia, per 100,000 population	2017	No data	14	10.6
	2018	33.9	13.9	10.2
	2019	No data	12.5	9.5
	2020	No data	13.3	9.7
Suicide Age-adjusted mortality rate due to suicide, per 100,000 population	2017	20.8	14.8	14
	2018	No data	15.3	14.2
	2019	No data	15.2	13.9
	2020	No data	13.8	13.5
Influenza and Pneumonia Annual age-adjusted mortality rate due to Influenza and Pneumonia, per 100,000 population	2017	16.1	14.9	14.3
	2018	No data	15.8	14.9
	2019	No data	12.7	12.3
	2020	No data	13.3	13.0

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 15

The top 5 leading causes of death in Hardin County in 2020 were heart disease, cancer, COVID-19, unintentional injuries, and chronic lower respiratory diseases. Diabetes mellitus is the 7th leading cause of death among Hardin County residents. From 2017 to 2020, death rates from diabetes have increased.

Appendix Table 16. Summary of Cancer Data, Hardin County versus Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023).

Cancer Type/Site	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
All Cancer Sites/Types Combined Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	487.5 per 100,000 people	465.3 per 100,000 people	438.7 per 100,000 people
All Cancer Sites/Types Combined Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	181.8 per 100,000 people	166.1 per 100,000 people	149.4 per 100,000 people
Urinary Bladder Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	22.3 per 100,000 people	21.4 per 100,000 people	18.2 per 100,000 people
Urinary Bladder Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	6.7 per 100,000 people	4.9 per 100,000 people	4.2 per 100,000 people
Brain and Other Central Nervous System Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	6.4 per 100,000 people	6.9 per 100,000 people	6.2 per 100,000 people
Brain and Other Central Nervous System Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	4.6 per 100,000 people	4.4 per 100,000 people
Female Breast Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	121.2 per 100,000 people	129.5 per 100,000 people	126.9 per 100,000 people
Female Breast Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	28.1 per 100,000 people	21 per 100,000 people	19.6 per 100,000 people

Continuation of Appendix Table 16. Summary of Cancer Data, Hardin County versus Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023)

Cancer Type/Site	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Cervical Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	9.9 per 100,000 people	7.8 per 100,000 people	7.7 per 100,000 people
Cervical Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	2.2 per 100,000 people	2.2 per 100,000 people
Colon and Rectum Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	50.2 per 100,000 people	39.1 per 100,000 people	36.6 per 100,000 people
Colon and Rectum Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	17 per 100,000 people	14.5 per 100,000 people	13.1 per 100,000 people
Esophageal Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	7.6 per 100,000 people	5.6 per 100,000 people	4.2 per 100,000 people
Esophageal Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	4.9 per 100,000 people	3.8 per 100,000 people
Hodgkin Lymphoma Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	2.7 per 100,000 people	2.5 per 100,000 people
Hodgkin Lymphoma Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	0.3 per 100,000 people	0.3 per 100,000 people

Continuation of Appendix Table 16. Summary of Cancer Data, Hardin County versus Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023)

Cancer Type/Site	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Kidney and Renal Pelvis Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	29.7 per 100,000 people	17.6 per 100,000 people	17.2 per 100,000 people
Kidney and Renal Pelvis Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	3.9 per 100,000 people	3.5 per 100,000 people
Laryngeal Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	5.3 per 100,000 people	3.7 per 100,000 people	2.7 per 100,000 people
Laryngeal Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	1.1 per 100,000 people	0.9 per 100,000 people
Leukemia Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	9.2 per 100,000 people	12.4 per 100,000 people	14 per 100,000 people
Leukemia Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	8.2 per 100,000 people	6.6 per 100,000 people	6 per 100,000 people
Liver and Intrahepatic Bile Duct Cancer (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	3.3 per 100,000 people	7.6 per 100,000 people	9.3 per 100,000 people
Liver and Intrahepatic Bile Duct Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	6.2 per 100,000 people	6.6 per 100,000 people

Continuation of Appendix Table 16. Summary of Cancer Data, Hardin County versus Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023)

Cancer Type/Site	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Lung and Bronchus Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	78.6 per 100,000 people	64.7 per 100,000 people	50 per 100,000 people
Lung and Bronchus Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	57.4 per 100,000 people	42.9 per 100,000 people	35 per 100,000 people
Melanoma of the Skin Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	17.8 per 100,000 people	25.3 per 100,000 people	21 per 100,000 people
Melanoma of the Skin Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	2.5 per 100,000 people	2.1 per 100,000 people
Multiple Myeloma Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	5.1 per 100,000 people	6.3 per 100,000 people	7.1 per 100,000 people
Multiple Myeloma Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	3.4 per 100,000 people	3.1 per 100,000 people
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	15.4 per 100,000 people	19 per 100,000 people	18.7 per 100,000 people
Non-Hodgkin Lymphoma Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	5.3 per 100,000 people	5.7 per 100,000 people	5.1 per 100,000 people

Continuation of Appendix Table 16. Summary of Cancer Data, Hardin County versus Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023)

Cancer Type/Site	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Oral Cavity and Pharyngeal Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	12.4 per 100,000 people	12.6 per 100,000 people	11.4 per 100,000 people
Oral Cavity and Pharyngeal Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	2.8 per 100,000 people	2.5 per 100,000 people
Ovarian Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	17.1 per 100,000 people	9.6 per 100,000 people	10.3 per 100,000 people
Ovarian Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	10 per 100,000 people	6.3 per 100,000 people	6.3 per 100,000 people
Pancreatic Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	14.3 per 100,000 people	13.7 per 100,000 people	13.3 per 100,000 people
Pancreatic Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	10.2 per 100,000 people	12.1 per 100,000 people	11.1 per 100,000 people
Prostate Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	95.7 per 100,000 people	114.1 per 100,000 people	113.4 per 100,000 people
Prostate Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	19.3 per 100,000 people	18.8 per 100,000 people

Continuation of Appendix Table 16. Summary of Cancer Data, Hardin County versus Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023)

Cancer Type/Site	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Stomach Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	3 per 100,000 people	5.7 per 100,000 people	6.9 per 100,000 people
Stomach Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	2.3 per 100,000 people	2.8 per 100,000 people
Testicular Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	10 per 100,000 people	5.7 per 100,000 people	6 per 100,000 people
Testicular Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	0.3 per 100,000 people	0.3 per 100,000 people
Thyroid Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	18.7 per 100,000 people	14.7 per 100,000 people	13.9 per 100,000 people
Thyroid Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	0.5 per 100,000 people	0.5 per 100,000 people
Uterine Cancer Incidence Rates (New Cases) Average annual age-adjusted incidence rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	41.1 per 100,000 people	30.9 per 100,000 people	27.6 per 100,000 people
Uterine Cancer Mortality Rates (Deaths) Average annual age-adjusted mortality rates per 100,000 population	2016-2020	No data	5.3 per 100,000 people	5.1 per 100,000 people

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 16

Cancer Cases and Deaths in Ohio (2016-2020) – Cancer is the second leading cause of death in Ohio. Cancer accounts for 1 in 5 deaths in Ohio. Four out of 10 people in Ohio will be diagnosed with cancer during their lifetime. For all cancer types and sites, the average incidence rates and death rates were higher in Hardin County compared to Ohio and the United States. Cancer death rates for urinary bladder, female breast cancer, colon and rectum cancer, leukemia, lung and bronchus cancer, and ovarian cancer in Hardin County were higher than Ohio and United States.

New Invasive Cancer Cases in Hardin County (2016-2020) – On average, 183 new invasive cancer cases per year were diagnosed among Hardin County residents. The top 5 new invasive cancer cases in Hardin County were lung and bronchus cancer, female breast cancer, prostate cancer, colon and rectum cancer, and kidney and renal pelvis cancer. These top five cancers represented 55% of all new invasive cancer cases. The cancer incidence rate (new cases) for all sites/types of cancer in Hardin County was higher compared to Ohio and United States rate. Males in Hardin County, Ohio and U.S. had slightly higher cancer incidence rates (based on new cancer cases) compared to females. Among Whites, overall cancer rates in Hardin County were slightly higher compared to those in Ohio and United States.

Cancer Deaths in Hardin County (2016-2020) – On average, 70 cancer deaths per year were diagnosed among Hardin County residents. The top 5 leading causes of cancer death in Hardin County were lung and bronchus cancer, colon and rectum cancer, female breast cancer, pancreatic cancer, and leukemia. These top 5 causes of cancer deaths represented 55% of all cancer deaths. The cancer death rate for all sites/types of cancer in Hardin County was higher compared to Ohio rate and United States rate. Males in Hardin County, Ohio and United States had higher cancer death rates compared to females. Among Whites, overall cancer death rates in Hardin County were higher compared to those in Ohio and United States.

Appendix Table 17. Summary Data on Recommended Cancer Screenings Tests in Hardin County compared to Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023)

Cancer Screenings	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Pap Test in the past three years, women ages 21-65	2018-2020	76.7%	77.3%	78.7%
Colorectal cancer screening, ages 50-75	2018-2020	64.3%	70.2%	70.8%
Mammogram screening in the past two years, women ages 50-74	2018-2020	59.5%	77.9%	78.6%

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 17

In 2018-2020, the percent of Pap testing was similar to Ohio and United States. The percent of colorectal cancer screening for ages 50-75 in Hardin County was lower than Ohio and the United States. The percent of mammogram screening for women ages 50-74 was lower than Ohio and the United States. Outreach programs and services are necessary to increase colorectal cancer and mammogram screenings in Hardin County.

Appendix Table 18. Summary Data on Prevalence of Modifiable Risk Factors of Developing Cancer in Hardin County compared to Ohio and United States (Ohio Department of Health, 2023)

Modifiable Risk factors of Developing Cancer	Data Years	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Current Smoker	2020	24.9%	20.2%	16%
Obese	2020	37.2%	35.8%	32%
Physically Inactive	2020	28.7%	23.5%	22%
Excessive Drinking	2020	18.9%	19%	19%

Summary of Findings from Appendix Table 18

In 2020, the prevalence rates of smoking, obesity, lack of physical activity were consistently higher in Hardin County compared to Ohio and United States. Addressing these cancer-related modifiable risk factors in Hardin County could reduce cancer deaths. The rates of excessive drinking were similar among Hardin County, Ohio and United States.

Appendix Table 19. Summary of data related to the Hardin County significant health needs that were identified by the Hardin County Community Assessment Advisory Committee

Significant Health Need	Supporting Data	Most At-Risk Gender	Most At-Risk Age Group	Most-At-Risk Income Level
Adult weight status	45% of adults have body mass index (BMI) of 30 and above (obese to morbidly obese).	47% of adult males in Hardin County have BMI of 30 and above.	53% of adults ages 30 to 64 have BMI of 30 and above.	47% of adults with income of \$25,000 and above have BMI of 30 and above.
Adult weight status	36% of adults have BMI of 25 to 29.9.	45% of adult males in have BMI of 25 to 29.9.	47% of adults less than age 30 have BMI of 25 to 29.9.	53% of adults with income of less than \$25,000 have BMI of 25 to 29.9.
Adult weight status	24% of adults have sedentary lifestyle (did not participate in any physical activity in the past week).	27% of adult females have sedentary lifestyle (did not participate in any physical activity in the past week).	31% of adults ages 30 to 64 have sedentary lifestyle (did not participate in any physical activity in the past week).	25% of adults with income of \$25,000 and above have sedentary lifestyle (did not participate in any physical activity in the past week).
Youth weight status	24% of youths were obese. Obesity in youth is defined as having a Body Mass Index (BMI) greater than or equal to the 95th percentile for age and gender in children ages 2 to 19 years.	25% of youth females were obese. Obesity defined as having a Body Mass Index (BMI) greater than or equal to the 95th percentile for age and gender in children ages 2 to 19 years.	29% of children and youth less than 13 years of age were obese. Obesity is defined as having a Body Mass Index (BMI) greater than or equal to the 95th percentile for age and gender in children aged 2 to 19 years.	Not applicable
Adult mental health	21% of adults felt sad, blue, or depressed almost every day for two or more weeks in a row in the past year.	30% of adult females felt sad, blue, or depressed almost every day for two or more weeks in a row in the past year.	27% of adults less than age 30 felt sad, blue, or depressed almost every day for two or more weeks in a row in the past year. 27% of adults ages 30 to 64 felt sad, blue, or depressed almost every day for two or more weeks in a row in the past year.	No data

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Significant Health Need	Supporting Data	Most At-Risk Gender	Most At-Risk Age Group	Most-At-Risk Income Level
Adult mental health	40% of adults rated their mental health as not good on four or more days in the past month.	49% of adult females rated their mental health as not good on four or more days in the past month.	No data	41% of adults with income of \$25,000 and above rated their mental health as not good on four or more days in the past month.
Adult mental health	6% of adults seriously considered attempting suicide in the past year.	8% of adult females seriously considered attempting suicide in the past year.	No data	8% of adults with income less than \$25,000 seriously considered attempting suicide in the past year.
Adult mental health	1% of adults attempted suicide in the past year.	No data	No data	No data
Youth mental health	35% of youth felt sad, blue, or depressed almost every day for two or more weeks in a row in the past year.	43% of youth females felt sad, blue, or depressed almost every day for two or more weeks in a row in the past year.	38% of youth ages 14-16 felt sad, blue, or depressed almost every day for two or more weeks in a row in the past year.	Not applicable
Youth mental health	14% of youth seriously considered attempting suicide in the past year	15% of youth females seriously considered attempting suicide in the past year	15% of youth ages 14-16 seriously considered attempting suicide in the past year	Not applicable
Youth mental health	7% of youth attempted suicide in the past year	8% of youth females attempted suicide in the past year	8% of youth ages 14-16 attempted suicide in the past year	Not applicable

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Significant Health Need	Supporting Data	Most At-Risk Gender	Most At-Risk Age Group	Most-At-Risk Income Level
Youth bullying/violence	38% of youth were bullied in the past year	46% of youth females were bullied in the past year	47% of youth ages 13 and below were bullied in the past year	Not applicable
Youth bullying/violence	25% of youth were bullied on school property in the past year	29% of youth females were bullied on school property in the past year	31% of youth ages 13 and below were bullied on school property in the past year	Not applicable
Youth bullying/violence	11% of youth were who did not go to school on one or more days in the past month because they felt unsafe	13% of youth females did not go to school on one or more days in the past month because they felt unsafe	14% of youth ages 13 and below did not go to school on one or more days in the past month because they felt unsafe	Not applicable
Adult cardiovascular health	41% of adults were diagnosed with high blood pressure in their lifetime	59% of adult males were diagnosed with high blood pressure in their lifetime	67% of adults ages 65 and above diagnosed with high blood pressure in their lifetime	53% of adults with income less than \$25,000 were diagnosed with high blood pressure in their lifetime
Adult cardiovascular health	39% of adults were diagnosed with high blood cholesterol in their lifetime	53% of male adults were diagnosed with high blood cholesterol in their lifetime	59% of adults ages 65 and above were diagnosed with high blood cholesterol in their lifetime	42% of adults with income of \$25,000 and above were diagnosed with high blood cholesterol in their lifetime
Adult cardiovascular health	6% of adults survived a heart attack or myocardial infarction in their lifetime	11% of adult males survived a heart attack or myocardial infarction in their lifetime	10% of adults ages 65 and above survived a heart attack or myocardial infarction in their lifetime	14% of adults with income less than \$25,000 survived a heart attack or myocardial infarction in their lifetime

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Significant Health Need	Supporting Data	Most At-Risk Gender	Most At-Risk Age Group	Most-At-Risk Income Level
Adult diabetes	11% of adults were diagnosed with diabetes in their lifetime. This measure did not include gestational diabetes	16% of adult males were diagnosed with diabetes in their lifetime. This measure did not include gestational diabetes	26% of adults ages 65 and above were diagnosed with diabetes in their lifetime. This measure did not include gestational diabetes	14% of adults with income of less than \$25,000 were diagnosed with diabetes in their lifetime. This measure did not include gestational diabetes
Adult quality of life	28% of adults were limited because of physical, mental or emotional challenges	29% of adult females were limited because of physical, mental or emotional challenges	36% of adults 65 and above were limited because of physical, mental or emotional challenges	47% of adults with income of less than \$25,000 were limited because of physical, mental or emotional challenges
Adult prescription drug misuse	6% of adults misused prescription drugs. The adults used medication not prescribed or took more than prescribed to feel good or high and/or more active or alert in the past 6 months.	7% of adult females misused prescription drugs. The adults used medication not prescribed or took more than prescribed to feel good or high and/or more active or alert in the past 6 months.	8% of adults ages 30 to 64 years misused prescription drugs. The adults used medication not prescribed or took more than prescribed to feel good or high and/or more active or alert in the past 6 months.	11% of adults with income less than \$25,000 misused prescription drugs. The adults used medication not prescribed or took more than prescribed to feel good or high and/or more active or alert in the past 6 months.
Youth drug use	5% of youth were current marijuana users. The youth used marijuana at least once in the past month	6% of youth males were current marijuana users. They used marijuana at least once in the past month	6% of youth ages 14 to 19 were current marijuana users. The youth used marijuana at least once in the past month	Not applicable
Adult adverse childhood experiences (ACEs)	21% of adults reported that they experienced four or more ACEs	26% of adult females reported that they experienced four or more ACEs	50% of adults ages 30 and below reported that they experienced four or more ACEs	22% of adults with income less than \$25,000 reported that they experienced four or more ACEs

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Significant Health Need	Supporting Data	Most At-Risk Gender	Most At-Risk Age Group	Most-At-Risk Income Level
Youth adverse childhood experiences/trauma	28% of youth reported that they experienced 3 or more ACEs	30% of youth females reported that they experienced 3 or more ACEs	29% of youth ages 14-16 reported that they experienced 3 or more ACEs	Not applicable
Youth adverse childhood experiences/trauma	40% of youth reported that their parents or adults in their home insulted or put them down in the past year	47% of youth females reported that their parents or adults in their home insulted or put them down in the past year	44% of youth ages 17-19 reported that their parents or adults in their home insulted or put them down in the past year	Not applicable
Adult nicotine use (e-cigarettes)	10% of adults were current e-cigarette users (vaping)	13% of adult females were e-cigarette users (vaping)	33% of adults ages 30 and below were e-cigarette users (vaping)	Not applicable
Youth nicotine use (e-cigarettes)	10% of youth were current e-cigarette users (vaping)	11% of females were current e-cigarette users (vaping)	12% of youth ages 14-16 were current e-cigarette users (vaping)	Not applicable
Youth nicotine use (e-cigarettes)	20% of youth used an electronic vapor product during their lifetime	22% of youth females used an electronic vapor product during their lifetime	25% of youth ages 17-19 used an electronic vapor product during their lifetime	Not applicable
Youth nicotine use (e-cigarettes)	34% of youth perceived that daily use of electronic vapor product use as either no risk or slight risk to their health	29% of youth females perceived that daily use of electronic vapor product use as either no risk or slight risk to their health	31% of youth ages 14-16 perceived that daily use of electronic vapor product use as either no risk or slight risk to their health	Not applicable
Adult alcohol use	16% of adults were current drinkers. These adults consumed at least one alcoholic drink in the past month	17% of adult males were current drinkers. These adults consumed at least one alcoholic drink in the past month	27% of adults ages 30 and below were current drinkers. These adults consumed at least one alcoholic drink in the past month	18% of adults with income less than \$25,000 were current drinkers. These adults consumed at least one alcoholic drink in the past month

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Significant Health Need	Supporting Data	Most At-Risk Gender	Most At-Risk Age Group	Most-At-Risk Income Level
Youth alcohol use	8% of youth consumed at least one alcoholic drink in the past month	No data	11% of youth ages 17 to 19 consumed at least one alcoholic drink in the past month	Not applicable
Youth alcohol use	13% of youth had their first drink of alcohol before age 13	14% of youth females had their first drink of alcohol before age 13	16% of youth ages less than age 13 had their first drink of alcohol	Not applicable
Adult food insecurity	11% of adults experienced more than one food insecurity issue in the past year	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Adult health care costs	31% of adults regarded health care cost as a potential barrier to seeing a doctor if they were sick, injured or needed some type of health care	Not applicable	Not applicable	Not applicable
Adult cancer	11% of adults were diagnosed with cancer in their lifetime. This does not include skin cancer	14% of adult males were diagnosed with cancer in their lifetime. This does not include skin cancer	24% of adults ages 65 and above were diagnosed with cancer in their lifetime. This does not include skin cancer	26% of adults with income less than \$25,000 were diagnosed with cancer in their lifetime. This does not include skin cancer.

