

Burlington County Health Department

Annual Report

2013

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Notes From Freeholder Director

Dear Community Members,

The Burlington County Health Department has been hard at work this past year to ensure the safety and wellbeing of all of our residents. Our vision of a healthy Burlington County is made possible by the efforts of the health department and its staff, who work tirelessly to keep us healthy and informed. Through the combined efforts and collaboration of our community partners, neighboring counties, and medical providers the BCHD works hard today for a healthier tomorrow.

The 2013 Annual Report is a brief overview of activities conducted by BCHD to monitor and maintain essential operations within the county. From food safety to immunizations, emergency management to nursing services, BCHD is eager to rise above and beyond expectations. As we reach out to our local businesses, schools, hospitals, health care, providers and our citizens, we move to ensure our number one priority: the health of Burlington County.

BCHD is a tremendous resource for our county. Some of the services offered to residents include immunization clinics, children's clinics, Women, Infant and Children (WIC) nutrition series, home visiting services and many more. These services are provided to keep up with the life demands of our residents. We look forward to engaging the community and providing services and referrals to keep you optimal to enjoy your life.

If you have suggestions that will improve our ability to deliver public health services, please contact our department with your ideas by calling 609-265-5548, or by using our e-mail address, bchd@co.burlington.nj.us.



Sincerely,

Bruce Garganio
Freeholder Director



Notes From The Director

The Burlington County Health Department has been dynamic this past year! In the 2013 edition of our annual report, you will read about services that the Burlington County Health Department provides to keep us all at our peak. We want the best for our 40 municipalities and strive to do more, each and every day. This report provides a glimpse of the activities conducted to keep our residents happy and healthy. We are fortunate to operate under the auspices of our Board of Chosen Freeholders, who encourage us to pursue bigger and greater achievements for county health standards and gave us the go ahead to start the beginning steps to Public Health Accreditation.

Eve A. Cullinan, LNHA, FACHCA



The Burlington County Animal Shelter was a cornerstone in 2013, with our animal shelter adoption rate and initiative towards operating the shelter as close to no-kill as possible. We commend the work done by our shelter staff and volunteers, and applaud our residents who opened their homes to our furry critters.

As always, we are excited to work with our community partners to make as much of an impact as possible. Our local healthcare systems, neighboring counties, community organizations, businesses and residents make our jobs enjoyable and we look forward to catering to our population. From flu clinics to community events, BCHD employees are constantly on the lookout to ensure your health and safety.

With so much change and evolution, BCHD continues to reach out into the community and encourage residents, businesses and community organizations to get active. We constantly look for ways to improve our offered services and help our residents in new and innovative manners.

As always, we wish you and your loved ones well.

In good health,

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Phone Number and Contact Information

Health Department	Phone Number	Organization	Phone Number
Administration	609-265-5548	Adult Protective Services	609-261-1000
Animal Shelter	609-265-5073	Sheriff's Department	609-265-5046
Communicable Diseases	609-265-5533	CONTACT Help Line/ Information and Referral line	856-234-8888
Environmental Services	609-265-5515	Catholic Charities	609-386-4737
Health Education	609-265-5548	Office of Emergency Management	609-518-7200
HIV Testing	609-265-5533	Emergency Services (Food, Clothing, Shelter)	856-764-6940
Human Services	609-265-5545	Twin Oaks Community Services	609-267-5928
Sexually Transmitted Disease Clinic	609-265-5533	Meals on Wheels	609-702-7053
Virtua Community Nursing Services	609-914-8550	Medicaid/Social Services	609-261-1000
WIC Program	609-267-4304	Mental Health –Human Services	609-265-5545
		NJ Div.Youth/Family Services (DYFS)	800-847-1753
		Moorestown Visiting Nurse Assoc.	877-862-4663
		NJ Poison Control	800-222-1222
		Office on Aging	609-265-5069
		Red Cross	609-267-9595
		Screening & Crisis Intervention	609-835-6180
		Social Security Administration	800-772-1213
		Transportation	609-265-5109
		Veteran's Services	609-265-5008
Area Hospitals/Clinics			
Virtua Memorial Hospital Burlington 609-267-0700			
Lourdes Medical Center of Burlington County 609-835-2900			
Deborah Heart & Lung Center 609-893-6610			
SJ Family Medicine at Buttonwood (Health Care for the Uninsured) 1-800-486-0131			
SJ Family Medicine Burlington City 609-386-0775			
SJFMC Dental Clinic at Buttonwood 609-894-1213			

**For All Emergencies
Please Call 9-1-1**

Please Visit The Health Department's Website at: www.co.burlington.nj.us/departments/health

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What is Public Health?

Since 1900, the average lifespan of U.S. residents has increased by more than 30 years, with 25 years of this gain attributable to advances in public health, such as:

- Vaccination
- Motor-vehicle safety
- Safer workplaces
- Control of infectious diseases
- Safer and healthier foods
- Healthier mothers and babies
- Recognition of tobacco use as a health hazard
- Decline in deaths from coronary heart disease and stroke

What Does The Burlington County Health Department Do?

The Burlington County Health Department protects and improves the health and well-being of your community, as well as the environmental resources upon which we all depend.

The Burlington County Health Department:

- Protects you from health threats. Your health department works to prevent disease outbreaks and makes sure the water you drink, the food you eat, and the air you breathe are all safe. We are also ready to respond to any health emergency — be it bioterrorism, SARS, West Nile Virus, or a new environmental hazard.
- Educates you and your neighbors about health issues. Your health department provides you with information that helps you make healthy decisions, like exercising more, eating right, quitting smoking, and washing your hands to protect yourself from communicable diseases. During a public health emergency, we also provide important alerts and warnings to protect your health.
- Provides healthy solutions. Your health department offers the preventive care you need to avoid disease and maintain your health. We provide flu shots for the elderly and help mothers get prenatal care to give their babies a healthy start. We also help provide children with immunizations, and education about good nutrition to help them grow and learn.
- Advances community health. Your health department takes part in developing new policies and standards that address existing and emerging challenges to your community's health while enforcing a range of laws to help keep you safe. We work through research and staff training to maintain expertise and deliver up-to-date, cutting-edge health programs.

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Administration

Administrative Services addresses all administrative and organizational management services necessary to effectively lead the Health Department. Management and leadership functions include, but are not limited to, planning, organization, public health staffing, coordination and response, budgeting, assessing, evaluating and reporting.

The Health Officer (HO), Holly Funkhouser-Cucuzzella, DrPH, MCHES, HO represents the County and the 40 municipalities in all matters concerning public health, and oversees the performance of all duties necessary to satisfy and enforce federal, state, and local public health regulations. The Administrative Staff performs the many services that keep Burlington County Health Department (BCHD) running efficiently. Their jobs require knowledge of New Jersey Public Health Practice Standards, statutes, regulations, local ordinances, worker's compensation, disability, and union obligations. Administration also works to obtain the necessary financial support for the Health Department to perform its tasks. They complete grant applications as well as monitor and report on grant expenditures and activities. They prepare the annual budget and plan for emergencies and future public health needs. In 2013, under the direction of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, the BCHD continued to hold the line in the budget process by evaluating programs and services to determine their feasibility and effectiveness on an on-going basis.

Telephone & Reception.

One of the most important jobs of an organization that serves the public is to respond to public inquiries. The Health Department is often the first place citizens call about health concerns during emergencies. Citizens regularly call seeking information regarding BCHD clinics or information on specific diseases. Students, municipal governments, and other public entities contact the Health Department for research or planning issues. In the event of a public health emergency, BCHD partners with Contact of Burlington County and the County Public Information Office to get out important public health messages. Residents can dial 856-234-8888 or 2-1-1 and get scripted answers to their public health concerns. BCHD and Contact are partnering to prepare 'Just in Time' training for Medical Reserve Corps volunteers in case the system is overloaded and more operators are required. This is a great example of using the resources at hand to address the needs of the citizenry.

Personnel. In 2013, the Health Department was staffed by **113** full time and **18** contract employees. County employees work under the terms of a mutual agreement between Communication Workers of America (CWA) and the Board of Chosen Freeholders. All forms and reporting procedures for both County and New Jersey Department of Personnel (NJDP) are maintained. See **Appendix A** for a list of Health Department staff and contact information.

BCHD's website is constantly updated with pertinent health information, activities and training information. It is the place to turn in the event of a public health emergency for up to date and reliable information.

You can visit our website at
www.co.burlington.nj.us/health

Accounting. As with all businesses, funds must be monitored, bills paid, and equipment and supplies obtained. Hundreds of orders for everything from rubber gloves to containment booms are tracked. BCHD bills Medicare/Medicaid for some individual health services. Fees for other County services are collected, recorded, and deposited. Auditors verify our accounts annually.

Resolutions & Transmittals. These procedures represent the formal methods for asking the Board of Chosen Freeholders to approve any new activities of the County Health Department. Freeholder approval is sought for grant submissions, adding or deleting staff, changing policies or endorsing Department actions. The competitive contracting process is used when soliciting providers for professional services. This assures a competitive, quality-based, fair and open process when contracting for professional services.



County Municipal Building at Dusk
Credit: Joel Bewley, 2014.

Fleet Management Health Department inspectors are in the field every day and must have reliable transportation. BCHD has a fleet of **35** vehicles that are maintained, registered and inspected in accordance with New Jersey motor vehicle regulations. BCHD also has four emergency response trailers and a large extended van retrofitted as a Mobile Epidemiological Response Vehicle or “MERV,” that is used for mobile HIV testing regularly.

Emergency Preparedness. It is BCHD’s responsibility to identify, prevent, and respond to emergent health threats. Emergency response plans are constantly revised, exercised, and updated to deal with many types of health-related disasters. Additional information on 2013 Preparedness activities is provided in the Medical Reserve Corps section (pg. 12).



Burlington County Communications Mobile Command Operations— Office of Emergency Management mobile command center.

Grants Administration BCHD applies for and receives grant funds each year that must be carefully monitored. Financial and program progress reports are prepared on a regular basis. The total amount of grant monies received in 2013 was **\$1,978,552**.



Budget Preparation. BCHD prepares an operating budget (does not include salaries for non-grant funded staff) and an economic plan annually with respect to anticipated growth, changing needs, employee development and essential or new expenditures.

Planning. The Health Department establishes goals and objectives based on factors most likely to impact the health of the **448,734** (2010 Census data) residents of Burlington County. Goals, objectives, and programs are continually re-evaluated as the needs of County residents change. In 2013, the Health Department embarked on the Strategic Planning process. This is a process aimed at producing fundamental decisions and actions that will shape and guide what the Health Department is, what it does, and why it does what it does, culminating with a strategic plan focusing on a range of agency level organizational goals, strategies and objectives, including new initiatives.

Inter-Government Liaison. The HO and other Health Department staff meet routinely with state, regional, local, and federal representatives to ensure a state of preparedness, cooperation and coordination of all services in order to provide prompt responses to whatever situation may arise. Burlington County is an active member of the Cities Readiness Initiative (CRI) for the Philadelphia metropolitan area. The CRI committee, involved in preparedness planning and response, includes representatives from Philadelphia and surrounding counties in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland and Delaware. BCHD is also part of the Southern Region Governmental Public Health Partnership (GPHP), which includes members from Salem, Cumberland, Atlantic, Cape May, Gloucester and Camden County Health Departments, as well as Atlantic City and Vineland Health Departments. The GPHP is currently exploring public health marketing and cost sharing activities so that one, cohesive, cost effective, public health message is heard by our South Jersey residents. BCHD regularly participates in the South Region Healthcare Facility Emergency Preparedness Coalition with quarterly meetings to address readiness, response and recovery in the event of a public health emergency.

Community Interaction. The BCHD regularly collaborates with a multitude of community partners to improve the health of Burlington County residents. Regular monthly, bi-monthly or quarterly meetings are held with the following groups and committees: Burlington County Anti-terrorism Task Force, Community Health Assessment Advisory Group, Burlington County Code Blue and Adverse Weather Advisory Committees, Long Term Care Network, Burlington County Coalition for Healthy Communities, Community Organizations, and Faith Based Organizations.