Appendix C. Summary of Input from Persons who Represent the Broad Interests of the Community Served

Ada Exempted Village Schools

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?**
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves students, parents and guardians in the Village of Ada, Ohio
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.ada.k12.oh.us/>
- **Mission of organization:** “With a strong history of traditions, community partnerships and pride, we, the Ada Schools, challenge, inspire, and empower all learners through rigorous and meaningful curriculum using effective and innovative instructional strategies.”
- **Examples of programs and services** (Ada Exempted Village Schools, 2024):
 - + Academics
 - + Services for parents and students
 - + Food services
 - + Athletics
 - + Booster Club volunteer-led initiatives – support school life, athletics, arts, academics, and other educational experiences

American Red Cross Miami Valley Chapter

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves persons from Hardin, Logan, Shelby, Champaign, Clark, Madison, Greene, Miami, Montgomery, Darke and Preble Counties with relief and support to those in crisis, and emergency preparedness
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- **Website:** <https://www.redcross.org/local/ohio/central-and-southern-ohio/about-us/locations/miami-valley-chapter.html>
- **Mission of organization:** "The American Red Cross prevents and alleviates human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors."
- **Examples of programs and services** (The American National Red Cross, 2024):
 - + Disaster relief and recovery assistance for families and communities
 - + Provides processes and opportunities for blood donation
 - + Training and certification for cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), automated emergency defibrillator (AED), First Aid, Basic Life Support (BLS), babysitting, caregiving, lifeguarding water safety
 - + Support to members of the military, veterans and their families to prepare for, cope with and respond to military service challenges

Area Agency on Aging 3

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves older adults and their families regardless of ability to pay
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.aaa3.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** "To provide life-span resources that inspire, educate, and empower older adults, persons with disabilities and family caregivers"
- **Examples of programs and services** (Area Agency on Aging, n.d.):
 - + Coordination of care
 - + Access to caregiver resources
 - + Programs and services related to health and wellness
 - + Access to immunizations (flu shots)
 - + Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP) to assist older adults with paying for air conditioning bill during summer months
 - + Access to behavioral health programs and services and outreach initiatives
 - + Navigating Medicare programs and services
 - + Access to healthy eating programs and services
 - + Access to transportation programs and services
 - + Safety programs

Bridge Home Health Services

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves persons who need home care and hospice services
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
 - **Website:** <https://www.bvhealthsystem.org/education-resources/home-health-services/bridge-home-health-services>
 - **Mission of organization:** “Committed to excellence in serving our community”
 - **Examples of programs and services** (Blanchard Valley Health System, 2022):
 - + Home Health skilled nursing services, including but not limited to assistance after surgery, heart procedures and stroke
 - + Assistance with movement, ostomies, wound care, catheters, and diabetes-related care

Buckeye Ridge Habitat for Humanity (Marion, Morrow, Wyandot and Hardin Counties)

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves persons needing home repair/renovation assistance.
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 - **Website:** <https://www.buckeyeridgehabitat.org/whoweare/>
 - **Mission of organization:** "Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities and hope."
 - **Examples of programs and services** (Buckeye Ridge Habitat for Humanity, 2023):
 - + Home Ownership Program for first-time homeowners
 - + Home Repair Program for current homeowners
 - + Collaboration with Veteran's Build Program to encourage veterans and members of the military to access affordable housing

Coleman Health Services

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <http://www.colemanservices.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** "It is the mission of Coleman Professional Services to improve the lives of people it serves, regardless of their ability to pay. Coleman delivers mental health, substance use, residential, and rehabilitation services. Coleman supports and empowers its employees through continuous improvement."
- **Examples of programs and services** (Coleman Health Services, 2023)
 - + **Clinical services** – includes Coleman Stabilization Unit; 24/7 access to telephone and walk-in services; behavioral health services; case management; counseling; crisis intervention and stabilization; evaluation and diagnostic assessments; "Fathers Accountable for Children's Tomorrows" (FACT); peer support; psychiatric services; treatment for addiction
 - + **Residential placement** – includes supportive living, transitional aged youth apartments; access to apartments for young adults; "Transition to Independence Process"
 - + **Supportive services** – includes pregnancy services, Adult Protective Services; Coleman Adult Day; Guardianship; Jail Liaison support; Social Security representative payeeship
 - + **Employment services** – job assistance and support for employers and job-seekers

Community Health Professionals (CHP) Home Care and Hospice

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 - **Website:** <https://comhealthpro.org/>
 - **Mission of organization:** "To provide comprehensive home health and hospice services to the people of Northwest/West Central Ohio"
 - **Examples of programs and services** (CHP Home Care and Hospice, 2021):
 - + Pain and Symptom Management
 - + Coverage for Medications, Medical Equipment and Supplies (Medicare Hospice Benefit)
 - + Continuous care or intermittent care of up to 24 hours during crisis situations associated with medical and emotional symptoms
 - + Inpatient Hospice Care
 - + Respite care for up to 5 days

Family Resource Center of Northwest Ohio, Inc.

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
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- **Website:** <https://www.frcohio.com/>
- **Mission of organization:** "The mission of Family Resource Center is to provide specialized behavioral health services to children, youth, adults, and families in our multicultural communities in order to strengthen family life and promote personal growth."
- **Examples of programs and services** (Family Resource Center of Northwest Ohio, Inc., 2023):
 - + **Prevention and education services** – include school-based counseling services for youth, school-based education services for youth
 - + **Treatment services** – include individual outpatient services for all ages groups
 - + Psychiatric services for all ages
 - + Group services for all ages
 - + Recovery services

Goshen Township

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves all residents of Goshen Township in Hardin County
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://goshen-oh.gov/>
- **Mission of organization:** Perform township-related duties to serve the people
- **Examples of programs and services** (Goshen Township, n.d.)
 - + Planning and zoning
 - + Fire/Emergency Medical Services (EMS)
 - + Police
 - + Maintenance of roads and cemeteries

Hancock Hardin Wyandot Putnam Community Action Commission (HHWP CAC)

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves all residents of Hancock, Hardin, Wyandot and Putnam Counties
- **Inputs:** The agency representative(s) participated in at least one of the following meetings or surveys related to Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.hhwpcac.org/about/>
- **Mission of organization:** “The mission of HHWP Community Action Commission is to reduce the conditions of poverty by providing comprehensive services to improve lives.”
- **Examples of programs and services** (Hancock Hardin, Wyandot Putnam Community Action Commission 2023)
 - + **Community services** – Home Energy Assistance Program (HEAP), case management, emergency rental, utility, and prescription assistance
 - + **Kenton Head Start** – income based preschool program for children ages 3 to 5, including those with special needs. Apart from educational services, the Kenton Head Start also provides support to families, healthy snacks and meals, health screenings, and mental health services
 - + **Housing development** – housing rehabilitation services, construction of single family homes, access to low-rent apartments
 - + **Weatherization and energy conservation** – federally funded programs that ensures healthier and safe homes and residential energy conservation techniques. Activities may include attic, wall and basement insulation, air leakage reduction, heating system repairs or replacements, health and safety testing and inspections
 - + **Women, Infants and Children (WIC)** – access to nutrition education, breastfeeding education and support, supplemental healthy foods, referral to prenatal and pediatric clinics, linkage to programs and services that serve mothers, children and their families

Hardin County Board of Developmental Disabilities

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves residents of Hardin County
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- **Website:** <https://hardindd.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** “Our mission is to support children’s and adults’ choices to live, learn, work, and play for a better tomorrow.”
- **Examples of programs and services** (Hardin County Board of Developmental Disabilities, n.d.):
 - + **Early intervention** – (a) families and care coordinators develop an Individualized Family Service Plan (IFSP) to help children under age 3 with developmental disabilities or delays; and (b) access to the Play Project ™ that serves children under age 5, including those with autism such that these children are engaged through play in their home environment
 - + **Preschool** – services are offered at the Simon Kenton School Preschool program. There are half-day sessions four days a week. Each classroom has seven students and corresponding peer models. Students have access to speech therapy, physical therapy and occupational therapy
 - + **School-age** – services are provided by the Simon Kenton School up to age 22. Youth are also given guidance and training on transition to adulthood and community integration such as employment, volunteering, life skills education and other appropriate activities
 - + **Adult support** – services are provided by the Service and Support Administrator (SSA) who coordinates transportation, food, housing, and transportation needs, obtaining benefits and taking care of recreational activities

Hardin County Chamber and Business Alliance

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- **Website:** <http://hardincountyoh.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** "To cultivate, promote and advocate for a prosperous business, educational and agricultural climate, strengthen the local economy, enhance strategic partnerships and improve the quality of life, making Hardin County a great place to live, work and prosper."
- **Examples of programs and services** (Hardin County Chamber and Business Alliance, 2023):
 - + **Tourism** – develops the "Discover Hardin County" visitor's guide
 - + **Chamber activities** – fosters collaborations, networking and marketing
 - + **Economic and community development** – provides resources and training for businesses, entrepreneurs, and investors
 - + **Kenton Historic Courthouse** – preservation and business development initiatives in the downtown district

Hardin County Community Foundation

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
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- **Website:** <https://hardinfoundation.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** "Improving the quality of life in Hardin County through charitable giving; (b) providing a vehicle for donors with varied interests to support charitable and community activities; Assessing and responding to emerging and changing community needs in the fields of education, youth services, recreation, arts and culture, social services, and civic and community development; developing a permanent endowment for the community; serving as a catalyst to initiate projects vital to the community"
- **Examples of programs and services** (Hardin County Community Foundation, 2024):
 - + **Funding projects of community partners** – including but not limited to Abundant Life Assembly of God; Abundant Life Boutique; Ada Exempted Village Schools; Ada Food Pantry; Ada Public Library; Alger First United Methodist Church; Alger Public Library; AMVETS Riders Chapter 1994; Beatitudes; Belle Center Free Public Library; BKP Ambulance District; Blue Star Mothers- OH32; Boy Scout Pack 121; Camp Common Ground; City of Kenton; City of Kenton Parks; City of Kenton Tree Commission; Critter Crusaders; Dolly Parton Imagination Library; Hardin County; Dunkirk Community Improvement Corporation; Dunkirk Firefighters; Dunkirk Masonic Lodge; Forest Area Community Improvement Corporation; Forest Fire Department; Forest Firefighter's Association; Forest Tree Commission; Forest-Jackson Public Library; Grant Fellowship Church; Greenwood Grange #1061; Harco Industries; Hardin County 4th of July Committee; Hardin County Agricultural Society; Hardin County Armory Restoration Foundation; Hardin County Board of Developmental Disabilities; Hardin County Domestic Relations Court; Hardin County Family YMCA; Hardin County Historical Museums, Inc.; Hardin County Humane Society; Hardin County Recovery Court; Hardin County Veterans Service Office; Hardin Hills Health Center; Hardin Leadership, Inc.; Hardin Memorial Hospital; Hardin Northern History Brigade; Hardin Northern Public Library; Hardin Northern School Library; Heartbeat of Hardin County; Helen Mabrey Shoe Fund, Inc.; Helping Hands Outreach Ministries; House of Prayer Pentecostal Church of God; Jackson-Forest Emergency Medical Services; Keep Hardin County Beautiful; Kenton Area Swim Team; Kenton City Schools; Kenton Fire Department; Kenton First Baptist Church; Kenton Full Gospel Church; Bread of Life Food Pantry; Kenton Hardin Health Department; Kenton Historic Courthouse District; Kenton Little League; Kenton Police Department; Kenton Soccer Association; Lake of Lights; Love, Inc of Hardin County; McGuffey Church of Christ; McGuffey Memories Historical Society; memorial Park Golf Club Youth Program; Midwest Regional Educational Service Center; Mt Victory Community Improvement Corporation; New Hope Ministry Park, LLC; Not By Choice; OSU Extension Hardin County; Project linus of Hardin County; Quilts for Kids NW Ohio Chapter; Ridgemont Activities Boosters; Ridgemont Local Schools; Ridgemont Public Library; Riversale Elementary School; Safe Haven of Hardin County; Upper Scioto Valley Schools; Village of Ada; Village of McGuffey; Village of Mt Victory; Village of Patterson; Wolf Creek Center for the Arts of Hardin County, Inc.
 - + Community grants and scholarships
 - + Fosters community volunteering

Hardin County Council on Aging, Inc.

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves residents 60 years and older
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- **Website:** hardincoa.net
- **Mission of organization:** “Our mission is to improve the quality of life for those 60 and over in Hardin County”
- **Examples of programs and services** (Hardin County Council on Aging, Inc, n.d.):
 - + Adult day care
 - + Chore services
 - + Homemaker
 - + Information and referral
 - + Outreach
 - + Socialization
 - + Transportation

Hardin County Department of Job and Family Services

- Has public health knowledge and/or skills: Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves residents of Hardin County who needs access to various government-funded programs and services
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- **Website:** <https://jfs.ohio.gov/about/local-agencies-directory/cdjfs-hardin>
- **Mission of organization:** ODJFS' mission is to improve the well-being of Ohio's workforce and families by promoting economic self-sufficiency and ensuring the safety of Ohio's most vulnerable citizens.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Ohio Department of Job and Family Services, n.d.):
 - + **Protect the health and welfare of children** – identifies, assesses and serves children to prevent further abuse, neglect or maltreatment
 - + **Adult Protective Services** – protects adults and elderly from abuse and neglect
 - + **Medical, food and cash assistance** – access to Medicaid insurance, and debit card to buy foods through the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)
 - + **Workforce development** – provides training and assistance with job search
 - + **Childcare assistance** – enable parents to work or obtain job skills training

Hardin County Emergency Management Association

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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://ema.ohio.gov/>
- **Mission of organization:** "Our mission is to coordinate activities to mitigate, prepare for, respond to, and recover from disasters."
- **Examples of programs and services** (Ohio Emergency Management Agency, n.d.)
 - + Education about disasters
 - + Recovery from disasters
 - + Support to Ohioans affected by disasters

Hardin County Family and Children First Council

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves families and children in Hardin County, Ohio
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- **Website:** <https://fcf.ohio.gov/about/find-your-fcfc>
- **Mission of organization:** Ohio Family and Children First (OFCF) is a partnership of state and local government, communities and families that enhances the well-being of Ohio's children and families by building community capacity, coordinating systems and services, and engaging families.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Ohio Family and Children First, n.d.):
 - + Building community capacity through planning, implementing programs, data monitoring and outcomes reporting
 - + Service coordination at the micro level involving children and families and macro level by filling gaps in programs and services
 - + Family engagement and empowerment so parents serve as advocates for the needs of children, families and communities
 - + Shared accountability by the Ohio Family and Children First Cabinet Council and County Family and Children First Councils to ensure that programs and services are readily available to meet the needs of families and children

Hardin County Family YMCA

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves all persons in Hardin County, Ohio regardless of ability to pay
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 - **Website:** <https://hardincoymca.net/>
 - **Mission of organization:** "To put Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy spirit, mind, and body for all. Serving all residents regardless of age, race, ethnicity, ability, or religion with fees based upon affordability."
 - **Examples of programs and services** (Hardin County Family YMCA):
 - + **Youth development** — includes child watch, book club, education, youth volleyball, youth fitness orientation, youth soccer, youth swimming
 - + **Healthy living** — includes yoga classes, massage, Healthways SilverSneakers Program, personal training, fitness classes, aquatics, sports and recreation
 - + **Social responsibility** — Cartridge Recycling Center Program, opportunities for volunteerism

Hardin County Government

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 - **Website:** <http://www.co.hardin.oh.us/index.php>
 - **Mission of organization:** To provide Hardin County residents with county government services
 - **Examples of programs and services** (MFCD Software LLC, 2013):
 - + Auditor's Office
 - + Board of Elections Office
 - + Chamber and Economic Development Office
 - + Child Support Enforcement Agency
 - + Coroner's office
 - + County Courts
 - + Emergency Management Agency

Hardin County Sheriff's Office

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
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 - **Mission of organization:** Serve as the chief law enforcement agency in Hardin County
 - **Examples of programs and services** (MFCD Software LLC, 2013)
 - + Concealed carry application submissions and web checks
 - + Law enforcement and full jurisdiction of villages, cities and townships
 - + Court security, Service of civil and criminal papers, Jail operations
 - + Transport and extradition of prisoners

Hardin Northern Local School District

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves students, parents and legal guardians within the Hardin Northern Local School District
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- **Website:** <https://www.hn.k12.oh.us/>
- **Mission of organization:** Together, we will create successful citizens through better education, positive attitude, respect, and a strong work ethic resulting in life-long success.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Hardin Northern Local School District, n.d.):
 - + Academics
 - + Athletics
 - + Facilities
 - + Food Service
 - + Gifted and Talented
 - + Guidance Office
 - + Human Resources
 - + Libraries
 - + Project-Based Learning
 - + Special education
 - + Technology
 - + Transportation services

Health Partners of Western Ohio / Kenton Community Health Center

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- **Website:** <https://hpwohio.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** "Our mission is to support children's and adults' choices to live, learn, work, and play for a better tomorrow."
- **Examples of programs and services** (Health Partners of Western Ohio, 2023):
 - + **Medical services** – include wellness and preventive care, short-term sick care, long-term disease management, women's health services, laboratory services, obstetrics/childbirth services through the Kenton Community Health Center, treatment for tooth decay prevention, delay tooth decay using silver diamine fluoride
 - + **Oral health services** – include cleanings, sealants and fluoride varnishes, fillings and extractions, dentures and partials, school-based sealant program, mouth guards and night guards, silver diamine fluoride
 - + **Behavioral health services** – assistance and support to patients with feelings of depression and anxiety, abuse of alcohol and other drugs, smoking, and overeating, treatment of substance use disorder, medication-assisted treatment
 - + **Substance use treatment** – include behavioral health services, treatment of substance use treatment, and medication-assisted treatment
 - + **Pharmacy services** – include full service dispensing, one-on-one pharmacist help,
 - + **Social services and outreach** – access on-staff social worker, basic living needs, assistance with health insurance, discounted care up to 200% Federal Poverty Level guidelines

Heartbeat of Hardin County

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- **Mission of organization** "Heartbeat acting as the heart, hands, and feet of Christ will provide support to clients so that abortion will no longer be a viable option. Our desire is for families to make positive lifestyle changes through Christ's salvation"
- **Examples of programs and services** (Heartbeat of Hardin County, 2021):
 - + Walk-in free pregnancy test and peer counseling for women and their partner
 - + Emergency assistance for diapers and formula milk
 - + Infant car seat and crib program
 - + Education about sexual risks, building effective relationships, teen dating violence, sex trafficking, teen pregnancy; sexually transmitted diseases
 - + Programs called "Gems" for girls in 7th-12th grade focused on self-esteem programs, drug and alcohol awareness, planning for the future, teen pregnancy
 - + Programs called "Bridges" where men and women who are expecting a child or have a child under age 4 earn diapers, baby and children clothes, formula milk and other baby items

Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves health departments and other organizations in the United States in coordinating Community Health Assessments and Community Health Improvement Plan
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.hcno.org/about-us/about-hcno/>
- **Mission of organization:** The Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio dedicated to working in partnership to improve the health of the region's communities.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio, 2023)
 - + Assistance with advance care planning for end-of-life healthcare decisions
 - + Conduct and writing of Community Health Assessments and Community Health Improvement Plan
 - + Disaster preparedness and coordination of the Northwest Ohio Healthcare Emergency Management Coalition
 - + Coordination of the Northwest Ohio Pathways Hub and training of community health workers
 - + Assist clients with housing-related expenses
 - + Planning and evaluation services
 - + Project management
 - + Community meeting facilitation

Kenton City Schools

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves students, parents and guardians served by the Kenton City Schools
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 - **Website:** <https://www.kentoncityschools.org/>
 - **Mission of organization:** "Inspiring all to inquire, dream, and excel"
 - **Examples of programs and services** (Kenton City Schools, 2024):
 - + Academics
 - + Athletics
 - + Food Service
 - + Transportation