Information Technology. Communication is vital to the operation of the BCHD. Many forms of communication are used to send and receive emergency and non-emergency notices and general day to day exchanges. The BCHD supports communication via email, fax, internet, satellite receiver, cell phones, Global Positioning Systems (GPS), Blackberries, PDAs, radios and online video conferencing. Research is conducted generally via the internet and is critical to all Departments. The BCHD has an extensive library of educational broadcasts that are recorded via satellite, as well as the use of webinars, that provide distance learning center resources to employees, residents and volunteers.

Information Technology (IT) is central to BCHD in carrying out its daily activities. BCHD works with the County IT Department and outside vendors to support its infrastructure, computers, printers and applications used daily. In 2013, IT improvements included installation of new and upgraded computers and operating systems.

Public Information. Health Department staff work in partnership with the County Public Information Office to continually provide residents with reliable guidance to protect the public health. Information is provided in many ways including press releases, public meetings, press conferences, website postings, emails, workshops, events and newsletters to municipalities and targeted populations with identified health needs. The County's policy is to be proactive in publicizing both preventative health information and risk communication during incidents and disease outbreaks that may affect residents' well-being. The public is encouraged to call the Health Department with any concerns or questions or to visit the website at www.co.burlington.nj.us/health. In 2013 the County maintained a Facebook page to which the Health Department contributes regularly.

Recordkeeping. Each section maintains numerous reports and records. These include patient records, sanitary or environmental inspection reports, and reportable diseases. State regulations control where reports must be sent, record retention time and disposal of records. Compliance with HIPAA regulations is an immediate and constant concern. Besides medical record retention, BCHD fulfills numerous requests for environmental record searches in accordance with the Open Public Records Act



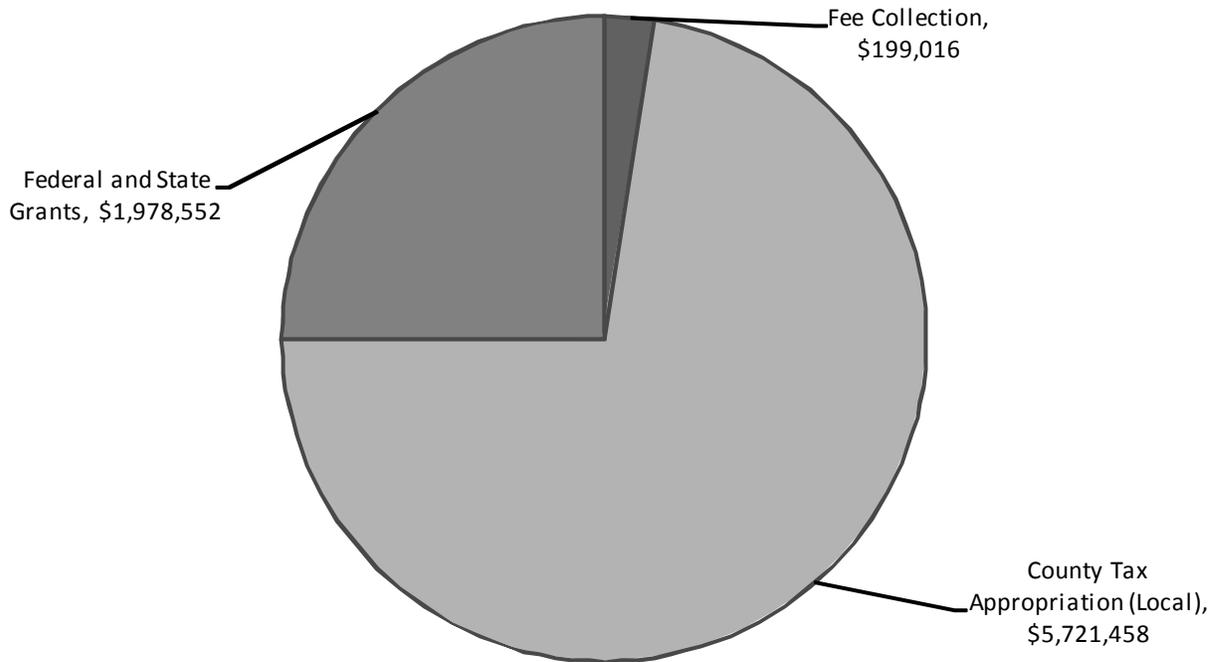
Training. Ongoing education and training are essential in order to assure a competent workforce of qualified professionals. Health department staff attended many hours of continuing education credits in accordance with licensing and credentialing requirements. Administration schedules and tracks training programs and continues to support staff training by offering distance learning webcasts from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and various higher learning institutions through the New Jersey Learning Management Network (NJLMN).

For additional information on Administrative Services,
please call **(609) 265-5548**.

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FUNDING SOURCES

Funding Sources



Grant Funding

WIC	\$1,166,600
Local Core Capacity for Emergency Health Preparedness	\$362,841
County Environmental Health Act	\$158,000
Special Child Health	\$121,753
HIV Testing and Counseling	\$150,000
Right to Know	\$12,858
NACCHO MRC	\$4,000
USDHHS National Women & Girls HIV/AIDS Awareness Day	\$2,500
Total	\$1,978,552

MEDICAL RESERVE CORPS

Burlington County Health Department continued recruiting for its Medical Reserve Corps unit, which represents a cadre of trained volunteers ready to respond in the event of a public health emergency. At the end 2013 there were 694 volunteer nurses, physicians, pharmacists and administrative people registered to support public health activities throughout the County. Future recruitment efforts will target Home Health Care professionals and Certified Nursing Assistants. MRC volunteers attended a variety of emergency preparedness trainings such as American Red Cross Health Services, Basic Sign Language, Bioterrorism 101, Family Preparedness, Chemical and Radiological Awareness, Communicable Disease Investigation, CPR, Equipment Day, Flood Recovery, Personal Protective Equipment, POD Operations, Risk Communication, Spanish In a Pinch, and Terrorism Prevention. In preparation for the unexpected, the MRC participated in a Meals- On- Wheels Exercise by assembling emergency preparedness information to be distributed to homebound seniors as well as answered questions about the information.