Kenton Hardin Health Department

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
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- **Website:** <https://hardinhealth.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** “We, the Kenton-Hardin Health Department believe that it is our mission to develop and maintain an efficient system which will provide for the highest quality of public health service practicable, and to promote and protect, in varying degrees, the community's physical, mental, social, and environmental well-being.”
- **Examples of programs and services** (Kenton-Hardin Health Department, n.d.):
 - + Nursing services
 - + Emergency health and safety
 - + Vaccinations
 - + Vital statistics
 - + Violence and injury prevention
 - + Healthy Lifestyles Coalition

Kenton Nursing and Rehabilitation Center

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves persons needing nursing and rehabilitation care regardless of ability to pay
- **Inputs:** The agency representative(s) participated in at least one of the following meetings or surveys related to Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
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- **Website:** <https://www.kentonnursingandrehab.com/>
- **Mission of organization:** Our mission is to provide a patient-centered care environment, that promotes a positive team environment, with honesty, dignity, and respect. And to maintain our reputation for being the preferred source for long term care/skilled nursing and rehabilitation within the communities we serve.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Kenton Nursing and Rehab, 2024):
 - + 24/7 skilled nursing care, including but not limited to 24 hour skilled nursing care Bariatric care, BiPAP/CPAP, Cardiac care, Diabetes care, Enteral nutrition – GT, PEG, PEJ; IV access care, IV fluids and medications, Nebulizer treatment, Nutrition management and education , Oncology care , Oxygen therapy (high flow up to 10lts), Pain management , Peritoneal dialysis , Post-surgical care, tracheostomy care , Wound care/VAC
 - + Short-term rehabilitation
 - + Hemodialysis
 - + Respite care

Kenton Police Department

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
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- **Website:** <https://cityofkenton.com/police>
- **Mission of organization:** "To provide service to the public. We are dedicated to the needs of our citizens, preventing crimes and investigating crimes that do happen"
- **Examples of programs and services** (City of Kenton, n.d.):
 - + Law enforcement
 - + Public safety
 - + Hardin County Crime Task Force

Kenton Times

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 - **Website:** <http://www.kentontimes.com/>
 - **Mission of organization:** Mission not found in website. Kenton Times is a media company.
 - **Examples of programs and services** (Hardin County Publishing Company, 2018):
 - + Local, state, election and sports news
 - + Family-related announcements, obituaries, classified advertisements

Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serve all persons needing mental and behavioral health programs and services regardless of ability to pay
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- **Website:** lighthousebhsolutions.com
- **Mission of organization:** “Began as a passion project born out of a family experience with addiction, Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions is changing addiction treatment and helping our clients realize the life they were intended to enjoy. We combine intensive outpatient treatment with recovery housing to create a community of people who are working through their recovery together, in a place full of compassion, energy, joy, and hope.”
- **Examples of programs and services** (Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions, n.d.)
 - + Partial Hospitalization Program
 - + Intensive Outpatient Programs
 - + Peer to Peer Recovery Support Programs
 - + Medication-Assisted Treatment

Mental Health & Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize, and Hardin Counties

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.wecarepeople.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** "To reach out and provide vital prevention and treatment to any resident"
- **Examples of programs and services** (Mental Health & Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize, and Hardin Counties, n.d.):
 - + **Mental Health First Aid** – aids people how to help and support people with mental health challenges and substance use disorders
 - + **Critical Incident Stress Management Team (CISM)** – volunteer team of public safety persons who are affiliated with fire, emergency management system (EMS), law enforcement, industry, education during emergent and critical incidents.
 - + **PAX tools** – improves the lifetime outcomes for children such as but not limited to less alcohol and drug addictions, reduced crime, violence and suicide, and less mental health challenges.
 - + **We Care at Work** – drug-free workplace programs
 - + **LOSS Team** – comprised of volunteers who are trained to assist in suicide scenes and provide evidence-based information for the bereaved families and loved ones.
 - + **Open Gate** – social service agencies come together each month to share the services that they provide to the community
 - + **Let's Talk** – teaching parents effective ways to walk with their kids about drugs and suicide, and empower kids to tap their strengths and promote resiliency
 - + **Mental and behavioral health trainings** – include I MIND Intervention Program for Youth, and dual disorders
 - + **Community resource information and dissemination** — support groups, treatments

Midwest Regional Educational Service Center

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.mresc.org/about/>
- **Mission of organization:** The Midwest Regional Educational Service Center serves and supports students, families, and districts as an innovative educational partner.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Midwest Regional ESC, 2023):
 - + Curriculum and school improvement activities
 - + Early childhood services
 - + Special education
 - + Virtual learning
 - + Fiscal services
 - + Professional development

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
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- **Website:** <https://www.ohiohealth.com/locations/hospitals/hardin-memorial-hospital/>
- **Mission of organization:** "To improve the health of those we serve"
- **Examples of programs and services** (OhioHealth, 2015-2023):
 - + Diabetes and other chronic diseases
 - + Emergency and trauma
 - + Heart and vascular services and heart and pulmonary services
 - + Imaging and radiology
 - + Rehabilitation and therapy
 - + Surgery
 - + Coumadin clinic
 - + Occupational health services
 - + Social services
 - + Nutrition services

OhioHealth Community Health Partnerships

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 - **Mission of organization:** "To improve the health of those we serve"
 - **Examples of programs and services** (OhioHealth, 2015-2024):
 - + OhioHealth Wellness on Wheels Women's Health
 - + OhioHealth Wellness on Wheels Primary Care
 - + Community Benefit Training, Tracking and Reporting
 - + Nurse Home Visiting Program
 - + Teen Options to Prevent Pregnancy (TOPP) Expansion Program
 - + Community Health Needs Assessments and Implementation Strategies

Ohio Northern University (ONU)

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills?** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves all residents of Hardin County and neighboring areas and educates people around the world
- **Inputs:** The Ohio Northern University representative(s) participated in at least one of the following meetings or surveys related to Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
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- **Website:** <http://www.onu.edu/>
- **Mission of organization:** "To provide a high-quality learning environment that prepares students for success in their careers, service to their communities, the nation, and the world, and a lifetime of personal growth inspired by the higher values of truth, beauty, and goodness."
- **Examples of programs and services** (Ohio Northern University, n.d.):
 - + **ONU Healthwise Pharmacy** – provides prevention and disease management services, including patient education and resources, medication therapy management, medication synchronization program, compliance packaging program on campus and in neighboring areas
 - + **ONU Healthwise Mobile Health Clinic** – provides pharmacy consultations, medication management, health screenings, and health education
 - + **Drug and Health Information Center** – provides drug information to medical professionals and patients
 - + **College and graduate level education** – includes career planning, campus activities, sororities and fraternities, club sports, academics, theatrical events, music
 - + **Programs of study** – includes accounting and business, arts, English, communications and writing, engineering and technology, health and medical, justice and legal, math and physics, natural and life sciences, religion, philosophy and culture, social studies, teaching, education and leadership

Ohio Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves persons from Hancock, Hardin and Putnam Counties
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- **Website:** <http://www.hhwpcac.org/women-infants-and-children/>
- **Mission of organization:** To safeguard the health of low-income women, infants, and children up to age 5 who are at nutrition risk by providing nutritious foods to supplement diets, information on healthy eating, and referrals to health care.
- **Examples of programs and services** (HHWP Community Action Commission, 2024):
 - + Nutrition education
 - + Breastfeeding education and support
 - + Supplemental food
 - + Referral and linkage to prenatal and pediatric care
 - + Referral and linkage to maternal and child health services

Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS)

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
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- **Website:** <https://www.passaah.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** "It is the Mission of Prevention Awareness Support Services to create safer and healthier communities through awareness, education, prevention, and support"
- **Examples of programs and services** (Prevention Awareness Support Services, n.d.):
 - + **Public education and awareness** — family violence, bullying, suicide, mental wellness
 - + **ACT Raising Safe Kids** — focuses on social and emotional development, violence prevention, anger management, problem solving, violence in media and social media, self-discipline
 - + **Guiding Good Choices** — focuses in helping parents improve family bonds, setting expectations, reducing family conflict, teaching kids resist pressure from friends
 - + **Critical Incident Stress Management Team** — focuses on crisis management, defusing, debriefing, support to persons, follow-up and referral, linking survivors in the community; sharing of community resources, and access to mental health services
 - + **Drug Overdose Suicide Survivors** — helps survivors heal, initiate discussion among families

Ridgemont Local School District

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves students, parents and guardians served by Ridgemont Schools
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- **Website:** <https://www.ridgemont.k12.oh.us/>
- **Mission of organization:** In designing the future, Ridgemont Local Schools will create partnerships with our families and community which broaden minds to learn and serve through collaboration, innovation, and rigorous academics for life's learning journey.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Ridgemont Local School District, 2024):
 - + Academic curriculum
 - + Athletics
 - + Clinic
 - + Food services
 - + Maintenance of school facilities
 - + Student services
 - + Technology
 - + Transportation
 - + Services to families and community

Streamline Insurance Services, Inc.

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Unknown
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Provides insurance to people regardless of residence
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- **Website:** <https://streamlineinsurance.com/>
- **Mission of organization:** In today's challenging economic environment, we pledge to do everything in our power to lower insurance costs, while raising the level of customer service.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Streamline Insurance Services, Inc):
 - + Commercial insurance
 - + Personal insurance
 - + Homeowner insurance

The Ohio State University Extension Hardin County

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Continuation of The Ohio State University Extension Hardin County

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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://extension.osu.edu/hardin-county-office>
- **Mission of organization:** "We create opportunities for people to explore how science-based knowledge can improve social, economic and environmental conditions"
- **Examples of programs and services** (The Ohio State University, 2024):
 - + **4-H Carteens** – teach teen drivers about traffic safety, reducing the number of first-time and repeat teen traffic offenses
 - + **Healthy Soil Healthy Environment** – educates farmers youth and the public about the importance of soil health that sustains plants, animals and humans and quality of the environment
 - + **LOOK to Ohio** – LOOK stands for **L**eadership **O**pportunities for **O**rganizational **K**nowledge) teaches leadership to teens through classes and service-learning projects to help high school students become more employable.
 - + **Bridge Issue Management Process** – helps participants gain skills in critical thinking, solving problems, team building, making decisions, leadership and project planning
 - + Programs and services of Family and Consumer Sciences

Union County Health Department

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves all residents of Hardin County, Ohio through public health programs and services
- **Inputs:** The agency representative(s) participated in at least one of the following meetings or surveys related to Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://uchd.net/>
- **Mission of organization:** To protect the health, safety and well-being of all Union County residents by providing quality public health services.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Union County Health Department, 2024):
 - + Immunizations
 - + Physical exams
 - + Adult health services
 - + Tuberculosis testing
 - + Flu clinics

Universal Home Health and Hospice Care

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves persons needing home health and hospice care regardless of ability to pay
- **Inputs:** The agency representative(s) participated in at least one of the following meetings or surveys related to Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
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- **Website:** <https://www.uhcinc.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** Universal Home Health and Hospice Care specializes in providing a full continuum of in-home services to meet the needs of patients at every phase of their lives
- **Examples of programs and services** (Universal Home Health and Hospice Care, 2022):
 - + Home health
 - + Hospice care
 - + Fall prevention
 - + Private duty service
 - + Pediatric program
 - + Guardian medical monitoring
 - + Grief camps

Upper Scioto Valley School District

- **Has public health knowledge and/or skills:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by organization:** Serves students villages of Alger, McGuffey and Roundhead, as well as Roundhead Township, Marion Township, McDonald Township and parts of other townships in southwest Hardin County, Ohio.
- **Inputs:** The agency representative(s) participated in at least one of the following meetings or surveys related to Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.usvschools.org/>
- **Mission of organization:** “Upper Scioto Valley School District will create life-long learners through “RAMS” (Respectful, Accountable, Motivated, and Safe) expectations developing independent, caring and successful citizens.
- **Examples of programs and services** (Upper Scioto Valley School District, 2024):
 - + Elementary, middle school and high school education
 - + Administrative Services
 - + Art
 - + Athletics
 - + Food Services
 - + Library
 - + Student Services
 - + Music Department
 - + Technology Department
 - + Transportation

Van Crest Healthcare Center of Ada

- **Has knowledge and skills in public health:** Yes
- **Description of the medically underserved, low-income or minority populations represented by the organization:** Serves all persons regardless of ability to pay
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- **Timeframe of inputs:** July 2022 to February 2024
- **Website:** <https://www.vancrest.com/whoweare>
- **Mission of organization:** Van Crest Healthcare Centers of Ada's mission is C.A.R.E. **C** stands for Customer-focused for resident, family and community. **A** stands for Attitude (always display a .positive attitude); **R** stands for Responsibility where each person takes responsibility for results. **E** stands for Empathy to customers in all situations"
- **Examples of programs and services (Van Crest Health Care Centers, 2023):**
 - + Skilled nursing care focusing on activities of daily living; nutrition; and restorative care
 - + Specialized services for Alzheimer's Disease; heart disease; intravenous (IV) therapy; nutrition, orthopedic care; pain management; physical, occupational and speech therapies; post-operative rehabilitation and recovery; pulmonary care; hospice care; tracheotomy care, wound care
 - + Manage medical diagnoses, including (but not limited to) decrease in function, diabetes, fractures, neurological diseases; Alzheimer's Disease, dementia, arthritis, breathing problems, and cancer

Appendix D. Documentation of Program Impacts from the CHNA Adopted in 2022 by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital

Priority Health Need #1: Mental Health and Addiction (MHA)

MHA – 1. Mental Health and Addiction Assessment and Referral

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department will continue to assess for depression, risk for suicide and suicide attempt for all patients. When necessary, continue to refer patients who had unintentional drug overdose to Coleman Health Services.

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Impacts Related to Mental Health and Addiction Assessment and Referral (MHA – 1).

MHA – 1.1. Emergency Department Patients Assessed, Diagnosed with Depression, Suicide Risk, Suicide Attempt and Unintentional Overdose, and Referred to Coleman Health Services or OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health

OhioHealth has implemented these actions from Fiscal Years 2023 to 2025. Impacts and outcomes for Fiscal Years 2023 and 2024 are reported.

Appendix Table 20 show the count of patients served in Fiscal Year 2023 and Fiscal Year 2024, respectively, from the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Emergency Department with depression, risk for suicide, suicide attempt and unintentional drug overdose. The Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department is located at 921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Whenever necessary, patients were referred from July 1, 2022 to January 2, 2023 to Coleman Health Services, 775 E. Eliza St, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Coleman Health Services also offers 24/7 Crisis Support in Hardin County.

Patients with diagnoses of (a) depression; (b) suicidal and homicidal ideation; (c) manic behavior; (d) bipolar disorder; (e) drug overdose; (f) ingestion of substances; (g) inability to care for self; (h) schizophrenia; (i) hallucinations; (j) anxiety; (k) psychosis; and (l) aggressive behavior were referred to Coleman Health Services from July 1, 2022 to January 2, 2023. Starting January 3, 2023, patients who need mental and behavioral health services received inpatient consults virtually with the OhioHealth Behavioral Health team. Examples of patient's mental and behavioral health conditions include (but not limited to): (a) suicidal ideations; (b) depression or major depressive disorder; (c) anxiety disorder; (d) auditory hallucinations; (d) restlessness and agitation; (e) adjustment disorder; (f) alcohol abuse with intoxication; (g) Cannabis abuse; (h) conduct disorder; (i) generalized anxiety disorder; (j) oppositional defiant disorder; and (k) other behavioral and emotional disorders.

Appendix Table 21 shows the counts of patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department with primary diagnoses of Mental, Behavioral and Neurodevelopmental Disorders. When medically necessary, these patients were served by Coleman Health Services during the first half of Fiscal Year 2023 (July 1, 2022 to January 2, 2023) and OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health Team during the second half of Fiscal Year 2023 (January 3, 2023 to June 30, 2023) and throughout Fiscal Year 2024 (July 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024).

Appendix Table 20. Summary of OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department patients with depression, suicide risk/suicide attempt, and unintentional overdose who were served by Coleman Health Services from July 1, 2022 to January 2, 2023. The OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health Services provided mental and behavioral support services from January 3, 2023 to June 30, 2024.

Primary Diagnoses at the Emergency Department	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department with Specified Primary Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department and Referred to Coleman Health Services (until 1/2/2023) and OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health Services/Psych Social Services	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department with Specified Primary Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department and Referred to OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health Services
Depression	67 patients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 61 patients (Coleman Health Services) 6 patients (OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health Services/Psych Social Services) 	72 patients	31 patients
Suicide Risk/Suicide Attempt	43 patients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 32 patients (Coleman Health Services) 11 patients (OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health Services/Psych Social Services) 	43 patients	22 patients
Unintentional Overdose	28 patients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 27 patients (Coleman Health Services) 1 patient (OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health Services/Psych Social Services) 	23 patients	0 patient

Appendix Table 21. Summary of patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department with Primary Diagnoses of Mental, Behavioral and Neurodevelopmental Disorders.

Primary Diagnoses at the Emergency Department	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department with Primary Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department with Primary Diagnoses
Mental disorders due to known physiological conditions (F01-F09)	5 patients	7 patients
Mental and behavioral disorders due to psychoactive substance use (F10-F19)	50 patients	58 patients
Schizophrenia, schizotypal, delusional, and other non-mood psychotic disorders (F20-F29)	27 patients	15 patients
Mood (affective) disorders (F30-F39)	38 patients	48 patients
Anxiety, dissociative, stress-related, somatoform and other nonpsychotic mental disorders (F40-F49)	96 patients	109 patients
Behavioral syndromes associated with physiological disturbances and physical factors (F50-F59)	0 patient	0 patient
Disorders of adult personality and behavior (F60-F69)	0 patient	0 patient
Intellectual disabilities (F70-F79)	0 patient	0 patient
Pervasive and specific developmental disorders (F80-F89)	2 patients	3 patients
Behavioral and emotional disorders with onset usually occurring in childhood and adolescence (F90-F98)	4 patients	3 patients
Unspecified mental disorder (F99)	1 patient	1 patient

MHA – 2. Mental Health and Addiction Community Collaborations

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to collaborate with Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County and the Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties (MHRSB) and the Kenton Hardin Health Department in either hosting virtual or in-person programs offered by MHRSB such as (but not limited to):

- MHA – 2.1. Mental Health First Aid for Adults** — teaches persons in becoming aware of signs of mental health or substance use among 18 years of age and older. The education covers depression, anxiety, psychosis and addiction. Steps include assessment, listening nonjudgmentally, giving reassurance, offer professional help, or self-help books and resources. The curricula aim to promote awareness of mental health challenges and reduces stigma and provides support (National Council for Mental Wellbeing, 2021).
- MHA – 2.2. Mental Health First Aid for Youth** — teaches parents, family members, caregivers, teaches and mentors on how to help teens ages 12 to 18 who are having a challenge or in crisis. Mental health challenges that are common among youth include depression, anxiety, substance use, psychosis, disruptive behaviors and eating disorders (National Council for Mental Wellbeing, 2021)
- MHA – 2.3. Question, Persuade and Refer (QPR) Suicide Prevention Training** — teaches the public and professionals about the warning signs of suicide and how to respond in a nonjudgmental manner. Basic steps include (a) **questioning** the person's intent to die from suicide; (b) persuading the person to seek and accept help, and (c) make appropriate referrals to available community resources (National Council for Mental Wellbeing, 2021)
- MHA – 2.4. I MIND** — an intervention program to educate youth to become aware of “top 10 Myths about Alcohol and Drugs”, smoking, vaping, use of alcohol, smoking marijuana and illicit use of drugs, discuss in small groups about evidence-based Substance Use Disorders Intervention, and screening using the Healthy Futures Curriculum and Substance Abuse Subtle Screening Inventory (Mental Health and recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties, 2022).

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Impacts during Fiscal Years 2023 to 2025 Related to Mental Health and Addiction Community Collaborations (MHA – 2)

OhioHealth has implemented the actions discussed in MHA – 2 from Fiscal Years 2023 to 2025. Impacts and outcomes for Fiscal Years 2023 and 2024 are reported.

OhioHealth actively collaborates with the Mental Health and Recovery Services Board (MHRSB) of Allen, Auglaize, and Hardin Counties. Review of MHRSB's 2022 and 2023 Annual Reports for Hardin County accomplishments are summarized in **Appendix Table 22**.

Appendix Table 22. Summary of programs and services by contracted partners of the Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties and their respective impacts (Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties, 2022; 2023).

Category	Name of Program	MHRSB Partner Organization	Description of Program	Persons Served in 2022	Persons Served in 2023
Treatment Program	Mercy Office Based Opioid Treatment (OBOT)	Mercy OBOT Clinic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT) and navigation services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 76 Hardin County residents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 55 Hardin County residents
Treatment Program	Daytime Crisis Response for Schools	Family Resource Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conducts student assessment, linkage to treatment, creates safety plan or determines need for hospitalization 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 31 Hardin County students 10 students were hospitalized 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 27 Hardin County students 9 students were hospitalized
Treatment Program	I MIND	Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offers early intervention for youth using substances. Referrals may be provided by parents and schools 	No data	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 38 Hardin County students served

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Category	Name of Program	MHRSB Partner Organization	Description of Program	Persons Served in 2022	Persons Served in 2023
Treatment program	School Navigation	Health Partners of Western Ohio Specialized Alternatives for Families and Youth (SAFY)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides on-site support to schools and students using the Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) Assists families to help them utilize appropriate community services 	No data	Increased number of providers (navigators) and hours offered
Treatment Program	Behavioral Health Services, Recovery Housing, and Permanent Supportive Housing	Lighthouse Behavioral Health Solutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offers services for adults with substance use disorders Recovery housing assistance Permanent Supportive Housing Assistance 	No data	No data
Prevention and Postvention	Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM)	Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community volunteers respond to tragedies to help people process the incident, become resilient, and recover from the stressful experience. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provided 18 responses to critically stressful incident 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provided 6 responses to critically stressful incident

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Category	Name of Program	MHRSB Partner Organization	Description of Program	Persons Served in 2022	Persons Served in 2023
Prevention and Postvention	Behavioral Support to students	Allen County Board of Developmental Disabilities serving Allen and Hardin Counties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offers 48-hour response to school referrals for behavioral concerns 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Served 5 students 	No data
Criminal Justice	Jail navigation for Multi-County Correctional Facility	Coleman Health Services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offers navigation and support to Hardin County residents from the Multi-County Correctional Facility 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 161 persons at the Multi-County Correctional Facility 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 248 persons at the Multi-County Correctional Facility
Criminal Justice	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Care Coordination by Recovery Court Care Coordination and Family Court 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recovery Court Family Court 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Helps persons get connected with needed community resources 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recovery Court served 47 persons Family Court served 6 persons 	No data
Special Projects	Wings Drop-In Center	Wings Peer Support and Recovery	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offers adults experiencing behavioral health problems with skills building to manage their illness and finances Offers Peer Support Services that leads to sustained recovery from mental illness and addiction 	No data	Served 110 persons

Continuation of Appendix Table 22. Summary of programs and services that were provided by contracted partners of the Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties (Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties, 2022; 2023).

Category	Name of Program	MHRSB Partner Organization	Description of Program	Persons Served in 2022	Persons Served in 2023
Special Projects	Family and Children First Council (FCFC) Coordination Services	Family and Children First Council (FCFC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensures that youth from various systems and their families receive the necessary support and services that are available in the community 	No data	Served 49 families

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Impacts during Fiscal Years 2023 to 2025 Related to Community Collaborations related to Mental Health First Aid Classes (MHA – 2.1 and MHA – 2.2)

During Fiscal Years 2023 and 2024, the Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS) taught Mental Health First Aid (MHFA) for Adults and Youth in Hardin County, in collaboration with community partners, including Ohio Northern University, Hardin Northern Local School District, Ridgemont Local Schools District, and OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital. PASS served 115 persons in Fiscal Year 2023 and 5 persons in Fiscal Year 2024.

See **Appendix Table 23** for details of MHFA classes taught by PASS in Fiscal Year 2023 and 2024. The MHFA for Adults teaches about how to assist a person who is having a mental health problem or crisis. MHFA discusses anxiety, depression, psychosis, and addictions. MHFA also discussed the impact of mental health problems in the United States, recovery is possible, importance of self-care for the Mental Health First Aider, and recognition of the signs and symptoms of mental health problems in adults (National Council for Mental Wellbeing, 2024).

Appendix Table 23. Summary of Mental Health First Aid classes taught by Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS) in Hardin County during Fiscal Years 2023 and 2024

Date of Class	Focus Population of Mental Health First Aid	Class Type (In-Person; Virtual)	Host Organization and Address	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Persons Served (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023)	Source of Data
August 13, 2022	Adults	Blended Pre-Work and Live Virtual with Instructor	Ohio Northern University – located at 525 S. Main St, Ada, Ohio 45810	28 participants	Kenton Hardin Health Department (2023); Donna Dickman, Prevention Awareness Support Services, (Personal Communication)
August 15, 2022	Youth	Blended Pre-Work and Live Virtual with Instructor	Hardin Northern Local School District – located at 11589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835	20 participants	Donna Dickman, Prevention Awareness Support Services, (Personal Communication)
August 15, 2022	Youth	Blended Pre-Work and Live Virtual with Instructor	Hardin Northern Local School District – located at 11589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835	19 participants	Donna Dickman, Prevention Awareness Support Services, (Personal Communication)

Continuation of Appendix Table 23. Summary of Mental Health First Aid classes taught by Prevention Awareness Support Services in Hardin County during Fiscal Years 2023 and 2024

Date of Class	Focus Population of Mental Health First Aid	Class Type (In-Person; Virtual)	Location and Address	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Persons Served (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023)	Source of Data
January 3, 2023	Youth	Blended Pre-Work and Live Virtual with Instructor	Ridgemont Local School District – located at 560 W. Taylor Street, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	25 participants	Donna Dickman Prevention Awareness Support Services, (Personal Communication)
January 3, 2023	Youth	Blended Pre-Work and Live Virtual with Instructor	Ridgemont Local School District – 560 W. Taylor Street, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	23 participants	Donna Dickman (Personal Communication)
May 13, 2024	Adults	In-Person	OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital; 921 E. Franklin St., Kenton, Ohio 43226	5 participants	D. Dickmann, personal communication, Prevention Awareness Support Services

OhioHealth also recognizes the efforts of the Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky & Southwest Ohio in providing adult Mental Health First Aid classes to Hardin County residents (L. Zielasko and J. Gora, personal communication). The Mental Health America of Northern Kentucky and Southwest Ohio served 30 Hardin County residents as part of their Mental Health First Aid Training for Adults in Fiscal Year 2023.

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Impacts during Fiscal Years 2023 to 2025 Related to Community Collaborations Related to “Question, Persuade and Refer (QPR)” Suicide Prevention Training (MHA – 2.3)

The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital did not participate in coordinating programs related to Question, Persuade and Refer (QPR) Suicide Prevention Training. Research findings showed that participants who completed the QPR training were able to recognize the warning signs of a suicide crisis and how to question, persuade, and refer someone (QPR Institute, n.d.). Participants of QPR reported increased knowledge, improved self-efficacy, better gatekeeper knowledge and skills up to 1 year from completion of the QPR training (QPR Institute, n.d.).

Participants of QPR recognize the chain of survival through the following:

- Ability to detect early warning signs of suicide
- Ability to ask someone about experience of suicidal thoughts and feelings
- Open conversations may lead referral to local resources
- Awareness of calling 988 for evaluation and possible referral
- Ability to achieve better outcomes through early detection and treatment

It is noteworthy that the OhioHealth Emergency Department, in collaboration with Coleman Health Services (July 1, 2022 to January 2, 2023) and OhioHealth Virtual Behavioral Health (January 3, 2023 to June 30, 2024) provided supportive care services to youth and adult patients who had a diagnoses of (a) suicidal ideation, (b) suicide attempt and (c) self-harm. See **Appendix Table 24**.

Depending on need, patients were referred to Coleman Health Services until January 2, 2023. Patients are educated about the need to create a safety plan. As part of the care plan, patients are educated about learning how to get help during a mental health crisis (Healthwise 2006-2024). A person with mental condition may lose their emotional balance. It will be hard to know what to do when a person is in a state of emotional crisis. A person's health or life may be at risk. OhioHealth provides its patients Healthwise Patient Education materials such as (but not limited to) (Healthwise 1995-2024):

- Check your symptoms and find out if you can care for yourself at home or if you should call a doctor
- Warning signs of suicide in adults
- Warning signs of suicide in older adults
- Non-Suicidal Self-Injury – learn how to help yourself if you self-injure
- Finding strength to keep going: Overcoming suicidal thoughts
- Talking about suicide to someone you're worried about- learn why it's safe to talk about suicide and how to have the conversation
- Non-Suicidal Self-Injury in Children
- Making a Suicide Safety Plan
- Teens: Helping a friend who's talking about suicide
- Warning signs of suicide
- Suicidal thoughts or threats
- Warning signs of suicide in children and teens
- Suicide threats: What to do
- Depression and suicide
- Teens: Being there for a friend who self-injures
- Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and suicidal thoughts
- Postpartum depression
- Feeling depressed
- Depression: Should my child take medicine to treat depression
- Getting help during a mental health crisis
- Depression in children and teens
- Depression
- Complications of grief
- Symptoms of depression in children
- Symptoms of depression
- Food and Drug Administration (FDA) advisories for antidepressants

Appendix Table 24. Count of OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department patients served in Fiscal Year 2023 to 2024 who had primary diagnoses of suicidal ideation, suicide attempt and self-harm

	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Unduplicated Patients Served			Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Unduplicated Patients Served		
	Total	Youth	Adult	Total	Youth	Adult
Suicidal ideation	77 patients	22 patients	55 patients	37 patients	12 patients	25 patients
Suicide attempt	43 patients	15 patients	28 patients	42 patients	13 patients	29 patients
Self-harm	11 patients	4 patients	7 patients	1 patient	1 patient	0 patient

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Impacts during Fiscal Years 2023 to 2025 Related to (Community Collaborations Related to I MIND (MHA – 2.4))

During Fiscal Year 2023, the Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS) facilitated and taught in-person I MIND Healthy Futures classes to high school and middle school students. The I MIND classes were taught to high school students at Wings Support and Recovery. The I MIND classes to high school students were taught weekly (Thursdays) from 3:30 PM to 7:30 PM. On the other hand, the I MIND classes to middle school students were taught at Kenton Middle School monthly (every third Wednesday) from 4:00 – 8:00 PM. Total of 43 I MIND classes were taught from July 1, 2022 to June 30, 2023. Details about the I MIND classes that were held in Fiscal Year 2023 were obtained from Rick Skilliter, Executive Director of the Prevention Awareness Support Services. See **Appendix Tables 25 and 26** for a summary of I MIND outcomes in Hardin County.

PASS also taught or coordinated the teaching or programming of various evidenced-based programs and services that address mental and behavioral health needs of youth in Hardin County. The programs and services include (a) “Too Good for Drugs”; (b) LifeLine’s Suicide Prevention; (c) DBT STEPS A (Social Emotional Learning based on Dialectical Behavioral Therapy); (d) Class Action (Substance Use Disorder); (e) Catch my Breath (VAPE); (f) Summer Career Path (Social Work); and (g) Gatekeepers (Suicide Prevention Program). **Appendix Tables 27 and 28** summarize these classes and count of students served. Data and information were obtained from Rick Skilliter, Executive Director of the Prevention Awareness Support Services (R. Skilliter, personal communication).

Appendix Table 25. Summary of I MIND Classes in Hardin County in Fiscal Year 2023

Location of I MIND Classes	Schools Served	Count of Students Served
Wings Support and Recovery 111 East Columbus Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326	Ada High School	3 students
	Kenton High School	24 students
Kenton Middle School 300 Oriental Street Kenton, Ohio 43326	Blufton Middle School	1 student
	Kenton Middle School	9 students
	Unknown School	1 student
Total Students Served		38 students

Appendix Table 26. Summary of I MIND Classes in Hardin County in Fiscal Year 2024

Name of School	Address	Number of Classes Offered	Count of Students Served
Kenton High School	200 Harding Avenue Kenton, Ohio 43326	30 classes	14 students
Upper Scioto Valley School District	510 South Courtright St. PO Box 305 McGuffey, Ohio 45859	1 class	1 student
Kenton Middle School	300 Oriental Street Kenton, Ohio 43326	9 classes	10 students
Ridgemont Junior High School	560 W. Taylor Street Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	1 class	1 student
Total Classes Offered and Students Served		41 classes	26 students

Appendix Table 27. Summary of Programs and Services of Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS) in Hardin County during Fiscal Year 2023

Curricula	Brief Description	School	Count of Students Served in Fiscal Year 2023
"Too Good for Drugs" (C.E. Mendez Foundation, 2023)	The program promotes development of skills to reduce risk factors and promote skills to prevent use of alcohol, tobacco, and drugs	Ada Elementary School – located at 725 West North Avenue, Ada, Ohio 45810	Served 64 third grade students from Ada Elementary School
LifeLine's Suicide Prevention (Hazelden Publishing, n.d.)	Teaches youth suicide prevention, intervention, and response	Kenton Middle School – 200 Harding Ave, Kenton, OH 43326	165 students
LifeLine's Suicide Prevention (Hazelden Publishing, n.d.)	Teaches youth suicide prevention, intervention, and response	Hardin Northern High School – located at 1589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835	41 students
DBT STEPS A (Social Emotional Learning based on Dialectical Behavioral Therapy) (DBT in Schools, n.d.)	Focuses on social and emotional learning among teens through development of decision making and coping skills	Hardin Northern High School – located at 1589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835	28 students
DBT STEPS A (Social Emotional Learning based on Dialectical Behavioral Therapy) (DBT in Schools, n.d.)	Focuses on social and emotional learning among teens through development of decision making and coping skills (Upper Scioto Valley School District – located at 510 South Courtright St. PO Box 305 McGuffey, OH 45859	40 students
Class Action (Substance Use Disorder	The curricula was designed to prevent underage drinking and related problems	Hardin Northern High School – located at 1589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835	17 students

Continuation of Appendix Table 27. Summary of Programs and Services of Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS) in Fiscal Year 2023

Curricula	Brief Description	School	Count of Students Served in Fiscal Year 2023
Catch my Breath (VAPE) (Kelder et al., 2020)	The program tackles the risks of e-cigarettes among youth through curricula for students in grades 5 to 12	Kenton Middle School – located at 200 Harding Ave, Kenton, OH 43326	165 students
Catch my Breath (VAPE) (Kelder et al., 2020)	The program tackles the risks of e-cigarettes among youth through curricula for students in grades 5 to 12	Hardin Northern High School – located at 1589 State Route 81, Dola, Ohio 45835	39 students
Summer Career Path (Social Work)	Encourage youth to be interested in the social work field	Various communities	10 students
Gatekeepers (Suicide Prevention Program)	The program utilizes the “Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR) curricula”	Ada Exempted Village Schools – located at 725 West North Avenue, Ada, Ohio 45810	577 students
Gatekeepers (Suicide Prevention Program)	The program utilizes the “Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR) curricula”	Kenton Middle School – located at 300 Oriental Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326	86 students
Gatekeepers (Suicide Prevention Program)	The program utilizes the “Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR) curricula”	Kenton High School – located at 200 Harding Avenue, Kenton, Ohio 43326	37 students

Appendix Table 28. Summary of Programs and Services of Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS) in Fiscal Year 2024

Curricula	Brief Description	School	Count of Students Served in Fiscal Year 2024
"Too Good for Drugs" (C.E. Mendez Foundation, 2023)	The program promotes development of skills to reduce risk factors and promote skills to prevent use of alcohol, tobacco, and drugs.	Ada Elementary School – located at 725 West North Avenue, Ada, Ohio 45810	71 students in 2 nd grade
"Too Good for Drugs" (C.E. Mendez Foundation, 2023)	The program promotes development of skills to reduce risk factors and promote skills to prevent use of alcohol, tobacco, and drugs.	Hardin Northern Elementary School – located at 11589 State Route 81 Dola, OH 45835	75 students in 2 nd grade
LifeLine's Suicide Prevention (Hazelden Publishing, n.d.)	Teaches youth suicide prevention, intervention, and response to youth in 7 th to 12 th grade	Hardin Northern Middle School – located at 11589 State Route 81 Dola, OH 45835	29 students in 7 th grade
LifeLine's Suicide Prevention (Hazelden Publishing, n.d.)	Teaches youth suicide prevention, intervention, and response to youth in 7 th to 12 th grade	Kenton High School – located at 200 Harding Avenue, Kenton, Ohio 43326	126 students in 9 th -12 th grade
DBT STEPS A (Social Emotional Learning based on Dialectical Behavioral Therapy) (DBT in Schools, n.d.)	Focuses on social and emotional learning among teens through development of decision making and coping skills (Upper Scioto Valley School District – located at 510 South Courtright St. PO Box 305 McGuffey, OH 45859	18 students in 7 th grade
Catch my Breath (VAPE) (Kelder et al., 2020)	The program tackles the risks of e-cigarettes among youth through curricula for students in grades 5 to 12	Hardin Northern Middle School – located at 11589 State Route 81 Dola, OH 45835	29 students in 7 th grade
Catch my Breath (VAPE) (Kelder et al., 2020)	The program tackles the risks of e-cigarettes among youth through curricula for students in grades 5 to 12	Kenton High School – located at 200 Harding Avenue, Kenton, Ohio 43326	85 students in 9 th grade
Summer Career Path (Social Work)	Encourage youth to be interested in the social work field	Hardin County High School	7 students

Continuation of Appendix Table 28. Summary of Programs and Services of Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS) in Fiscal Year 2024

Curricula	Brief Description	School	Count of Students Served in Fiscal Year 2024
Gatekeepers (Suicide Prevention Program)	The program utilizes the "Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR) curricula"	Kenton Middle School – located at 300 Oriental Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326	93 students
Gatekeepers (Suicide Prevention Program)	The program utilizes the "Question, Persuade, Refer (QPR) curricula"	Kenton High School – located at 200 Harding Avenue, Kenton, Ohio 43326	43 students

MHA –3. Community-Based Medication Disposal and Education

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to be actively involved in countywide or regional medication disposal activities and health education events related to support of the National Prescription Drug Take Back Day.

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Impacts in Fiscal Years 2023-2025 Related to Community-Based Medication Disposal and Education (MHA – 3)

The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital has been involved with the planning, implementation and post-outreach activities since 2013. Proper disposal of unused and expired medications through Medication Disposal Day ensures that the medicines active ingredients are not leaked into the environment and prevents children and youth access of controlled substances. With leadership from OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and the Hardin County Sheriff's Office, participation of the Ridgemont Local School District (students affiliated with Future Farmers of America), Ohio Northern University College of Pharmacy and the community enables altruistic collaboration to ensure that unused and expired medications are disposed properly, environment safety, and teaching and learning about the importance of proper disposal of medicines, especially the controlled substances.