Medical Reserve Corps Selected Facts

694 Volunteer Nurses, Physicians,
Pharmacists, Administrative Staff!

2,043 Hours of accumulated
services

19 Burlington County Health
Department Flu Clinics

18 Immunization Clinics

1,032 Flu vaccinations
administered

Multiple health fairs, presentations
and programs

Thank you BCMRC!

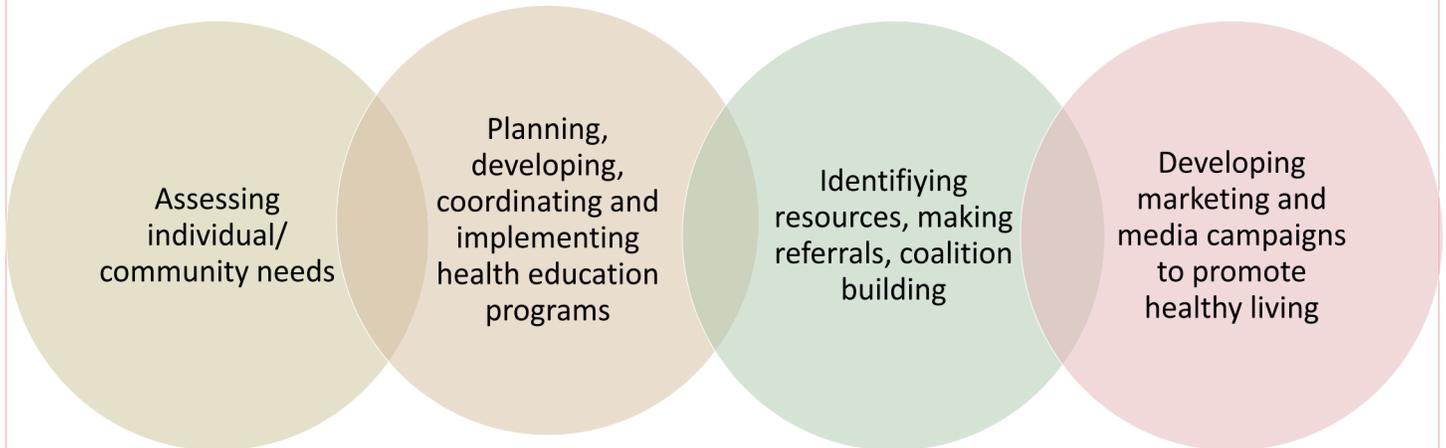
The MRC participated in recruitment events such as the 2013 Burlington County Farm Fair, Burlington City Night Out, Eastampton Day, Evesham Fall Festival, Lake Pine Parade, Lincoln Technical Institute Health Fair, Lumberton National Night Out, Palmyra Fire Open House, Point In Time Homeless Count, Medford Memorial Day Parade, Medford Wine and Cheese and Mount Laurel Fall Festival.

Volunteer service hours included events such as Heat Advisory Fan Distribution, Immunization Clinics, Karunaseva Health Fair, Medford St. Mary's Health Fair, National Volunteers Week, Raining Cats and Dogs Health Fair, Recipes for Disaster Cooking Demonstration in celebration of National Preparedness Month, Seasonal Flu Clinics, and Wreaths Across America.

The MRC assisted the Burlington County Health Department in preventing the spread of Influenza. The MRC participated in 19 Burlington County Flu Clinics. Volunteers assisted the staff in administering 1,050 flu vaccinations.

For more information about the Burlington County Health Department Public Health Preparedness Programs and to volunteer for the Medical Reserve Corps, please call (609) 265-5548 or sign up at <http://www.njmrc.nj.gov/>

HEALTH EDUCATION AND PROMOTION



Health Education is woven throughout all of our health department programs, with a focus on providing education and health promotion services that help the public make informed decisions about their health. Health education programs and activities help the community achieve a healthier lifestyle and promote healthy behaviors.



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Key Facts & Activities

2013 data

Number of single-session educational events	45
Number of multi-session educational events	1

Health Education deals with all relevant learning to encourage residents to get and stay healthy. Through seminars, presentations, workshops and outreach events, the Health Education unit has resources to assist residents with a number of health concerns. Regular scheduled programming can be requested on topics ranging from sexually transmitted illnesses, including HIV to chronic conditions, such as asthma, diabetes, heart disease, cancer and more.

The Health Education unit worked with residents in a multi-session chronic disease self-management program. Participants were educated on the various aspects of chronic diseases, self-management, nutrition and physical activity.

To schedule a Chronic Disease Self Management Program for a group of 8 or more, please call 609-265-5548

WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) is a program that provides supplemental foods to pregnant, postpartum and nursing women and children through age 5.

The goals of WIC are to create nutrition awareness in the community and reduce the incidence of iron deficiency anemia, obesity and growth deficiencies by providing nutrition education and nutritious supplemental foods. Height and weight measurements, hemoglobin testing, and income screening are conducted for eligibility every 6 months. Program Nutritionists counsel participants, provide nutrition education classes and follow up on high risk clients as needed. www.NJWIConline.org is an interactive on-line educational tool for New Jersey non-high risk participants who can utilize the website for their secondary nutrition education content. Two kiosks are also available to participants at the Health Department for secondary nutrition education content.

The WIC Program has played a significant role in reducing obesity rates among children 2-5 years since the inception of the revised food package in 2009 along with nutrition education.

The significant changes included in the new food package were:

- Introduction of whole grain bread, whole grain tortillas and/or brown rice around the year
- Cash value vouchers for fruits and vegetables year round along with Farmers Market Nutrition Program vouchers during the summer.
- Reduced quantity of fruit juices provided
- Low fat milk for all clients over two years of age
- Fruits and vegetables were added to the infant food package and juice removed from package

Breastfeeding women's food package revised in detail to promote more breastfeeding.

WIC promotes and supports breastfeeding to ensure proper growth development and maintain immunity. A Lactation Consultant and Peer Counselor are available to provide support, guidance, and encouragement. Mothers are encouraged to attend Prenatal/Breastfeeding classes at the Health Department. Clients obtain referrals as needed and receive other Health Department services at Burlington County WIC sites such as lead screening. When indicated, clients are referred to appropriate agencies for immunizations and other screening. The WIC hosts various programs such as SNAP to help enroll clients during WIC visits and the Smile NJ program that provides preventive dental health for children 1-18 years old.

WIC Locations and
Number of Clients
Served/Enrolled

<u>Clinic Site Name</u>	<u>Number of Clients</u>
Mt. Holly	5,462
Pemberton	690
Bordentown	166
Tabernacle	94
Fort Dix/McGuire	857
Willingboro	568
Palmyra	133
Riverside	405
Burlington	201
Beverly	128
Moorestown	452

The Quarterly Report for FFY'2013 from the State WIC Office (SWO) reported 5,403 Estimated Eligible's for Burlington County WIC Program. However, the Report also indicated that during the same time period the Burlington County WIC Office has enrolled 5,558 clients and served 102.87% eligible County residents through the WIC Program. Furthermore, CMPS Charts prepared by SWO indicate that the yearly enrollment (FFY'13) for the Burlington County WIC Program is recorded as 68,035. The CMPS Chart also indicates that the WIC Program has used 100.03% (\$ 3,585,000) of Food Dollars by redeeming the WIC voucher's at local WIC vendors

The Burlington County WIC Program serves county residents through one Administrative site and 10 satellite clinics. The program offers whole day clinics at five of their satellite sites where they provides Infant Nutrition education classes and Breastfeeding services.

For further information see **Appendix D** and/or call the Health Department's WIC Program for an appointment at **(609) 267-4304.**

Fiscal Year

	2013	2012	2011
WIC Participants Enrolled	68,035	70,218	71,218
Manual Participation	60,178	62,051	61,934
WIC Checks Redeemed	54,142	56,290	56,410
Food Dollars Redeemed	\$3,585M	\$3,693M	\$3,553 M

VIRTUA COMMUNITY NURSING SERVICE

Community Nursing Service

•Virtua Community Nursing Services (CNS) is comprised of two divisions, Home Care and Health Promotion Services (HPS). The division of HPS is contracted by and has worked in partnership with Burlington County Health Department (BCHD) providing its public health nursing and clinical services function for more than to three decades. This unique collaboration exemplifies the best of what public-private partnership entails. CNS-HPS is well-established in the Burlington County community. The agency's experience with marginalized populations within the community is extensive. The public health nurses work collaboratively with communicable disease, environmental, preparedness, Health Education and WIC to support the following services:

- Adult Health Services
- Child & Adolescent Health Services
- Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention
- Improved Pregnancy Outcomes & Health Education Home Visits
- Special Child Health Services
- Public Health Clinics (Flu, Immunization, STD , and TB)
- HIV Testing in the Jails
- Chronic Disease Self-Management Training

Adult Health Services

Adult Health Services promotes wellness, provides health information, screening and testing for early detection of disease and illnesses. Its overarching goal is to encourage and support the development of healthy life-style behaviors.

Heart Health & Diabetes Screening Program services were provided by Virtua Community Nursing Services. In 2013, efforts were increased to heighten healthy lifestyle public awareness behaviors. Screenings were conducted at various municipal and faith-based Health Fairs, upon request. There were 15 scheduled sites for health screenings and education throughout the County. There were a total of 336 participants screened for increased blood pressure, with most participants presenting for the first time. Thirty-three percent (110) of the readings were elevated and these clients were referred to their primary care physicians for follow-up. Virtua nurses and BCHD health educators are spearheading a new chronic disease self-management initiative in collaboration with the Burlington County Office on Aging.

Adult Health Services, cont'd

Vaccinations for infectious diseases are provided to the residents of Burlington County. The health department provides several flu clinics beginning in the fall. Clinics take place in area malls as well as in the community. In 2013, there were **1,032** seasonal flu vaccines provided to county residents.

Sexually Transmitted Disease testing was also provided to county residents twice a week throughout the year. There were **100** STD clinics held during 2013. There were **1,818** clients tested for STD's during the clinics (**1,023** males, and **795** females). Clients are tested for gonorrhea, chlamydia, trichomoniasis, herpes, and syphilis. All of the clients are counseled according to protocol and education about prevention is also provided. Medications and education are provided for all clients with positive test results.

Rapid HIV Testing services began at the Burlington County Correctional Facilities in July of 2009. Virtua Community Nursing Services – Health Promotion provides these services at three locations, the Burlington County Detention Center in Mount Holly, the Correction Work Release Center (CWRC) and the Juvenile Detention Center (JDC) both located in Pemberton. There were **1420** inmates seen and tested yielding **3** positive results in 2013. There were 141 females tested at CWRC and 59 juveniles tested at JDC. There were **162** testing sessions during the year at the three facilities. Inmates who test positive at the jail are followed by Garden State Infectious Disease Associates which has office hours onsite at the Burlington County Health Department every Friday.

Child & Adolescent Health Services

Child & Adolescent Health Services provide services designed to protect children from childhood diseases monitor their development and provide information to parents to promote health and wellness.

Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program. Screening services provided by Virtua's Community Nursing Services are designed to protect children from lead poisoning. Lead-based paint and lead-contaminated dust in older buildings are the most common sources of lead poisoning in children. Those children under the age of 6 are especially vulnerable to lead poisoning, which can severely affect mental and physical development causing irreversible damage. At very high levels, lead poisoning can be fatal. Virtua Public Health Nurses work collaboratively with Burlington County Health Department's environmental housing inspectors to identify homes that may have lead based paint. In an effort to bolster lead screening rates in Burlington County, Virtua nurses will continue to take referrals for MedTox testing for those children who cannot access those services at the BCCAP Head Start Centers.