Appendix Table 29. Summary of activities participated by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital related to Medication Disposal (Drug Take-Back Day) held in Fiscal Year 2023

Date	Explain planning activities	Explain Implementation activities	Explain Debriefing activities	Community Collaborators	Name of Drugs and Weight or Volume Collected
March 16, 2023	OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Senior Consultant Chris Davis met with the Hardin County Sheriff's Office and other partners to plan for the Medication Disposal Day event	No implementation activities held on March 16, 2023	Plan for event completed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin County Sheriff's Office Forest Police Department Ohio Northern University Pharmacy Ridgemont Local Schools Future Farmers of America (FFA) 	Not applicable

Continuation of Appendix Table 29. Summary of activities participated by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital related to Medication Disposal (Drug Take-Back Day) held in Fiscal Year 2023

Date	Explain planning activities	Explain Implementation activities	Explain Debriefing activities	Community Collaborators	Name of Drugs and Weight or Volume Collected
April 13, 2023	No planning activities held	Workgroup representatives, Jake Abbott, pharmacist from OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and Michell Musser, professor from Ohio Northern University and Dennis Burns, Hardin County Sheriff recorded the goal and targets of the Medication Disposal Day event as part of the WKTN station "Public Eye"	Debriefing on the recording at WKTN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital • Hardin County Sheriff's Office • Forest Police Department • Ohio Northern University Pharmacy • Ridgmont Local Schools Future Farmers of America (FFA) 	Not applicable

Continuation of Appendix Table 29. Summary of activities participated by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital related to Medication Disposal (Drug Take-Back Day) held in Fiscal Year 2023

Date	Explain planning activities	Explain Implementation activities	Explain Debriefing activities	Community Collaborators	Name of Drugs and Weight or Volume Collected
April 13, 2023	No planning activities held	OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Senior Consultant Chris Davis was interviewed by Joel McCullough, Kenton Times staff writer about the Medication Disposal Day	Debriefing on the interview and next steps related to the newspaper write-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital WKTN 	Not applicable; Joel McCullough wrote the article
April 22, 2023	No planning activities held	<p>Medication Disposal Day Set-up, collection and medication disposal education at four locations</p> <p>Kenton, Ohio: OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Medical Building , 75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326</p> <p>Ada, Ohio: RiteAid Parking Lot, 610 S Main St, Ada, OH 45810</p> <p>Ridgemont School: 560 W. Taylor St, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340</p> <p>Forest City Building: 211 West Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843</p>	Summarized the weight of medicines collected	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin County Sheriff's Office Forest Police Department Ohio Northern University Ridgemont Local Schools 	Collected 230 pounds of medicines that include over-the-counter drugs, prescription medications and controlled substances (narcotics)d

Appendix Table 30. Summary of activities participated by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital related to Medication Disposal (Drug Take-Back Day) held in Fiscal Year 2024

Date	Explain planning activities	Explain Implementation activities	Explain Debriefing activities	Community Collaborators	Name of Drugs and Weight or Volume Collected
April 27, 2024	Hardin County Drug Take Back Day	<p>Collection of unwanted or expired medications at four locations:</p> <p>OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital: 75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326</p> <p>Ada, Ohio: Parking lot at South Main Street and East College Avenue</p> <p>Forest City Building: 211 West Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843</p> <p>Ridgemont School: 560 West Taylor Street, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340</p>	Gathering of information on number of cars that dropped off medications and weight of medications collected	<p>OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital</p> <p>Hardin County Sheriff's Department</p> <p>Ohio Northern University Healthwise</p> <p>Ridgemont Local Schools Future Farmers of America (FFA) Program</p> <p>Forest Police Department</p> <p>Clean Harbors</p>	<p>Across 100 cars dropped off medications</p> <p>Approximately 121 pounds of medications were collected and delivered to the Drug Enforcement Administration</p> <p>Unknown amount of prescription drugs were destroyed by Clean Harbors.</p>

MHA – 4. OhioHealth Behavioral Health Integration Clinics

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth Behavioral Health Integration Clinics (MHA – 4)

OhioHealth has two OhioHealth Physician Group clinics that offer Behavioral Health Integration. The process for obtaining services from a Behavioral Health Integration team member is explained in MHA 4.1 to 4.4. See **Appendix Table 31**.

Appendix Table 32 summarizes the impacts on OhioHealth's alignment with the 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan (SHIP).

Appendix Table 31. Summary of Patients Served in Fiscal Years 2023 and 2024 by the OhioHealth Behavioral Health Integration Clinics in Hardin County

Outpatient Clinic	Physical Address	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Count of Patients Referred to Behavioral Health Integration	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Examples of Primary Diagnosis of Patients Served by the Behavioral Health Integration Providers	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Count of Patients Referred to Behavioral Health Integration	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Examples of Primary Diagnosis of Patients Served by the Behavioral Health Integration Providers
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main Street	460 S. Main St, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	0 patient	No data	0 patient	No data
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington	75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326	19 patients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anxiety Depression Anxiety and Depression Bipolar Affective Disorder Bipolar Depression Recurrent Major Depressive Disorder Generalized Anxiety Disorder with Panic Attacks Unable to Control Anger 	14 patients	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Anxiety Depression Anxiety and Depression Current major depressive disorder Recurrent Major Depressive Disorder

Appendix Table 32. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan related to Behavioral Health Integration. The measures and data were obtained from County Health Rankings (2024).

Measure	Year(s) of Data Used	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Poor or Fair Health Percent of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted)	2021	18%	16%	14%
Poor Physical Health Days Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	2021	4.1 days in past 30 days	3.6 days in past 30 days	3.3 days in past 30 days
Poor Mental Health Days Average number of mentally unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted).	2021	5.4 days in past 30 days	5.5 days in past 30 days	4.8 days in past 30 days
Frequent Physical Distress Percent of adults reporting 14 or more days of poor physical health per month (age-adjusted)	2021	13%	11%	10%
Frequent Mental Distress Percent of adults reporting 14 or more days of poor mental health per month (age-adjusted)	2021	19%	17%	15%
Adult Smoking Percent of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted)	2021	23%	19%	15%

Continuation of Appendix Table 32. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan related Behavioral Health Integration. The measures and data were obtained from County Health Rankings (2024).

Measure	Year(s) of Data Used	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Excessive Drinking Percent of adults reporting binge or heavy drinking (age-adjusted)	2021	19%	20%	18%
Alcohol-Impaired Driving Deaths Percent of driving deaths with alcohol involvement	2017-2021	25%	32%	26%
Drug Overdose Deaths Number of drug poisoning deaths per 100,000 population	2019-2021	43 drug overdose deaths per 100,000 people	42 drug overdose deaths per 100,000 people	27 drug overdose deaths per 100,000 people
Insufficient Sleep Percent of adults who report fewer than 7 hours of sleep on average (age-adjusted).	2020	38%	36%	33%
Mental Health Providers Ratio of population to mental health providers	2023	1,600 people to 1 mental health provider	310 people to 1 mental health provider	320 people to 1 mental health provider
Primary Care Physicians Ratio of population to primary care physicians	2021	3,400 people to 1 primary care physician	1,330 people to 1 primary care physician	1,330 people to 1 primary care physician

Continuation of Appendix Table 32. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan related to Behavioral Health Integration. The measures and data were obtained from County Health Rankings (2024).

Measure	Year(s) of Data Used	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Other Primary Care Providers Ratio of population to primary care providers other than physicians	2023	1,170 people to 1 other primary care providers	710 people to 1 other primary care provider	760 people to 1 other primary care provider
Homicides Number of deaths due to homicide per 100,000 population	2015-2021	No data	7 homicides per 100,000 people	6 homicides per 100,000 people
Suicides Number of deaths due to suicide per 100,000 population	2017-2021	18 suicides per 100,000 people	15 suicides per 100,000 people	14 suicides per 100,000 people
Firearm Fatalities Number of deaths due to firearms per 100,000 population	2017-2021	10 firearm-related deaths per 100,000 people	14 firearm-related deaths per 100,000 people	13 firearm-related deaths per 100,000 people
Juvenile Arrests Rate of delinquency cases per 1,000 juveniles	2021	24 juvenile delinquency court cases per 1,000 youths	22 juvenile delinquency court cases per 1,000 youths	No data

Priority Health Need #2: Chronic Disease (CD)

CD – 1. OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Clinics — The OhioHealth Physician Group (OPG) primary care clinic physicians in Hardin County will continue to provide nutrition prescriptions to patients so they would be able to consult with the registered dietitian and tackle the patient's dietary and nutritional needs. The dietitian provides nutrition education and counseling and referral to food pantries, and food banks serving Hardin County residents.

Among patients with diagnosis of diabetes, the OhioHealth dietitian will discuss topics such as (a) in-depth education on the role of nutrition and lifestyle habits in improving glycemic control; and (b) basic education about the pathophysiology of diabetes. The dietitian will also assist patients on means of obtaining medication assistance, other forms of patient assistance, and how and where to obtain diabetes supplies. The dietitian will continue to follow-up with patient's education needs. The dietitian will continue to collaborate with the interdisciplinary care team and physicians and other providers as needed to improve patient health outcomes.

Among patients with diagnosis of obesity, the OhioHealth dietitian will implement the following: (a) discuss topics such as (but not limited to) in-depth nutrition and lifestyle education for weight management; (b) collaboration with the interdisciplinary care team and other providers to improve patient outcomes; (c) provide support to patients as they attempt to lose weight; and (d) referral of patients to the OhioHealth health coach when necessary to assist with goal setting.

Examples of OhioHealth Physician Group Physicians serving Hardin County include (but not limited to):

- CD – 1.1. Christina M. Crum, MD** — specializes in internal medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- CD – 1.2. Kalyan K. Das, MD** — specializes in internal medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 102, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- CD – 1.3. Jeffrey L. Neuhauser, MD** — specializes in family medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- CD – 1.4. Norma J. Ogbonna, MD** — specializes in family medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326
- CD – 1.5. Holly Renee Recob, DO** — specializes in family medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 460 S. Main St., Mount Victory, Ohio 43340
- CD – 1.6. Paul D. Wesson II, DO** — specializes in family medicine at Kenton Family Practice located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 101, Kenton, Ohio 43326

The action in **CD –1** aligns with the 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to collaborate with the Kenton Hardin Health Department to promote cross-referral and awareness of the registered dietitian services at various OhioHealth clinics in Hardin County.

OhioHealth Hardin Hospital's Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Clinics (CD – 1)

According to the National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (NCCDPHP), the top seven chronic diseases in the United States include heart disease, cancer, Chronic lung disease, stroke, Alzheimer's Disease, diabetes and chronic kidney disease. In the United States 60% have 1 chronic disease and 40% have two or more chronic diseases (National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, 2022).

CD – 1.1. The Urgent Care Kenton served patients with chronic diseases.

Urgent Care Kenton is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Urgent Care Kenton is located inside the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital (OhioHealth 2015-2024). See **Appendix Table 33**.

Appendix Table 33. Summary of completed visits and distinct count of patients served in Fiscal Years 2023 to 2024 by Urgent Care Kenton who have various chronic diseases

Chronic Disease Diagnoses of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Distinct Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Distinct Count of Patients Served
Patients with heart disease	1,720 visits	1,133 patients	2,016 visits	1,276 patients
Patients with cancer	195 visits	143 patients	176 visits	134 patients
Patients with asthma	717 visits	471 patients	840 visits	523 patients
Patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	733 visits	469 patients	840 visits	523 patients
Patients with stroke	346 visits	229 patients	357 visits	239 patients
Patients with Alzheimer's Disease	3 visits	3 patients	5 visits	4 patients
Patients with diabetes	581 visits	402 patients	653 visits	461 patients
Patients with chronic kidney disease	186 visits	131 patients	217 visits	160 patients

CD –1.2. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Washington Boulevard served patients with chronic diseases.

The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326 (OhioHealth 2015-2024). See **Appendix Table 34**.

Appendix Table 34. Summary of completed visits and distinct count of patients served in Fiscal Years 2023 to 2024 by OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Washington Boulevard who have various chronic diseases

Chronic Disease Diagnoses of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Distinct Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Distinct Count of Patients Served
Patients with heart disease	6,438 visits	1,740 patients	6,313 visits	1,717 patients
Patients with cancer	1,139 visits	313 patients	1,179 visits	316 patients
Patients with asthma	2,839 visits	726 patients	2,785 visits	712 patients
Patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	2,831 visits	726 patients	2,804 visits	717 patients
Patients with stroke	1,883 visits	462 patients	1,978 visits	480 patients
Patients with Alzheimer's Disease	66 visits	12 patients	36 visits	10 patients
Patients with diabetes	3,497 visits	882 patients	3,824 visits	982 patients
Patients with chronic kidney disease	1,933 visits	462 patients	2,078 visits	491 patients

CD – 1.3. The OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians served patients with chronic diseases.

The OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians is located at 75 Washington Blvd Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43226 (OhioHealth 2015-2024). See **Appendix Table 35**.

Appendix Table 35. Summary of completed visits and distinct count of patients served in Fiscal Years 2023 to 2024 by OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians Washington Boulevard who have various chronic diseases

Chronic Disease Diagnoses of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Distinct Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Distinct Count of Patients Served
Patients with heart disease	325 visits	279 patients	291 visits	254 patients
Patients with cancer	38 visits	34 patients	32 visits	27 patients
Patients with asthma	119 visits	96 patients	91 visits	82 patients
Patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	117 visits	94 patients	92 visits	83 patients
Patients with stroke	119 visits	102 patients	110 visits	88 patients
Patients with Alzheimer's Disease	2 visits	2 patients	1 visit	1 patient
Patients with diabetes	129 visits	105 patients	131 visits	105 patients
Patients with chronic kidney disease	81 visits	63 patients	71 visits	56 patients

CD – 1.4. The OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians Lima Street served patients with chronic diseases.

The OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians Lima Street is located at 216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843. See **Appendix Table 36**.

Appendix Table 36. Summary of completed visits and distinct count of patients served in Fiscal Years 2023 to 2024 by OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians Lima Street who have various chronic diseases

Chronic Disease Diagnoses of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Distinct Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Distinct Count of Patients Served
Patients with heart disease	542 visits	171 patients	552 visits	182 patients
Patients with cancer	54 visits	15 patients	52 visits	20 patients
Patients with asthma	235 visits	76 patients	268 patients	85 patients
Patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	235 visits	76 patients	268 visits	85 patients
Patients with stroke	135 visits	37 patients	147 visits	42 patients
Patients with Alzheimer's Disease	5 visits	2 patients	4 visits	1 patient
Patients with diabetes	324 visits	119 patients	383 visits	120 patients
Patients with chronic kidney disease	87 visits	26 patients	104 visits	27 patients

CD – 1.5. The OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians S. Main Street served patients with chronic diseases.

The OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians S. Main Street is located at 460 S. Main Street, Mt Victory, Ohio 43340. See **Appendix Table 37**.

Appendix Table 37. Summary of completed visits and distinct count of patients served in Fiscal Years 2023 to 2024 by OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians S. Main Street who have various chronic diseases

Chronic Disease Diagnoses of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Distinct Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Distinct Count of Patients Served
Patients with heart disease	324 visits	99 patients	1,911 visits	599 patients
Patients with cancer	281 visits	102 patients	324 visits	99 patients
Patients with asthma	620 visits	201 patients	664 visits	205 patients
Patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	627 visits	202 patients	664 visits	205 patients
Patients with stroke	405 visits	128 patients	496 visits	152 patients
Patients with Alzheimer's Disease	0 visit	0 patient	8 visits	3 patients
Patients with diabetes	1,111 visits	404 patients	1,241 visits	399 visits
Patients with chronic kidney disease	345 visits	102 patients	425 visits	110 patients

CD – 1.6. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department served patients with chronic diseases.

The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. See **Appendix Table 38**.

Appendix Table 38. Summary of encounters and distinct count of patients served in Fiscal Years 2023 to 2024 by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department (ED) who have various chronic diseases

Chronic Disease Diagnoses of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Total ED encounters of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Distinct Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Total ED Encounters of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Distinct Count of Patients Served
Patients with heart disease	4,716 ED encounters	2,399 patients	4,783 ED encounters	2,360 patients
Patients with cancer	568 ED encounters	269 patients	637 ED encounters	283 patients
Patients with asthma	2,342 ED encounters	1,160 patients	2,456 ED encounters	1,186 patients
Patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	2,331 ED encounters	1,153 patients	2,460 ED encounters	1,188 patients
Patients with stroke	1,409 ED encounters	670 patients	1,432 ED encounters	627 patients
Patients with Alzheimer's Disease	26 ED encounters	18 patients	34 ED encounters	20 patients
Patients with diabetes	1,771 ED encounters	944 patients	1,898 ED encounters	954 patients
Patients with chronic kidney disease	945 ED encounters	432 patients	914 encounters	417 patients

CD – 1.7. The OhioHealth Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology served patients with chronic diseases.

The OhioHealth Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology is located at 921 Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43226. The clinic offers acute care and specialty medicine related to lung diseases. The top 3 chronic diseases of patients served include chronic lung disease, cancer, and heart disease. See **Appendix Table 39**.

Appendix Table 39. Summary of completed visits and distinct count of patients served in Fiscal Years 2023 to 2024 by OhioHealth Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology who have various chronic diseases

Chronic Disease Diagnoses of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Distinct Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Total Completed Visits of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Distinct Count of Patients Served
Patients with heart disease	348 visits	251 patients	359 visits	257 patients
Patients with cancer	60 visits	41 patients	59 visits	42 patients
Patients with asthma	291 visits	196 patients	314 visits	213 patients
Patients with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)	291 visits	196 patients	315 visits	214 patients
Patients with stroke	89 visits	63 patients	107 visits	77 patients
Patients with Alzheimer's Disease	0 visit	0 patient	0 visit	0 patient
Patients with diabetes	130 visits	100 patients	161 visits	110 patients
Patients with chronic kidney disease	89 visits	63 patients	86 visits	63 patients

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Impacts related to its Alignment with the State Health Improvement Plan for CD – 1.

Appendix Table 40 shows various measures that compare Hardin County versus Ohio and United States.

Appendix Table 40. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan related to OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Clinics (CD –1)

Measure	Year(s) of Data Used	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Poor or fair health Percent of adults reporting fair or poor health (age-adjusted)	2021	18%	16%	14%
Poor physical health days Average number of physically unhealthy days reported in past 30 days (age-adjusted)	2021	4.1 physically unhealthy days in past 30 days	3.6 physically unhealthy days in past 30 days	3.3 physically unhealthy days in past 30 days
Life expectancy Average number of years a person can expect to live	2019-2021	73.4 years	75.6 years	77.6 years
Premature age-adjusted mortality Number of deaths among residents under age 75 per 100,000 population (age-adjusted)	2019-2021	560 deaths per 100,000 people age 75 or younger	450 deaths per 100,000 people age 75 or younger	390 deaths per 100,000 people age 75 or younger
Diabetes prevalence Percent of adults aged 20 and above with diagnosed diabetes	2021	11%	11%	10%
Frequent physical distress Percent of adults reporting 14 or more days of poor physical health per month (age-adjusted)	2021	13%	11%	10%

**Continuation of Appendix Table 40. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's
Alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan related to
CD – 1**

Measure	Year(s) of Data Used	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Adult smoking Percentage of adults who are current smokers (age-adjusted).	2021	23%	19%	15%
Adult obesity Percent of the adult population (age 18 and older) that reports a body mass index (BMI) greater than or equal to 30 kg/m ² (age adjusted)	2021	41%	38%	34%
Physical inactivity Percent of adults age 18 and over reporting no leisure-time physical activity (age-adjusted)	2021	29%	25%	23%
Access to exercise opportunities Percent of population with adequate access to locations for physical activity	2020, 2022, 2023	56%	84%	84%
Food insecurity Percent of population who lack adequate access to food	2021	14%	12%	10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 40. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Alignment with Ohio's 2020-2022 State Health Improvement Plan related to chronic diseases

Measure	Year(s) of Data Used	Hardin County	Ohio	United States
Limited access to healthy foods Percent of population who are low-income and do not live close to a grocery store	2019	3%	7%	6%
Insufficient sleep Percent of adults who report fewer than 7 hours of sleep on average (age-adjusted)	2020	38%	36%	33%

CD – 2. OhioHealth collaborations – Walk with a Doc

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital, in partnership with The Ohio State University Extension Hardin County and the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County will continue to promote and engage the Hardin County residents to participate in “Walk with a Doc” walking and learning activities. After the presentation, the participants will have time to walk with a doctor at the Kenton Elementary School and other indoor locations. The Walk with a Doc program will also be help via Zoom when necessary (WKTN, 2020.).

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital’s Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth collaborations – Walk with a Doc (CD – 2)

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital led the Walk with a Doc events on November 7, 2022 and December 5, 2022. There were 16 participants during these two “Walk with a Doc” events. See **Appendix Table 41**.