Low-income children enrolled in NJ CHIP are able to access testing at no cost with their pediatrician. In 2013, there were 129 ongoing cases and 4 new identified positives for lead poisoning and referred to the nurse case manager. The nurse case manager works in partnership with the BCHD Environmental lead inspectors to ensure children having persistent Blood Lead Levels of 10-14Ug/dL homes are abated. The State of New Jersey no longer has funding to support abatement activities.

Child & Adolescent Health Services Cont'd

Improved Pregnancy Outcomes and Health Education Home Visits are provided by Virtua Community Nursing Services. Public health nurses visit the home of prenatal and postpartum mothers to offer education, guidance, and support during pregnancy and following a baby's birth. At risk families receive instruction regarding the need for prenatal care, the signs and symptoms of pre-term labor, normal delivery, and infant care. Emphasis is placed on the need to immunize newborns, obtain primary care services, establish a medical home, and to recognize the signs and symptoms of childhood illness. Referral and linkage to other community resources is also provided. In 2013, Virtua Community Nursing Services made **853** Improved Pregnancy Outcome home visits and **498** Health Education visits. Referrals for home visits come from the Center for Women, the South Jersey Family Medical Centers, WIC and other agencies in the county. There were **280** women admitted to the program who were pregnant with their first baby (primiparas). In June of 2010, the IPO program added a new screening tool, The Edinburg Depression Scale. Of the **114** women screened for post-partum depression in 2013, **14 (12.3%)** scored at or above 10 requiring further intervention with their primary care provider. **100%** of those women were referred for further evaluation.

Pregnancy Testing is also done on a weekly basis. In 2013, there were **302** pregnancy tests performed (**76%** of the tests were positive). Clients are counseled about nutrition, prenatal care, and community resources. Referrals are provided for clients in need of medical care.

The **Special Child Health Services Program (SCHS)** is designed to provide nurse case management services to special needs children and their families. Children from birth through 21 years of age with birth defects, developmental delays, disabilities, chronic illnesses or potentially disabling conditions are eligible for this free service. Virtua's Community Nursing Services provides nurse case managers to assist the family in obtaining appropriate medical, rehabilitative, and counseling services. Each child/family receives individual assessment, support, care coordination, and education. In SFY 2013, there was a total active caseload of **1,650** with a quarterly average of **413** plus **6** Community Resources for Persons with Disabilities (CRPD) families received case management and referral services. In SYF '13 (YTD- 6 months), there is a total active caseload **626** with a quarterly average of **313** plus **5** CRPD families.



Please call Virtua
Community Nursing
Services at
(609) 914-8550 for
further information.

Disease Prevention

Communicable Diseases are caused by microbes and may be transmitted from person to person, animal to animal or animal to person. The Communicable Disease Section and Public Health Epidemiologist maintains active surveillance and investigation in order to identify and contain outbreaks of communicable diseases.

The Communicable Disease Section provides multiple clinics for testing and screening for HIV/AIDS, STDs, and TB. In addition, immunizations are available for eligible school age children as well as influenza and pneumonia immunizations for seniors and other eligible adults. We also have an adult immunization program for eligible adults and offer a host of vaccinations including Zostavax (Zoster) , TDAP (Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis), Hepatitis A and B.

Please see **Appendix C** for Communicable Disease Statistics

INDIVIDUALIZED CLINICAL SERVICES

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of clinic-based medical visits provided	6487
Number of individuals (unduplicated) who received care at health department clinics	4890
Number of home-based nursing visits provided	982
Number of individuals (unduplicated) who received home nursing care from the health department	544
Number of children immunized to protect them from dangerous and deadly preventable diseases	381
Number of adults (age 18 and up) immunized to protect them from dangerous and deadly preventable diseases	1800
Total number of immunizations provided by the LHD	2733
Number of individuals screened for cancer	2535
Number of individuals screened for Sexually Transmitted Infections (other than HIV/AIDS)	1546
Number of individuals screened for Hypertension	336
Number of individuals screened for Tuberculosis	47

As part of our mission to assure that all people have access to essential health services, BCHD provides a variety of individual, clinical services such as screenings and checkups, referrals to appropriate medical care, and primary medical care and follow-up.

ANIMAL CARE & MANAGEMENT

The Animal Shelter provides a wide range of services including adoptions, rabies vaccination clinics, veterinary technician evaluations on incoming and out going animals, surrenders, reclaims, quarantine and humane animal treatment.

Total Live Animals Received	4,208
Adopted	1,439
Reclaimed by Owner	649
Rescue's	600

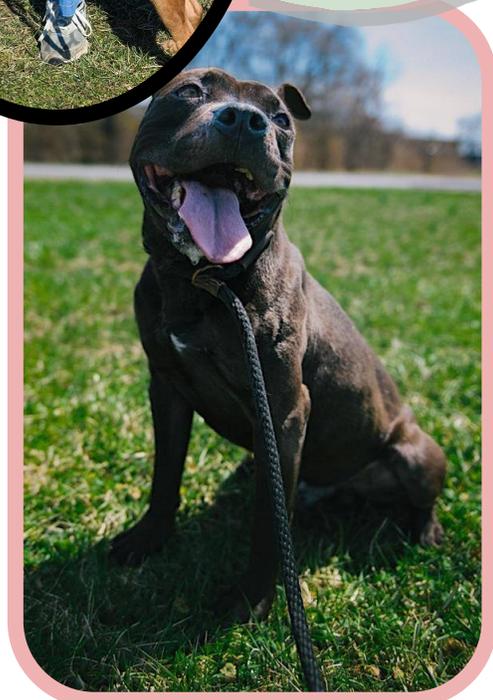


The animal shelter contains

- 99 dog runs
- 8 outside dog runs
- 240 cat cage capacity

All 40 municipalities in Burlington County contract with the Animal Shelter to accept stray and quarantined animals.

In 2013, the Animal Shelter held its annual “Adopt a Cat Month” and “Dog Days of Summer” in the months of July and August. Both of these programs offer substantially reduced adoption fees and increased adoptions during historical low adoption times and high intake months. The Shelter also provides free adoptions to Veterans and Seniors year round.