Appendix Table 41. Summary of OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital’s Leadership and Collaborative Efforts for “Walk with a Doc”

Date of Activity	Name and Job Title of OhioHealth Team Member Involved	Type of Activity (Planning Meeting, Community Engagement, Actual Walk, Debriefing Meeting, Data Tracking)	Explain accomplishments	Community Collaborators	Number of persons served
November 7, 2022	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Norma Ogbonna, MD Family Medicine Physician at OhioHealth Primary Care Physician Kenton 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Walk with a Doc” event and health teaching to participants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants learned about mental health and depression from Dr. Ogbonna Participants walked at the Kenton Elementary School, which is located at 631 Silver Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Ohio State University Extension Hardin County Office Ohio Northern University Healthwise Kenton City Schools OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital 	5 persons

Continuation of Appendix Table 41. Summary of OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Leadership and Collaborative Efforts for "Walk with a Doc"

Date of Activity	Name and Job Title of OhioHealth Team Member Involved	Type of Activity (Planning Meeting, Community Engagement, Actual Walk, Debriefing Meeting, Data Tracking)	Accomplishments	Community Collaborators	Number of persons served
December 5, 2022	Tammy Shepherd, CNP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> "Walk with a Doc" event and health teaching to participants 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participants learned about different types of viruses. Participants learned about types of conditions or illnesses that are appropriate for Urgent Care versus Emergency Care Visits 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Ohio State University Extension Hardin County Office Ohio Northern University Healthwise Kenton City Schools OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital 	11 persons

CD – 3. OhioHealth Referrals to OhioHealth Tobacco Cessation

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to educate the community about the negative health effects of tobacco smoking and vaping among adults and youth. Activities will include (but not limited to):

- CD – 3.1** OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will refer patients to the OhioHealth Marion General Hospital Pulmonary Services, which offers free tobacco cessation classes, located at 1000 McKinley Park Drive, Marion, Ohio 43302.
- CD – 3.2.** OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will refer patients to the Ohio Department of Health's Tobacco Use Prevention and Cessation Program, under the Bureau of Maternal, Child and Family Health. The Tobacco Use Prevention and Cessation Program includes focus areas such as prevention, cessation, enforcement, and data and statistics (Ohio Department of Health, n.d.).

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Fiscal Year 2023 to 2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth Referrals to OhioHealth Tobacco Cessation (CD – 3)

Patients who had diagnoses of tobacco use or smoking were educated about the ill effects of tobacco use or smoking to general health and wellbeing and risk for comorbidities. Patients who expressed interest in quitting were referred to the Ohio Quitline or to OhioHealth Marion General Hospital's 6-week outpatient smoking cessation program. See **Appendix Table 42** for the summary of education topics that were taught or discussed in the outpatient smoking cessation program.

The mission of the program is "We are here to help you quit tobacco." The goals of the Tobacco Cessation Program include (a) learn positive approach to becoming a non-tobacco user; (b) learn strategies to recover from tobacco addiction; (c) Learn about barriers to tobacco cessation; (d) learn health benefits of choosing a tobacco-free lifestyle; (e) Learn about nicotine-replacement options; (f) learning and practicing motivational exercises; (g) Learning techniques for stress management.

About 80 to 114 patients served by either OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital, Emergency Department, Urgent Care Kenton, or the outpatient clinics were referred to Marion General Hospital's 6-week outpatient smoking cessation program. See **Appendix Table 43** for a summary of patients who currently use tobacco from various OhioHealth facilities or clinics in Hardin County.

Appendix Table 42. Summary of OhioHealth Outpatient Tobacco Cessation Classes Taught at Marion General Hospital

Week	Main Topic or Activity	Examples of Topics and Activities
1	Introduction, Assessments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Forms of Nicotine Replacement Therapy • The Pros and Cons of Tobacco Group Activity • Identifying Reasons for Wanting to Quit Tobacco • Identifying Reasons for using Tobacco • Assessments (Outpatient tobacco Cessation Program Intake; Fagerstrom Test for Nicotine Dependence of Adults; Smokeless Tobacco Dependence Scale; Carbon Monoxide Log)
2	Health Effects of Tobacco	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Risks from Tobacco • Impact of Smoking on Others • Negative Health Effects of Second-Hand Smoke (cancer, heart disease, breathing problems, harder time getting pregnant; colds and flu; irritated eyes, nose and throat) • Negative Effects of Third-Hand Smoke • Completion of “My Quitting Worksheet” (dealing with triggers, identifying reasons to quit, quit method; target quit date; My Quit 3 A’s to Quitting (Avoid, Alter, Alternatives) • 5 D’s to Quitting (Delay, Distract, Drink Water, Deep Breathing, Discuss feelings) • Identifying Relevance, Risks, Rewards, and Roadblocks of Quitting • Choosing Allies who can Help you Quit.

Continuation of Appendix Table 42. Summary of OhioHealth Outpatient Tobacco Cessation Classes Taught at Marion General Hospital

Week	Main Topic or Activity	Examples of Topics and Activities
3	Addiction and Withdrawal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learning Techniques to Stop Tobacco Use (get rid of all smoking materials; vary daily routine; adopt after-meal rituals; good night sleep; shower or bathe in the morning or evening) Group Activity to Identify the Function of Tobacco in Filling your Life (stimulation; handling; relaxation/reward; habit; stress reliever; craving/addiction) and what you can do to replace them. Learning the Warning Signals of Stress and How to be Stress-Hardy. Common Threats to Maintenance Phase of Change (social pressures, special occasions, negative emotions, relationship conflict) Completion of Self-Efficacy Questionnaire Identifying Anxiety, Triggers and Stressors Preparations for Quit Day Learning about Proven Stress Reducers
4	Emotions, Stress, Coping Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Balancing Keys of Life (examples include having a daily routine; managing weight; eat healthy meals; having support systems; physical activity; personal motivation; spirituality; setting smart goals; positive attitude; stress management; get enough sleep) Learning about Symptoms of Nicotine Withdrawal (examples include nicotine cravings; difficulty concentrating; depression and anxiety; irritability; sweating; tingling sensation in hands and feet; nausea, vomiting and cramping; headaches; sore throat; insomnia; constipation; weight gain; cough; increased hunger or food cravings; lethargy and tiredness) Learning about the Stages of Change (include pre-contemplation; contemplation, preparation, action, maintenance, and relapse) Learning about Lifestyle and Behavior Change Learning about Self-empowerment to be Healthy and Well Homework to Identify Triggers and Develop an Action Plan Develop a Tobacco Journal

Continuation of Appendix Table 42. Summary of OhioHealth Outpatient Tobacco Cessation Classes Taught at Marion General Hospital

Week	Main Topic or Activity	Examples of Topics and Activities
5	Relapse Prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learning about Lapse (Misstep) in the Quit Smoking Process. Lapses or slips may be due to a stressful situation or a provocative circumstance. Lapses are important signals that situations exceeded ones skill or desire to remain a non-tobacco user. Learning about skills to prevent relapse, which include steps and actions such as (a) Stopping tobacco use and returning to a new tobacco-free routine; (b) Thinking about current situation and new options; (c) Planning new positive responses; (d) Act appropriately and do the right thing for good health; (e) Celebrating successes. (f) Practice 4 D's (Delay, Deep Breaths, Drink Water, Distraction); (g) Being Mindful of Urges/triggers/Stressors; (h) Try other coping skills; (i) Do not give-in to self-defeating behaviors; (j) Finding Balance in Life (eating well, sleeping enough, exercising, seek a support system); and (k) Seek the company of supportive and positive people Learning about the Grief Cycle, which include steps such as (a) Denial and Isolation ("You know the importance of quitting smoking, you just don't want to believe it."; (b) Anger (People who found comfort in smoking are angry about change; (c) bargaining (Postponing quitting; Slips and relapses occur during the bargaining phase) ; (d) depression (Sadness or deprivation is felt due to the loss of their "friend" the cigarette; and (e) acceptance (going on with life without the cigarette). Learning about the Requisite Beliefs for Behavior Change, which include (a) Visualization ("You have within yourself the innate capability to change"; (b) Valuation ("You are worth the effort to change."(c) Validation ("The responsibility to change begins and ends with you." Completion of the Behavior Change Worksheet, which include (a) action to accomplish goals; (b) Names of people who could help me change; (c) possible obstacles and strategies to overcome; (d) Results that will help me assess that my plan is working. Learning about the Hughes-Hatsukami Withdrawal Questionnaire, which is a reliable measure of symptoms from tobacco withdrawal (Hughes & Hatsukami, 1986).
6	The New You	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Self-Assessment on "Why Do I Eat? to Control Eating Tendencies when you quit tobacco. Learning about healthy eating, building a healthy meal using the MyPlate Checklist (United States Department of Agriculture MyPlate, n.d.). Using the Hughes-Hatsukami Withdrawal Questionnaire for self-assessment.

Appendix Table 43. Summary of patients who had primary diagnoses of use and abuse of tobacco and tobacco-related products. These patients were educated about the negative effects of smoking or tobacco abuse in one's health and were provided with community resources to help patients quit smoking or tobacco use.

Name of OhioHealth Facility/Clinic	Address	Fiscal Year 2023 Number of Patients with Tobacco Diagnoses who were educated about ill effects of tobacco use or smoking, and/or referred to community resources when necessary	Fiscal Year 2024 Number of Patients with Tobacco Diagnoses who were educated about ill effects of tobacco use or smoking, and/or referred to community resources when necessary
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital	921 E. Franklin St., Kenton, Ohio 43326	2,224 patients	1,699 patients
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department	921 E. Franklin St., Kenton, Ohio 43326	1,520 patients	1,464 patients
OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton	921 E. Franklin St., Kenton, Ohio 43326	520 patients	581 patients
OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians E. Lima St.	216 E Lima St, Forest, Ohio 45843	173 patients	130 patients
OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians S. Main St	460 S. Main St, Mt Victory, Ohio 43340	205 patients	222 patients
OhioHealth Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard	75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326	884 patients	962 patients
Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology	921 E. Franklin St., Kenton, Ohio 43326	99 patients	144 patients
OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians	75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43326	52 patients	73 patients

CD – 4. OhioHealth Collaborations – Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital in collaboration with Kenton Hardin Health Department and the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County will lead the creation of a Hardin County community wellness calendar of activities, which will be updated quarterly and distributed to community partners by email.

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth Collaborations – Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County (CD – 4)

The programs and services of community partners who are involved in the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County are shared regularly during their meetings. During Fiscal Year 2023 and 2024, **Appendix Table 44** summarizes some examples of impacts and accomplishments of the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County.

The following organizations are involved in the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County:

- OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital
- Kenton Hardin Health Department
- Ohio Northern University Healthwise
- Women, Infants and Children
- Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS)
- Alzheimer's Association Northwest Ohio Chapters
- Blanchard Valley Health System Bridge Home Health and Hospice
- Hardin Family YMCA
- Coleman Health Services
- Mental Health and Recovery Services Board of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties
- Hardin County Chamber and Business Alliance
- Family Resource Center
- Other community organizations

Appendix Table 44. Examples of Impacts and Accomplishments of the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County During Fiscal Year 2023 to 2024

Community Partners	Examples of Impacts and Accomplishments
Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County led a community-wide physical activity campaign. • Community partners participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Hardin County Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
Ohio Northern University	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Ohio Northern University and the Kenton Hardin Health Department led the screening of people for adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) • The Ohio Northern University Healthwise was involved with Project DAWN (Deaths Avoided with Naloxone) where they distributed naloxone kits to prevent deaths from accidental drug overdose. The Ohio Northern University team provided Information about Project DAWN at the Harvest and Herb Festival. • The Ohio Northern University added two new mobile clinic sites, Alger First United Methodist Church and Lima Methodist Church for its health outreach • The Ohio Northern University implemented monthly health education and screening events with the mobile clinic. • The Ohio Northern University Healthwise completed immunization schedules for COVID/influenza/Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV). • The Ohio Northern University has submitted a grant funding application on women's health, including (a) wellness, (b) physical health, (c) screening, (d) lifestyle, (e) emotional, mental and social wellness. • Ohio Northern University participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Hardin County Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
The Mental Health and Recovery Services Board (MHR SB) of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Mental Health and Recovery Services Board (MHR SB) of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties' partners offered school-based social and emotional instruction. • The MHR SB continued to partner with mental and behavioral health agencies to provide community services related to treatment, prevention and postvention, support of clients in the criminal justice system, crisis assessment and referral, special projects, support of clients in navigating community services. • The MHR SB of Allen, Auglaize and Hardin Counties participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).

Continuation of Appendix Table 44. Examples of Impacts and Accomplishments of the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County During Fiscal Year 2023 to 2024

Community Partner	Examples of Impacts and Accomplishments
Kenton-Hardin Health Department	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Kenton-Hardin Health Department increased the community's access to naloxone • The Kenton-Hardin Health Department has initiated its bike program to promote physical activity and stress management. • The Health Department conducted various drive thru flu vaccine clinic. • The Health Department led the conduct of the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and the 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP). • The Health Department contracted with the Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio in the conduct of the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment.
Family Resource Center	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Family Resource Center improved access to mental and behavioral health services through telemedicine. • The Family Resource Center Participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and the 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
Women, Infants and Children (WIC)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Women, Infants and Children (WIC) and the Kenton-Hardin Health Department distributed 24 car seats • The Women, Infants and Children (WIC) hosted the drive-thru "Farmer's Market" in the 500 E. Columbus Street parking lot. WIC distributed 175 boxes of local produce worth \$30 each box. The produce were obtained from VanScoy Farms, which also led the coordination of the produce distribution. The produce distribution at discounted amount was in addition to the fruits and vegetables allocated amount that is loaded in WIC cards each month. • The Women, Infants and Children (WIC) also maintained a community garden by the WIC building at 500 E. Columbus Street where people could pick their own produce. • WIC participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
Hardin County Family Young Men Christian Association (Hardin County Family YMCA)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Hardin County Family YMCA held a Healthy Kids Day on April 29, 2023. Several community stakeholders collaborated to promote health and safety among kids. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> + The Kenton Fire Department initiated the "Touch a Truck" event. + The Kenton Police Department presented on bike safety. + The Ohio Northern University Healthwise provided screenings, immunization, and health education. + The Future Farmers of America (FFA) hosted the "Petting Zoo". • The Hardin County Family YMCA participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).

Continuation of Appendix Table 44. Examples of Impacts and Accomplishments of the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County During Fiscal Year 2023 to 2024

Community Partner	Examples of Impacts and Accomplishments
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital addressed access to care by having an oncologist in the Infusion Center, Oncology Nurse Practitioner, and an Obstetrics/Gynecologist (OB/GYN) in the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Specialty Center • OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital also initiated the Walk with a Doc event in November 2022 • OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital collaborated with the Hardin County Sheriff's Office and other community stakeholders with the "Drug Take Back Day" • OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital increased access for Ear, Nose and Throat (ENT) and pain management physicians and surgeons • OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital started providing Hardin County residents with access to the OhioHealth Mobile Mammography unit for the North region. • OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital improved access of patients to obstetrician/gynecologist (OB/GYN), urology specialists, and pain management services at OhioHealth office spaces through collaborations with other health systems. • OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital participated in the 2022 Hardin County Community Health Assessment (CHA) and 2024-2027 Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP).
Hardin County Chamber and Business Alliance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Actively collaborated with the Healthy Lifestyles Coalition of Hardin County to ensure that the events led by the Coalition and other community stakeholders are shared among members.
Prevention Awareness Support Services (PASS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PASS conducted gatekeeper groups in Kenton City Schools District and Upper Scioto Valley School District • PASS conducted the WISE program in Lima, Ohio. • Pass conducted several evidence-based prevention programs for child abuse, alcohol and other drugs, mental illness, suicide, problem gambling. • PASS promoted awareness programs, education and training and support groups.

CD – 5. OhioHealth as a Tobacco-Free Environment

OhioHealth and OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to be a tobacco-free environment. Tobacco use is not permitted inside or outside any OhioHealth property.

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth as a Tobacco-Free Environment (CD – 5)

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital has fully implemented its Tobacco-Free Environment during Fiscal Years 2023-2025. Tobacco use (including e-cigarettes) is not permitted inside or outside any OhioHealth property (OhioHealth 2015-2024).

CD – 6. OhioHealth Diabetes Self-Management and Support

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to offer the Diabetes Self-Management Education and Support (DSMES). The OhioHealth registered dietitian will discuss key topics such as (but not limited to):

- CD – 6.1.** Pathophysiology of diabetes
- CD – 6.2.** Nutrition and diabetes
- CD – 6.3.** Vaccines and diabetes
- CD – 6.4.** Medications for diabetes
- CD – 6.5.** Foot care
- CD – 6.6.** High blood sugars (Hyperglycemia) and low blood sugars (hypoglycemia)
- CD – 6.7.** Monitoring of blood sugars and interpretation of findings
- CD – 6.8.** Learning activities
- CD – 6.9.** Sick-day management
- CD – 6.10.** Managing stress
- CD – 6.11.** Traveling with diabetes
- CD – 6.12.** Complications of diabetes
- CD – 6.13.** ABC's of diabetes

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth Diabetes Self-Management and Support (CD – 6).

As part of evidenced-based care, OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital educates its patients about diabetes management and provides appropriate education materials that addresses the patient's diagnosis and needs. These patient education materials are integrated into the OhioHealth Electronic Health Records (EPIC). OhioHealth has developed evidenced-based diabetes education references and materials, including but not limited to:

- Solutions for Living Better with Diabetes. Managing your Diabetes One Step at a Time
- Diabetes Plate Method
- Gestational Diabetes Toolkit
- Understanding Diabetes

Appendix Table 45 summarizes the number of patients with diagnoses of diabetes who were served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital inpatient, Emergency Department, Urgent Care, and other OhioHealth Physician Group (OPG) outpatient facilities in Hardin County.

Appendix Table 45. Summary of number of patients hospitalized at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital who received either education materials about diabetes or educated about diabetes management

OhioHealth Facility	Address	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Count of Persons Served with Diabetes Diagnosis	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Count of Persons Served with Diabetes Diagnosis
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Inpatient	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	105 patients	239 patients
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	861 patients	954 patients
Urgent Care Kenton	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	402 patients	512 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group (Outpatient) Clinics			
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician Washington Boulevard	75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 102, Kenton, Ohio 43326	940 patients	1,058 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician S. Main Street	460 S. Main St, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	403 patients	417 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician Forest	216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843	119 patients	130 patients

CD – 7. OhioHealth Inpatient and Outpatient Chronic Disease Management

OhioHealth Physician Group and OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to offer high quality care and health education for patients diagnosed with diabetes, obesity, or tobacco abuse or vaping.

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Impacts During Fiscal Year 2023-2025 Related to OhioHealth Inpatient and Outpatient Chronic Disease Management (CD – 7)

During Fiscal Years 2023-2025, OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and OhioHealth Physician Group (OPG) has provided high quality and evidenced-based care to patients diagnosed with diabetes, obesity, tobacco abuse or vaping. **Appendix Table 46** summarizes the number of patients served by OhioHealth facilities in Hardin County who have these diagnoses. **Appendix Table 47** summarizes the number of patients who were referred to an OhioHealth dietitian or nutritionist by providers from OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and other OhioHealth facilities in Hardin County.

Appendix Table 46. Summary of patients with diagnoses of diabetes, obesity, tobacco abuse and vaping who received health care services from OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital inpatient, Emergency Department, Urgent Care, and OhioHealth Physician Group Clinics. Medical treatment, health education and community referrals were provided to patients when applicable.

OhioHealth Facility	Address	Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Count of Persons served with Diagnosis	FY 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Count of Persons Served with Diagnosis
Hospitalized/ Inpatient	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	Diabetes	244 patients	239 patients
		Obesity	543 patients	504 patients
		Tobacco abuse	344 patients	332 patients
		Vaping	18 patients	23 patients
Emergency Department	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	Diabetes	1,134 patients	1,031 patients
		Obesity	2,722 patients	2,779 patients
		Tobacco abuse	2,722 patients	2,762 patients
		Vaping	381 patients	312 patients
OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	Diabetes	402 patients	461 patients
		Obesity	1,260 patients	1,395 patients
		Tobacco abuse	928 patients	1,001 patients
		Vaping	132 patients	200 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician	75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 102, Kenton, Ohio 43326	Diabetes	881 patients	982 patients
		Obesity	2,614 patients	2,654 patients
		Tobacco abuse	1,128 patients	1,062 patients
		Vaping	86 patients	101 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician S. Main Street	460 S. Main St, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	Diabetes	404 patients	399 patients
		Obesity	686 patients	739 patients
		Tobacco abuse	299 patients	303 patients
		Vaping	15 patients	18 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician Forest	216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843	Diabetes	119 patients	120 patients
		Obesity	257 patients	273 patients
		Tobacco abuse	115 patients	125 patients
		Vaping	7 patients	11 patients

Appendix Table 47. Summary of patients who have a diagnosis of diabetes and served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and OhioHealth health care facilities in Hardin County and referred to a dietitian or nutritionist

OhioHealth Facility	Address	Fiscal Year 2023 (7/1/2022 to 6/30/2023) Count of Patients Served with Diabetes Diagnosis and Seen by a Dietitian or Nutritionist	Fiscal Year 2024 (7/1/2023 to 6/30/2024) Count of Patients Served with Diabetes Diagnosis and Seen by a Dietitian or Nutritionist
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	43 patients	46 patients
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Inpatient	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	51 patients	33 patients
Urgent Care Kenton	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	4 patients	5 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group (Outpatient) Clinics			
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician	75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 102, Kenton, Ohio 43326	15 patients	11 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician S. Main Street	460 S. Main St, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	13 patients	8 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician Forest	216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843	4 patients	1 patient

Priority Health Need 3. Access to Health Care (AHC)

AHC – 1. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and OhioHealth Physician Group Programs and Services

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to provide Hardin County residents with access to high quality primary care, including (but not limited to) (a) preventive, wellness and illness care; (b) physical exams, school and sports physicals; (c) women's health services; and (d) management of chronic diseases or conditions like diabetes or asthma.

- AHC – 1.1. Christina M. Crum, MD** — specializes in internal medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326.
- AHC – 1.2. Kalyan K. Das, MD** — specializes in internal medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 102, Kenton, Ohio 43326.
- AHC – 1.3. Jeffrey L. Neuhauser, MD** — specializes in family medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326.
- AHC – 1.4. Norma J. Ogbonna, MD** — specializes in family medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 103, Kenton, Ohio 43326.
- AHC – 1.5. Holly Renee Recob, DO** — specializes in family medicine at OhioHealth Physician Group located at 460 S. Main St., Mount Victory, Ohio 43340.
- AHC – 1.6. Paul D. Wesson II, DO** — specializes in family medicine at Kenton Family Practice located at 75 Washington Blvd, Suite 101, Kenton, Ohio 43326.
- AHC – 1.7. Brian L. Schmidt, DO** — specializes in family medicine at Bellefontaine Community Health Center located at 212 E. Columbus Avenue, Suite 1, Bellefontaine, Ohio 43311.
- AHC – 1.8. Pamela E. Kaprally, MD** — specializes in family medicine at Memorial Family Medicine/Richwood located at 19. W. Ottawa Street, Richwood, Ohio 43344.
- AHC – 1.9. Melissa O. Mekesa, MD** — specializes in family medicine at OhioHealth Honda located at 21001 State Route 739, Raymond, Ohio 43067.
- AHC – 1.10. Urgent Care Kenton** — specializes in urgent care at 921 E. Franklin St., Kenton, Ohio 43326

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Impacts in Fiscal Year 2023 to 2025 Related to OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and OhioHealth Physician Group Programs and Services (AHC –1)

The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital provides patients with access to inpatient care, emergency care, urgent care, specialty care services. The OhioHealth Physician Group (OPG) provides patients with access to outpatient care services. See **Appendix Table 48** for total patents served by OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and OhioHealth Physician Group clinics in Hardin County. **Appendix Tables 49 to 66** shows the top diagnoses of patients served at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital inpatient, Emergency Department, Urgent Care, OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician Clinics, Specialty Clinics, and Heart and Vascular Clinics. These data manifest the significant impact of OhioHealth programs and services in addressing access to care in Hardin County.

Appendix Table 48. Total number of patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital, Emergency Department, Urgent Care and other OhioHealth outpatient clinics in Hardin County, Ohio

Hospital Facility/Outpatient Clinic	Address	Fiscal Year 2023 Number of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Number of Patients Served
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	5,563 patients	5,465 patients
OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Inpatient	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	577 patients	537 patients
Urgent Care Kenton	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	4,110 patients	5,125 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group (Outpatient) Clinics			
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician Washington Boulevard	75 Washington Boulevard, Suite 102, Kenton, Ohio 43326	5,754 patients	4,651 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician S. Main Street	460 S. Main St, Mount Victory, Ohio 43340	1,469 patients	1,163 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physician Forest	216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843	562 patients	560 patients
OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians Washington Boulevard	75 Washington Blvd Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43326	704 patients	215 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Heart and Vascular	75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326	752 patients	No data
OhioHealth Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	351 patients	444 patients
OhioHealth Hardin Specialty Clinic Orthopedics	921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326	837 patients	974 patients

Appendix Table 49. Top Diagnoses among patients admitted at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital (Inpatient) in Fiscal Year 2023

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=577 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	491 patients	85.10%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	463 patients	80.20%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	347 patients	60.10%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to covid-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	290 patients	50.30%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	244 patients	42.30%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	237 patients	41.10%
Acute kidney failure, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: N17.9)	224 patients	38.80%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	215 patients	37.30%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	214 patients	37.10%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	214 patients	37.10%
Hypokalemia (ICD-10-CM: E87.6)	210 patients	36.40%
Abnormal electrocardiogram (ECG) (EKG)(ICD-10-CM: R94.31)	204 patients	35.40%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	201 patients	34.80%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	193 patients	33.40%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J44.9)	192 patients	33.30%

Continuation of Appendix Table 49. Top Diagnoses among patients admitted at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital (Inpatient) in Fiscal Year 2023

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=577 patients)
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	187 patients	32.40%
Old myocardial infarction (ICD-10-CM: I25.2)	181 patients	31.40%
Anemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: D64.9)	178 patients	30.80%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	178 patients	30.80%
Shortness of breath (ICD-10-CM: R06.02)	170 patients	29.50%

Appendix Table 50. Top Diagnoses among patients admitted at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital (Inpatient) in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is located at 921 E Franklin St, Kenton, OH 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=537 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	451 patients	84%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	437 patients	81.40%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	341 patients	63.50%
Abnormal electrocardiogram (ECG) (EKG) (ICD-10-CM: R94.31)	214 patients	39.90%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	212 patients	39.50%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	209 patients	38.90%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	208 patients	38.70%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	207 patients	38.50%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	207 patients	38.50%
Old myocardial infarction (ICD-10-CM: I25.2)	202 patients	37.60%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	189 patients	35.20%
Acute kidney failure, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: N17.9)	185 patients	34.50%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	179 patients	33.30%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	178 patients	33.10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 50. Top Diagnoses among patients admitted at OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital (Inpatient) in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is located at 921 E Franklin St, Kenton, OH 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=537 patients)
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J44.9)	177 patients	33%
Anemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: D64.9)	174 patients	32.40%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	173 patients	32.20%
Weakness (ICD-10-CM: R53.1)	173 patients	32.20%
Shortness of breath (ICD-10-CM: R06.02)	169 patients	31.50%
Hypokalemia (ICD-10-CM: E87.6)	166 patients	30.90%

Appendix Table 51. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department is located at 921 E Franklin St, Kenton, OH 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=5,565 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	3,671 patients	66.0%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	2,116 patients	38.0%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	1,635 patients	29.4%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to COVID-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	1,560 patients	28.0%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	1,341 patients	24.1%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	1,053 patients	18.9%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	1,013 patients	18.2%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	1,001 patients	18.0%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	996 patients	17.9%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	888 patients	16.0%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	826 patients	14.8%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	796 patients	14.3%

Continuation of Appendix Table 51. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department is located at 921 E Franklin St, Kenton, OH 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=5,565 patients)
Long term (current) use of oral hypoglycemic drugs (ICD-10-CM: Z79.84)	660 patients	11.9%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	648 patients	11.6%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	632 patients	11.4%
COVID-19 (ICD-10-CM: U07.1)	629 patients	11.3%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J44.9)	616 patients	11.1%
Abnormal electrocardiogram (ECG) (ICD-10-CM: R94.31)	614 patients	11.0%
Unspecified asthma, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: J45.909)	579 patients	10.4%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	563 patients	10.1%

Appendix Table 52. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department is located at 921 E Franklin St, Kenton, OH 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N= 5,465 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	3544 patients	64.80%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	1986 patients	36.30%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	1496 patients	27.40%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	1206 patients	22.10%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	944 patients	17.30%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	799 patients	14.60%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	767 patients	14%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	764 patients	14%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	752 patients	13.80%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	717 patients	13.10%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	681 patients	12.50%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	639 patients	11.70%
Abnormal electrocardiogram (ECG) (EKG) (ICD-10-CM: R94.31)	611 patients	11.20%
Unspecified asthma, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: J45.909)	608 patients	11.10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 52. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Emergency Department is located at 921 E Franklin St, Kenton, OH 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N= 5,465 patients)
Long term (current) use of oral hypoglycemic drugs (ICD-10-CM: Z79.84)	602 patients	11%
Nicotine dependence, other tobacco product, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.290)	591 patients	10.80%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	591 patients	10.80%
Unspecified abdominal pain (ICD-10-CM: R10.9)	583 patients	10.70%
Acute upper respiratory infection, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J06.9)	546 patients	10%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	544 patients	10%

Appendix Table 53. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton in Fiscal Year 2023. The Urgent Care Kenton is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (4,074 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	1235 patients	30.30%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to covid-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	1022 patients	25.10%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	941 patients	23.10%
Acute pharyngitis, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J02.9)	622 patients	15.30%
COVID-19 (ICD-10-CM: U07.1)	513 patients	12.60%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	493 patients	12.10%
Acute upper respiratory infection, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J06.9)	468 patients	11.50%
Viral infection, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: B34.9)	421 patients	10.30%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	417 patients	10.20%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	415 patients	10.20%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	387 patients	9.50%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	365 patients	9%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	361 patients	8.90%

Continuation of Appendix Table 53. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton in Fiscal Year 2023. The Urgent Care Kenton is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (4,074 patients)
Streptococcal pharyngitis (ICD-10-CM: J02.0)	361 patients	8.90%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	355 patients	8.70%
Fever, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R50.9)	344 patients	8.40%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	336 patients	8.20%
Nicotine dependence, unspecified, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.200)	319 patients	7.80%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	298 patients	7.30%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	291 patients	7.10%

Appendix Table 54. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton in Fiscal Year 2024. The Urgent Care Kenton is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=4,819 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	1341 patients	27.80%
Acute pharyngitis, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J02.9)	1043 patients	21.60%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	976 patients	20.30%
Acute upper respiratory infection, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J06.9)	654 patients	13.60%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	535 patients	11.10%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	527 patients	10.90%
Fever, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R50.9)	497 patients	10.30%
Encounter for screening for COVID-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z11.52)	495 patients	10.30%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	438 patients	9.10%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	429 patients	8.90%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	423 patients	8.80%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	393 patients	8.20%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to covid-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	390 patients	8.10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 54. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Urgent Care Kenton is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=4,819 patients)
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	364 patients	7.60%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	357 patients	7.40%
Acute cough (ICD-10-CM: R05.1)	353 patients	7.30%
Cough, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R05.9)	353 patients	7.30%
Viral infection, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: B34.9)	334 patients	6.90%
Nicotine dependence, unspecified, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.200)	333 patients	6.90%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	328 patients	6.80%

Appendix Table 55. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. is located at 216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=450 patients)
Persons encountering health services in other specified circumstances (ICD-10-CM: Z76.89)	290 patients	64.40%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	202 patients	44.90%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	176 patients	39.10%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	131 patients	29.10%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	125 patients	27.80%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	98 patients	21.80%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	86 patients	19.10%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	86 patients	19.10%
History of falling (ICD-10-CM: Z91.81)	85 patients	18.90%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon (ICD-10-CM: Z12.11)	78 patients	17.30%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	77 patients	17.10%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	75 patients	16.70%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	74 patients	16.40%

Continuation of Appendix Table 55. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. is located at 216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=450 patients)
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	71 patients	15.80%
Encounter for other screening for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.39)	64 patients	14.20%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	61 patients	13.60%
Insomnia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: G47.00)	59 patients	13.10%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	56 patients	12.40%
Vitamin D deficiency, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E55.9)	56 patients	12.40%
Mixed hyperlipidemia (ICD-10-CM: E78.2)	51 patients	11.30%

Appendix Table 56. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. is located at 216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N= 507 patients)
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	215 patients	42.40%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	189 patients	37.30%
Other long term (current) drug therapy(IC D-10-CM: Z79.899)	149 patients	29.40%
Persons encountering health services in other specified circumstances (ICD-10-CM: Z76.89)	136 patients	26.80%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	131 patients	25.80%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	103 patients	20.30%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	89 patients	17.60%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	74 patients	14.60%
Acute upper respiratory infection, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J06.9)	73 patients	14.40%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	72 patients	14.20%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	72 patients	14.20%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	71 patients	14%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	71 patients	14%

Appendix Table 56. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Lima St. is located at 216 E. Lima Street, Forest, Ohio 45843.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N= 507 patients)
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	69 patients	13.60%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	68 patients	13.40%
History of falling (ICD-10-CM: Z91.81)	62 patients	12.20%
Encounter for routine child health examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.129)	59 patients	11.60%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon (ICD-10-CM: Z12.11)	58 patients	11.40%
Vitamin D deficiency, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E55.9)	57 patients	11.20%
Encounter for follow-up examination after completed treatment for conditions other than malignant neoplasm (ICD-10-CM: Z09)	55 patients	10.80%

Appendix Table 57. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. is located at 460 S. Main Street, Mt Victory, Ohio 43340.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	806 patients	54.9%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	491 patients	33.4%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	456 patients	31.0%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	378 patients	25.7%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	333 patients	22.7%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	310 patients	21.1%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	309 patients	21.0%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	306 patients	20.8%
History of falling (ICD-10-CM: Z91.81)	284 patients	19.3%
Mixed hyperlipidemia (ICD-10-CM: E78.2)	278 patients	18.9%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon (ICD-10-CM: Z12.11)	263 patients	17.9%

Continuation of Appendix Table 57. Top 20 Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. is located at 460 S. Main Street, Mt Victory, Ohio 43340.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	223 patients	15.2%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	213 patients	14.5%
Encounter for screening for lipid disorders (ICD-10-CM: Z13.220)	213 patients	14.5%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of prostate (ICD-10-CM: Z12.5)	204 patients	13.9%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	200 patients	13.6%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	194 patients	13.2%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	191 patients	13.0%
Prediabetes (ICD-10-CM: R73.03)	185 patients	12.6%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	183 patients	12.5%

Appendix Table 58. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. is located at 460 S. Main Street, Mt Victory, Ohio 43340.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=1,041 patients)
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	594 patients	57.10%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	410 patients	39.40%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	359 patients	34.50%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	356 patients	34.20%
History of falling (ICD-10-CM: Z91.81)	282 patients	27.10%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	264 patients	25.40%
Mixed hyperlipidemia (ICD-10-CM: E78.2)	262 patients	25.20%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon (ICD-10-CM: Z12.11)	247 patients	23.70%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	243 patients	23.30%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	243 patients	23.30%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	221 patients	21.20%
Encounter for screening for lipid disorders (ICD-10-CM: Z13.220)	221 patients	21.20%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	215 patients	20.70%

Coordination of Appendix Table 58. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians S. Main St. is located at 460 S. Main Street, Mt Victory, Ohio 43340.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=1,041 patients)
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of prostate (ICD-10-CM: Z12.5)	199 patients	19.10%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	199 patients	19.10%
Chronic fatigue, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R53.82)	194 patients	18.60%
Prediabetes (ICD-10-CM: R73.03)	190 patients	18.30%
Hyperglycemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R73.9)	173 patients	16.60%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	159 patients	15.30%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	158 patients	15.20%

Appendix Table 59. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=3,911 patients)
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	2175 patients	55.60%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	1447 patients	37%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	1275 patients	32.60%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	1208 patients	30.90%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	1023 patients	26.20%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	937 patients	24%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	846 patients	21.60%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	737 patients	18.80%
Mixed hyperlipidemia (ICD-10-CM: E78.2)	711 patients	18.20%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	703 patients	18%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	641 patients	16.40%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	595 patients	15.20%
History of falling (ICD-10-CM: Z91.81)	589 patients	15.10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 59. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard in Fiscal Year 2023. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=3,911 patients)
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	564 patients	14.40%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to covid-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	520 patients	13.30%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon (ICD-10-CM: Z12.11)	499 patients	12.80%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	496 patients	12.70%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	463 patients	11.80%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	453 patients	11.60%
Low back pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: M54.50)	453 patients	11.60%

Appendix Table 60. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=3,949 patients)
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	2140 patients	54.20%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	1446 patients	36.60%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	1425 patients	36.10%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	1179 patients	29.90%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	950 patients	24.10%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	863 patients	21.90%
Mixed hyperlipidemia(ICD-10-CM: E78.2)	862 patients	21.80%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications(ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	741 patients	18.80%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	705 patients	17.90%
Encounter for general adult medical examination with abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.01)	682 patients	17.30%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	638 patients	16.20%
History of falling (ICD-10-CM: Z91.81)	584 patients	14.80%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	574 patients	14.50%

Appendix Table 60. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard in Fiscal Year 2024. The OhioHealth Physician Group Primary Care Physicians Washington Boulevard is located at 75 Washington Boulevard, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=3,949 patients)
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	569 patients	14.40%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	567 patients	14.40%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	502 patients	12.70%
Vitamin D deficiency, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E55.9)	499 patients	12.60%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon (ICD-10-CM: Z12.11)	491 patients	12.40%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	453 patients	11.50%
Low back pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: M54.50)	430 patients	10.90%

Appendix Table 61. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology in Fiscal Year 2023. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=304 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	232 patients	76.30%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	221 patients	72.70%
Obstructive sleep apnea (adult) (pediatric) (ICD-10-CM: G47.33)	164 patients	53.90%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J44.9)	161 patients	53%
Shortness of breath (ICD-10-CM: R06.02)	148 patients	48.70%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	144 patients	47.40%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	116 patients	38.20%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	109 patients	35.90%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	108 patients	35.50%
Long term (current) use of inhaled steroids (ICD-10-CM: Z79.51)	94 patients	30.90%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	86 patients	28.30%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	86 patients	28.30%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	86 patients	28.30%

Continuation of Appendix Table 61. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology in Fiscal Year 2023. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=304 patients)
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	86 patients	28.30%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to covid-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	85 patients	28%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	81 patients	26.60%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	77 patients	25.30%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	76 patients	25%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of respiratory organs (ICD-10-CM: Z12.2)	72 patients	23.70%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	71 patients	23.40%

Appendix Table 62. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology in Fiscal Year 2024. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=316 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	258 patients	81.60%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	224 patients	70.90%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J44.9)	172 patients	54.40%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	165 patients	52.20%
Obstructive sleep apnea (adult) (pediatric) (ICD-10-CM: G47.33)	160 patients	50.60%
Shortness of breath (ICD-10-CM: R06.02)	158 patients	50%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	118 patients	37.30%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	116 patients	36.70%
Long term (current) use of inhaled steroids (ICD-10-CM: Z79.51)	110 patients	34.80%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	100 patients	31.60%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	99 patients	31.30%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	97 patients	30.70%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	83 patients	26.30%

Continuation of Appendix Table 62. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology in Fiscal Year 2024. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Pulmonology is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=316 patients)
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	81 patients	25.60%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of respiratory organs (ICD-10-CM: Z12.2)	80 patients	25.30%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	80 patients	25.30%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	72 patients	22.80%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	71 patients	22.50%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease with (acute) exacerbation (ICD-10-CM: J44.1)	71 patients	22.50%
Mixed hyperlipidemia (ICD-10-CM: E78.2)	71 patients	22.50%

Appendix Table 63. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery in Fiscal Year 2023. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=837 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	472 patients	56.40%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	424 patients	50.70%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	282 patients	33.70%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	235 patients	28.10%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	214 patients	25.60%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	179 patients	21.40%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	176 patients	21%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to COVID-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	175 patients	20.90%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	166 patients	19.80%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	160 patients	19.10%
Pain in left knee (ICD-10-CM: M25.562)	160 patients	19.10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 63. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery in Fiscal Year 2023. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=837 patients)
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	156	18.60%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	153	18.30%
Pain in right knee (ICD-10-CM: M25.561)	152	18.20%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	152	18.20%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	149	17.80%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	147	17.60%
Other specified postprocedural states (ICD-10-CM: Z98.890)	145	17.30%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	131	15.70%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	127	15.20%