ANIMAL SHELTER INFORMATION

Animal Shelter Website: <http://www.co.burlington.nj.us/pages/ViewDepartment.aspx?did=14>

Animal Shelter animals on PetFinder: <http://www.petfinder.com/shelters/NJ148.html>

The Animal Shelter continues with its spay/neuter program of all pets adopted from the Animal Shelter. Clinics are generally held once week to keep up with the adoption demand. The main focus of the clinics is to decrease pet population by spaying/neutering all animals adopted from the Animal Shelter. Spay/neuter clinics are one of the most significant population controls and reduce the number of animals entering the shelter system.

Friends of the Burlington County Animal Shelter (FOBCAS) volunteers have made a substantial impact on the success of the Animal Shelter. Animal Shelter employees and FOBCAS volunteers have collaborated on important adoption programs. The combined effort has significantly increased adoption rates and community involvement at the Animal Shelter.

Find them on Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/FOBCAS>

The shelter also works with many rescue agencies such as Burlington County Animal Alliance to place animals that need socialization and behavior modification prior to going to their forever home. If your pet is lost or missing, or you wish to adopt a pet, always check with the Animal Shelter first. The shelter is open 7 days a week. The hours of operation are:

M, Tu, W, F, Sa, Su: 12:00pm– 4:00 pm

Thursday: 12:00 pm– 7:00pm

The shelter is closed to the public on Holidays. The Shelter is located at 35 Academy Drive (next to the Emergency Services Training Center) in the County Complex off of Woodlane Road, Westampton, NJ. See **Appendix B** for a list of Animal Shelter activities conducted in 2013. Please call the Animal Shelter at **(609) 265-5073** for further information.

ANIMAL BITES AND RABIES CONTROL

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of incidents where an animal bit a human	430
Number of incidents where a rabid or suspected-rabid animal bit a domestic animal (pet / livestock)	208
Number of potentially unimmunized domestic animals that were confined for rabies observation after biting a person or another animal	30



Rabid animals are a chronic issue in Burlington County,
Photo: Wildlife in Crisis

35
Positive animal
rabies cases in
2013

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of rabies vaccination clinics conducted by the health department	14
Number of pets vaccinated through the county and municipal vaccination clinics	5923

The Animal Shelter continues to provide free rabies vaccination clinics for all adopted pets. The clinics assist adopting pet owners, new residents, and residents with new pets. All other county resident pet owners are encouraged to utilize the free local rabies clinics within their respective municipalities. Rabies clinics are typically held once a month usually on a Tuesday or Thursday from 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please call **(609) 265- 5073** for more information.

KENNEL, PET SHOP, AND SHELTER/POUND FACILITIES

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of licensed pet shop facilities	14
Number of licensed kennel facilities	32
Number of licensed shelter/pound facilities	1
Number of routine inspections conducted at Pet Shops	14
Number of routine inspections conducted at Kennels	32
Number of routine inspections conducted at Shelter/Pound facilities	1
Number of routine re-inspections conducted at Pet Shops	1
Number of routine re-inspections conducted at Kennels	6
Number of routine re-inspections conducted at Shelter/Pound facilities	1
Number of non-routine emergency & complaint-related inspections conducted at Pet Shops	1
Number of non-routine emergency & complaint-related inspections conducted at Kennels	3

BCHD inspects kennels, pet shops, shelters, and pounds to ensure that these facilities are operating in compliance with sanitation, safety, and animal welfare rules.

Environmental

Environmental Health is the status of our physical surroundings including the air we breathe, the land we use, and the water we drink. The Environmental Health Section protects our food and water from contamination, ensures our safety where we live, work and play and obtains “right to know” data about the potential harm of products we use in our workplace. Vigilant inspection, investigation and enforcement of environmental health regulations are key to safeguarding the public’s health.

Pollution Control Program

Air Pollution Control Program

Two major functions include the inspection of facilities deemed as minor sources of air contaminants and complaint investigations.

Water Pollution Control Program

Designed to protect surface and ground waters and from illegal discharges by inspecting, sampling and investigation at complaints.

Solid Waste Pollution Control Program

Inspection and enforcement responsibilities regarding solid waste handling and disposal, litter control and inspection of facilities such as landfills, compost facilities, resource recovery facilities and solid waste transfer stations. Also included are routine compliance monitoring of recycling centers, convenience centers, farmland mulch sites, and waste flow inspections to verify that only authorized wastes were collected, transported, and disposed of in accordance with Burlington County’s Solid Waste Plan. All complaints of improper waste disposal are investigated.

Hazardous Material Program

Response to hazardous material incidents that potentially impact the environment and the public’s health. Facilities that use or store chemicals are monitored for compliance and emergency plans. Cleanup after an incident is monitored for compliance with regulations and best remedial practices. Environmental health employees regularly attend continuing education programs dealing with hazardous materials and countywide multi-disciplinary emergency drills to maintain preparedness. Activities in 2013, include plan/site reviews, complaint investigations, environmental file searches, facilities inspection, sampling and re-inspection. An inspector is on-call 24/7 to handle emergency problems resulting from biological and/or chemical incidents.

The **Noise Control Program** is a complaint-generated program. State-of-the-art noise meters were used to conduct investigations and inspections regarding suspected noise violations in 2013.

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of complaints received	400
Number of cases investigated	400
Number of cases that required enforcement action (including, but not limited to, fines, notices of violation, and court summonses)	16
Percent of cases that required enforcement actions	4

POTABLE WELLS AND DRINKING WATER SAFETY

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of potable well inspections conducted	109
Number of unduplicated potable wells inspected	109
Number of potable well certificates of compliance issued	21

BCHD conducts inspections on potable wells to ensure compliance of safety standards and potability. Regular inspections of drinking water help prevent water-borne illness. Tests are conducted on water supplies that serve transient and non-transient populations to ensure the safety of our residents and visitors.