Appendix Table 64. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery in Fiscal Year 2024. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=974 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	481 patients	49.40%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	453 patients	46.50%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	290 patients	29.80%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	266 patients	27.30%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	224 patients	23%
Pain in right knee (ICD-10-CM: M25.561)	194 patients	19.90%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	193 patients	19.80%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	191 patients	19.60%
Pain in left knee (ICD-10-CM: M25.562)	191 patients	19.60%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	175 patients	18%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	173 patients	17.80%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	167 patients	17.10%
Unilateral primary osteoarthritis, right knee (ICD-10-CM: M17.11)	162 patients	16.60%

Continuation of Appendix Table 64. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery in Fiscal Year 2024. The Hardin Specialty Clinic Musculoskeletal and Orthopedic Surgery is located at 921 E. Franklin Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=974 patients)
Unilateral primary osteoarthritis, left knee (ICD-10-CM: M17.12)	157 patients	16.10%
Chest pain, unspecified(ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	156 patients	16%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified(ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	152 patients	15.60%
Low back pain, unspecified(ICD-10-CM: M54.50)	146 patients	15%
Other specified postprocedural states (ICD-10-CM: Z98.890)	144 patients	14.80%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	142 patients	14.60%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	141 patients	14.50%

Appendix Table 65. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians in Fiscal Year 2023. The Heart and Vascular Physicians in 75 Washington Boulevard Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=324 patients)
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	225 patients	69.40%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	172 patients	53.10%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	166 patients	51.20%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	105 patients	32.40%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	100 patients	30.90%
Peripheral vascular disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: I73.9)	99 patients	30.60%
Palpitations (ICD-10-CM: R00.2)	91 patients	28.10%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	82 patients	25.30%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	82 patients	25.30%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	79 patients	24.40%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	77 patients	23.80%
Abnormal electrocardiogram (ECG) (EKG) (ICD-10-CM: R94.31)	75 patients	23.10%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	75 patients	23.10%

Continuation of Appendix Table 65. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians in Fiscal Year 2023. The Heart and Vascular Physicians in 75 Washington Boulevard Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=324 patients)
Shortness of breath (ICD-10-CM: R06.02)	70 patients	21.60%
Long term (current) use of anticoagulants (ICD-10-CM: Z79.01)	68 patients	21%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	65 patients	20.10%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	65 patients	20.10%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J44.9)	64 patients	19.80%
Dizziness and giddiness (ICD-10-CM: R42)	63 patients	19.40%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to covid-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	60 patients	18.50%

Appendix Table 66. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians in Fiscal Year 2024. The Heart and Vascular Physicians in 75 Washington Boulevard Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=313 patients)
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	208 patients	66.50%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	163 patients	52.10%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	144 patients	46%
Peripheral vascular disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: I73.9)	125 patients	39.90%
Chest pain, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: R07.9)	89 patients	28.40%
Palpitations (ICD-10-CM: R00.2)	88 patients	28.10%
Atherosclerotic heart disease of native coronary artery without angina pectoris (ICD-10-CM: I25.10)	85 patients	27.20%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	84 patients	26.80%
Mixed hyperlipidemia (ICD-10-CM: E78.2)	81 patients	25.90%
Type 2 diabetes mellitus without complications (ICD-10-CM: E11.9)	79 patients	25.20%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	71 patients	22.70%
Shortness of breath (ICD-10-CM: R06.02)	70 patients	22.40%
Abnormal electrocardiogram (ECG) (ICD-10-CM: R94.31)	68 patients	21.70%

Continuation of Appendix Table 66. Top Diagnoses among patients served by the OhioHealth Heart and Vascular Physicians in Fiscal Year 2024. The Heart and Vascular Physicians in 75 Washington Boulevard Suite 104, Kenton, Ohio 43326.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=313 patients)
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	68 patients	21.70%
Long term (current) use of aspirin (ICD-10-CM: Z79.82)	65 patients	20.80%
Other chronic pain (ICD-10-CM: G89.29)	64 patients	20.40%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	63 patients	20.10%
Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: J44.9)	59 patients	18.80%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	58 patients	18.50%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	53 patients	16.90%

AHC – 2. OhioHealth Obstetrics/Gynecology (OB/GYN) Programs and Services

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to provide Hardin County residents with access to high quality obstetrics and gynecology care, including maternity care, gynecology, breastfeeding, and women's health classes. In addition to obstetrician/gynecologist (OB/GYN) physicians from Avina Women's Care who are affiliated with OhioHealth, the OhioHealth Physician Group OB/GYN physician, Dr. Kelly Tucker, will continue to provide OB/GYN care at the OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital's Specialty Clinic, 921 E. Franklin St, Kenton, Ohio 43326. Dr. Tucker will deliver babies at OhioHealth Marion General Hospital. The Avina Women's Care physicians provide care at (a) 2527 US Highway 68 S Ste 1, Bellefontaine, Ohio 43311, and (b) 150 Morey Drive, Marysville, Ohio 43040

OhioHealth Maternity Care involves services such as (but not limited to): (a) specialized and personalized prenatal care; (b) postpartum care and inter-conceptional care; (c) access to Maternal-fetal Medicine specialists; and (d) access to Nationwide Children's Hospital's neonatal intensive care units that are available at our maternity hospitals close to Hardin County. These maternity hospitals include OhioHealth Marion General Hospital, OhioHealth Grady Memorial Hospital, and OhioHealth Riverside Methodist Hospital (OhioHealth 2015-2021).

OhioHealth Gynecology Care involves services such as (but not limited to): (a) access to annual well-woman exams; (b) fertility issues, family planning, birth control; (c) screening for sexually transmitted diseases; (d) menopause counseling and hormone therapy; (e) menstrual regularity; (f) clinical breast exams; (g) minimally invasive and non-invasive treatment options for gynecologic conditions; (h) guidance on adult female screenings, breast cancer, osteoporosis, cervical cancer and other conditions; (i) adolescent care, including first gynecology visit, evaluation of menstrual issues for adolescents, annual Pap Smear, Human Papilloma Virus (HPV) vaccine, and treatment for uterine fibroids (OhioHealth 2015-2021).

OhioHealth Breastfeeding Support and Private Consult Services such as (but not limited to): (a) learning breastfeeding techniques during pregnancy; (b) learning how to breastfeed a newborn baby; (c) learning how to breastfeed a preterm baby or a baby with special healthcare needs; (d) desire to breastfeed an adopted baby; (e) breastfeeding multiple infants (twins or triplets); (f) considerations for going back to work whilst breastfeeding baby; (g) access to private breastfeeding consults to learn about nipple and breast care instructions, attachment and positioning techniques, assessment of amount of breast milk needed, nipple soreness, coaching during actual breastfeeding (OhioHealth 2015-2021).

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The OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology Clinics in Marion, Ohio has provided women's health services to patients from Hardin County. See **Appendix Table 67**. The top 20 women's health diagnoses among the Hardin County patients served are summarized in **Appendix Tables 68 and 71**.

Appendix Table 67. Summary of count of Hardin County patients served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics/Gynecology (OB/GYN) Clinics in Marion County in Fiscal Year 2023 and 2024

OhioHealth Obstetrics/Gynecology (OB/GYN) Clinic	Address	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Visits among Patients Served from Hardin County, Ohio	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served from Hardin County, Ohio	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Visits among Patients Served from Hardin County, Ohio	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served from Hardin County, Ohio
OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Delaware Avenue)	1040 Delaware Avenue, Marion, Ohio 43302	264 visits	117 patients	401 visits	125 patients
OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Harding Memorial Parkway b)	1073 Harding Memorial Parkway b, Marion, Ohio 43302	61 visits	32 patients	36 visits	24 patients

Appendix Table 68. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Delaware Avenue) in Fiscal Years 2023. The Clinic is located at 1040 Delaware Avenue, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=117 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	68 patients	58.10%
Encounter for gynecological examination (general) (routine) without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z01.419)	65 patients	55.60%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	55 patients	47%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	50 patients	42.70%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of cervix (ICD-10-CM: Z12.4)	43 patients	36.80%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	35 patients	29.90%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	31 patients	26.50%
Contact with and (suspected) exposure to covid-19 (ICD-10-CM: Z20.822)	29 patients	24.80%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	29 patients	24.80%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	29 patients	24.80%
Other specified postprocedural states (ICD-10-CM: Z98.890)	27 patients	23.10%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	22 patients	18.80%

Continuation of Appendix Table 68. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Delaware Avenue) in Fiscal Years 2023. The Clinic is located at 1040 Delaware Avenue, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N=117 patients)
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	21 patients	17.90%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	21 patients	17.90%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	21 patients	17.90%
Unspecified abdominal pain (ICD-10-CM: R10.9)	20 patients	17.10%
Dysuria (ICD-10-CM: R30.0)	19 patients	16.20%
Other specified noninflammatory disorders of vagina (ICD-10-CM: N89.8)	19 patients	16.20%
Pelvic and perineal pain (ICD-10-CM: R10.2)	19 patients	16.20%
Personal history of nicotine dependence(ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	18 patients	15.40%

Appendix Table 69. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Delaware Avenue) in Fiscal Years 2024. The Clinic is located at 1040 Delaware Avenue, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=125 patients)
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	63 patients	50.40%
Encounter for gynecological examination (general) (routine) without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z01.419)	57 patients	45.60%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	40 patients	32%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	40 patients	32%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of cervix (ICD-10-CM: Z12.4)	37 patients	29.60%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	36 patients	28.80%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	31 patients	24.80%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	28 patients	22.40%
Hyperlipidemia, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E78.5)	28 patients	22.40%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	27 patients	21.60%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	25 patients	20%
Abnormal uterine and vaginal bleeding, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: N93.9)	22 patients	17.60%

Continuation of Appendix Table 69. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Delaware Avenue) in Fiscal Years 2024. The Clinic is located at 1040 Delaware Avenue, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N=125 patients)
Encounter for screening for infections with a predominantly sexual mode of transmission (ICD-10-CM: Z11.3)	22 patients	17.60%
Pelvic and perineal pain (ICD-10-CM: R10.2)	22 patients	17.60%
Personal history of nicotine dependence (ICD-10-CM: Z87.891)	22 patients	17.60%
Encounter for other preprocedural examination (ICD-10-CM: Z01.818)	21 patients	16.80%
Encounter for supervision of normal pregnancy, unspecified, unspecified trimester (ICD-10-CM: Z34.90)	19 patients	15.20%
Depression, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F32.A)	17 patients	13.60%
Encounter for pregnancy test, result positive (ICD-10-CM: Z32.01)	17 patients	13.60%
Encounter for other specified antenatal screening (ICD-10-CM: Z36.89)	16 patients	12.80%

Appendix Table 70. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Hardin County Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Harding) in Fiscal Years 2023. The Clinic is located at 1073 Harding Memorial Parkway b, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N= 32 patients)
Encounter for gynecological examination (general) (routine) without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z01.419)	23 patients	71.90%
Encounter for other screening for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.39)	20 patients	62.50%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of cervix (ICD-10-CM: Z12.4)	17 patients	53.10%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	13 patients	40.60%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	12 patients	37.50%
Encounter for screening for infections with a predominantly sexual mode of transmission (ICD-10-CM: Z11.3)	9 patients	28.10%
Other specified postprocedural states (ICD-10-CM: Z98.890)	7 patients	21.90%
Anxiety disorder, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: F41.9)	5 patients	15.60%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	5 patients	15.60%
Encounter for initial prescription of contraceptive pills (ICD-10-CM: Z30.011)	5 patients	15.60%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of vagina (ICD-10-CM: Z12.72)	5 patients	15.60%

Appendix Table 70. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Hardin County Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Harding) in Fiscal Years 2023. The Clinic is located at 1073 Harding Memorial Parkway b, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2023 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2023 Percent of Patients Served (N= 32 patients)
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	5 patients	15.60%
Hypothyroidism, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E03.9)	5 patients	15.60%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	5 patients	15.60%
Acquired absence of both cervix and uterus (ICD-10-CM: Z90.710)	4 patients	12.50%
Encounter for other general counseling and advice on contraception (ICD-10-CM: Z30.09)	4 patients	12.50%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of colon (ICD-10-CM: Z12.11)	4 patients	12.50%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	4 patients	12.50%
Long term (current) use of hormonal contraceptives (ICD-10-CM: Z79.3)	4 patients	12.50%
Calculus of kidney (ICD-10-CM: N20.0)	3 patients	9.40%

Appendix Table 71. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Hardin County Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Harding) in Fiscal Years 2024. The Clinic is located at 1073 Harding Memorial Parkway b, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N= 24 patients)
Encounter for gynecological examination (general) (routine) without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z01.419)	21 patients	87.50%
Encounter for screening for malignant neoplasm of cervix (ICD-10-CM: Z12.4)	18 patients	75%
Encounter for other screening for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.39)	14 patients	58.30%
Encounter for screening for infections with a predominantly sexual mode of transmission (ICD-10-CM: Z11.3)	9 patients	37.50%
Encounter for screening mammogram for malignant neoplasm of breast (ICD-10-CM: Z12.31)	9 patients	37.50%
Other long term (current) drug therapy (ICD-10-CM: Z79.899)	6 patients	25%
Encounter for other general counseling and advice on contraception (ICD-10-CM: Z30.09)	5 patients	20.80%
Essential (primary) hypertension (ICD-10-CM: I10)	5 patients	20.80%
Nicotine dependence, cigarettes, uncomplicated (ICD-10-CM: F17.210)	5 patients	20.80%
Gastro-esophageal reflux disease without esophagitis (ICD-10-CM: K21.9)	4 patients	16.70%
Hypothyroidism, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E03.9)	4 patients	16.70%
Obesity, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: E66.9)	4 patients	16.70%

Continuation of Appendix Table 71. Summary of Top Diagnosis of Hardin County Patients Served by the OhioHealth Physician Group Obstetrics and Gynecology (Harding) in Fiscal Years 2024. The Clinic is located at 1073 Harding Memorial Parkway b, Marion, Ohio 43302.

ICD-10 Diagnoses	Fiscal Year 2024 Count of Patients Served	Fiscal Year 2024 Percent of Patients Served (N= 24 patients)
Other allergic rhinitis (ICD-10-CM: J30.89)	4 patients	16.70%
Smoking (tobacco) complicating pregnancy, third trimester (ICD-10-CM: O99.333)	4 patients	16.70%
34 weeks gestation of pregnancy (ICD-10-CM: Z3A.34)	3 patients	12.50%
37 weeks gestation of pregnancy (ICD-10-CM: Z3A.37)	3 patients	12.50%
38 weeks gestation of pregnancy (ICD-10-CM: Z3A.38)	3 patients	12.50%
Encounter for antenatal screening, unspecified (ICD-10-CM: Z36.9)	3 patients	12.50%
Encounter for general adult medical examination without abnormal findings (ICD-10-CM: Z00.00)	3 patients	12.50%
Encounter for immunization (ICD-10-CM: Z23)	3 patients	12.50%

AHC – 3. OhioHealth Collaborations with Kenton Community Health Center and Cross-Referrals

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital will continue to partner and cross-refer patients with Kenton Community Health Center located at 111 West Espy Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326. The Kenton Community Health Center is affiliated with Health Partners of Western Ohio and offers medical, dental, pharmacy, behavioral health and substance abuse, and social services outreach.

AHC – 3.1. Medical providers – include (a) Warren C. Morris, MD (chief clinical director), (b) Rhonda Medina, MD (obstetrician/gynecologist), and five nurse practitioners. Medical services include wellness and preventive care, episodic sick care, chronic disease management, and laboratory services

AHC – 3.2. Integrated behavioral health and substance abuse providers – include two licensed independent social workers who provides substance abuse treatment and counseling, and medication-assisted treatment

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital Fiscal Years 2023-2025 Impacts Related to OhioHealth Collaborations with Kenton Community Health Center and Cross-Referrals (AHC – 3)

OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital and Kenton Community Health Center have a long history of collaborative work serving Hardin County. Apart from the Kenton Community Health Center, OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital is also aware of the Wildcat Health Center at Kenton Elementary and High School. OhioHealth Hardin Memorial Hospital also recognizes that the Kenton Community Health Center is part of the Health Partners of Western Ohio, which has many outpatient clinics serving Hardin County residents (Health Partners of Western Ohio, 2024). See **Appendix Table 72**. The Community Health Centers provide various services such as (but not limited to):

- **Medical Services** – include (a) wellness and preventative care; (b) short-term sick care; (c) long-term disease management; (d) women’s health services; (e) laboratory services; and (f) obstetrics/childbirth services
- **Oral Health Services** – include (a) cleanings; (b) sealants and fluoride varnishes; (c) fillings and extractions; (d) dentures/partial; (e) Health Partners’ school-based sealant program; (f) mouth guards/night guards; (g) silver diamine fluoride
- **Behavioral Health Services** –include (a) recognition of feelings of depression or anxiety; (b) drug and alcohol abuse; (c) smoking; (d) overeating; (e) identifying the problem of Substance Use Disorder and the right level of help; (f) help patients understand the problem and making a change; (g) prescribing medicines that help resist abuse.
- **Medication-Assisted Treatment (MAT)** – include access to (a) medicines, (b) counseling, (c) behavioral therapies; (d) social support
- **Pharmacy Services** – include (a) full service dispensing in the same building; (b) accepts Medicaid, Medicare Part D; (c) private insurance; (d) up to 50% discounts for patients without insurance; (e) \$4 generic medication program; (f) refill medicines; (g) monthly pickup of medicines; (h) free delivery at some locations; (i) creation of medicine plan; (j) manage medicine costs; (k) count of pills prescribed; (l) side effects of medicines; (m) drug interactions; (n) connecting multiple care providers.
- **Social Services and Outreach** – include (a) access to on-staff social worker; (b) referrals for basic living needs (social determinants of health) for transportation, utilities, food, housing; (c) access to Certified Application Counselors to help with health insurance options; (d) access to affordable healthcare regardless of ability to pay.
- **Substance Use Treatment** – include support to persons with Substance Use Disorder. The team focuses on a patient’s alcohol, drugs, and medication misuse. The team assesses the problem, provides help and support, helps determine the patient’s origin of the problem, and help change, access to prescription medications that help resist substance abuse.

Appendix Table 72. Summary of Health Partners of Western Ohio's Community Health Centers that serve Hardin County residents.

Name of Health Center	Address	Hours of Services	Main Types of Services
Kenton Community Health Center	111 West Espy Street, Kenton, Ohio 43326	Medical: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM-8:00 PM Pharmacy: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM-8:00 PM Dental: Tuesday-Thursday, 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical • Oral health • Behavioral Health • Pharmacy • Social Services and Outreach • Substance Use Treatment
Wildcat Health Center at Kenton Elementary and High School	200 Harding Avenue, Kenton, Ohio 43326	Medical: Monday-Friday 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM (School year only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical • Behavioral Health • Social Services and Outreach • Substance Use Treatment
Spartan Health Center at Lima Senior High School	1 Spartan Way, Lima, Ohio 45801	Medical: Monday-Friday 7:30 AM to 4:00 PM (School year only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical • Behavioral Health • Social Services and Outreach • Substance Use Treatment
Dr. Gene Wright Community Health Center	441 East 8 th Street, Lima, Ohio 45804	Medical: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM-4:30 PM Pharmacy: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM-4:30 PM Dental: Tuesday-Thursday, 8:00 AM to 5:30 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical • Oral health • Behavioral Health • Pharmacy • Social Services and Outreach • Substance Use Treatment

Continuation of Appendix 72. Summary of Community Health Centers that serve Hardin County Residents

Name of Health Center	Address	Hours of Services	Main Types of Services
Health Partners Quick Care	1550 North Main Street, Lima, Ohio 45801	Medical: Monday-Saturday 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM Pharmacy: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM- 8:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical • Behavioral Health • Social Services and Outreach • Substance Use Treatment
North Lima Community Health Center	1550 North Main Street, Lima, Ohio 45801	Medical: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM Pediatrics: 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM Pharmacy: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical • Behavioral Health • Pharmacy • Social Services and Outreach • Substance Use Treatment