ONSITE WASTEWATER DISPOSAL SYSTEM SAFETY

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of system construction permits issued for final authorization to proceed with installations of new systems	30
Number of system construction permits issued for final authorization to proceed with repairs to existing system	86
Number of system construction permits issued for final authorization to proceed with alterations to existing systems that don't expand the capacity of the system	164
Number of system construction permits issued for installation, repair, or alteration of advanced wastewater pretreatment systems	1
Number of unduplicated noncompliant systems identified	23
Number of system investigations conducted by the health department	23
Number of system-related summonses to appear in court issued by health department	17

BCHD conducts education, certification, and inspections of low-volume residential and commercial onsite wastewater treatment systems (e.g., septic systems) to ensure that systems are designed, constructed, and maintained properly, thus improving New Jersey's water quality and protecting human health and the environment.

Consumer Health Program

Retail Food Program

New Jersey Licensed Registered Environmental Health Specialists (REHS) ensure all retail food establishments are inspected at least once a year. This program includes restaurants, schools, farm markets, frozen dessert establishments, mobile units, and temporary fairs and carnivals. An inspector is on call 24/7 to handle emergencies resulting from possible food contamination, such as a fire or reported cases of food poisoning. In 2013, there were numerous food inspections, complaint investigations, disaster inspections, activities for food embargo, adulteration, spoiled food and supervised food disposal, plan reviews, pre-opening inspections and operational inspections conducted.

Public Recreational Bathing Program

REHS conduct routine inspections at all public recreational bathing facilities at least twice per season. Public hot tubs are also inspected under this program. Recreational bathing bacterial levels are carefully monitored to prevent infections.

Housing Maintenance Program

Complaint based program that enforces each municipality's local housing ordinance. Currently the department has contracts with 33 of the 40 municipalities in Burlington County. In 2013, Housing Inspectors conducted inspections and performed housing activities including individual dwelling inspections, re-inspections, violations notices and court appearance.

Childhood Lead Program

Housing Inspectors are certified to conduct lead inspections to identify homes that may have lead based paint. This program, mandated by NJDOH, requires environmental investigations to be conducted in targeted residences where children have tested positive for blood lead levels beyond the allowable standard. In 2013, environmental/gamma tech investigations, re-inspections, and test samples of paint, dust wipe, soil and water were conducted.

Public Health Nuisance Program

In 2013, nuisance complaints (stagnant water, garbage, odor, noxious weeds, animal waste, rodents, insects, etc.) were investigated with court appearances required for some.

Campground/Youth Camps Programs

REHS conducted inspections and complaint investigation of campgrounds and youth camps (both day and residential).

Body Art Program

REHS performed routine inspections at all tattoo, piercing and permanent cosmetic establishments.

Tanning Program

REHS conducted routine inspections and complaint generated investigations of tanning facilities.

Please refer to **Appendix E**
for more information

RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT SAFETY

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of licensed food establishments:	
Risk Level 1 - Establishments that conduct minimal food preparation and minimal handling of potentially hazardous foods	207
Risk Level 2 - Establishments that conduct limited food preparation and heat/cool potentially hazardous foods	1122
Risk Level 3 - Establishments that conduct complex food preparation and heat/cool potentially hazardous foods	554
Mobile food establishments	89
Temporary - Establishments operating for no more than 14 consecutive days in conjunction with a single event or celebration	138
Other - Establishments that conduct ONLY specialized	8
Number of specialized processes overseen by the health department	
Number of retail food establishment plan reviews conducted	93
Number of pre-operational retail food establishment inspections conducted	91
Number of routine inspections for the following types of retail food establishments:	
Risk Level 1 - Establishments that conduct minimal food preparation and minimal handling of potentially hazardous foods	207
Risk Level 2 - Establishments that conduct limited food preparation and heat/cool potentially hazardous foods	1122
Risk Level 3 - Establishments that conduct complex food preparation and heat/cool potentially hazardous foods	554
mobile food establishments	89
Temporary - Establishments operating for no more than 14 consecutive days in conjunction with a single event or celebration	138
Other - Establishments that conduct ONLY specialized processes such as canning	8

RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT SAFETY

Key Facts & Activities, Continued

Number of routine re-inspections for the following types of establishments:

Risk Level 1 - Establishments that conduct minimal food preparation and minimal handling of potentially hazardous foods	1
Risk Level 2 - Establishments that conduct limited food preparation and heat/cool potentially hazardous foods	106
Risk Level 3 - Establishments that conduct complex food preparation and heat/cool potentially hazardous foods	111
Mobile food establishments	93
Temporary - Establishments operating for no more than 14 consecutive days in conjunction with a single event or celebration	108
Other - Establishments that conduct ONLY specialized processes such as canning	0

Number of non-routine emergency & complaint-related investigations/inspections:

Investigations	0
Inspections (other than routine inspections)	136
Number of establishments on which the health department had to take one or more enforcement actions	3

BCHD inspects and regulates restaurants, grocery stores, and other retail food facilities to ensure compliance with safety and sanitation rules. BCHD also investigates and control disease outbreaks linked to retail food facilities.

TANNING FACILITY SAFETY

Key Facts & Activities	2013 data
Number of unregistered tanning facilities identified by the health department	0
Number of routine inspections of tanning facilities	25
Number of routine re-inspections of tanning facilities	9
Number of non-routine emergency & complaint-related inspections of tanning facilities	0
Number of tanning facilities on which the health department had to take one or more enforcement actions	0

BCHD enforces safety and sanitation standards for the operation of tanning facilities in order to protect the health and safety of consumers who patronize tanning facilities.

The CDC discourages individuals from indoor tanning. Due to the increased exposure of UVA and UVB rays, patrons are at higher risk of getting skin cancers, including melanoma.



PUBLIC CAMPGROUNDS

Key Facts & Activities	Public Campgrounds
Number of licensed / approved proprietary campground facilities	8
Number of unlicensed proprietary campground facilities identified by the health department	0
Number of routine inspections	8
Number of routine re-inspections	3
Number of non-routine emergency & complaint-related inspections	0
Number of facilities on which the health department had to take one or more enforcement actions	0

Public Campgrounds

BCHD enforces safety and sanitation standards for the operation of public campgrounds in order to protect the health and safety of consumers who patronize these facilities.

RECREATIONAL BATHING FACILITIES

Key Facts & Activities	2013	Key Facts & Activities	2013
Number of licensed public recreational bathing facilities		Number of non-routine emergency & complaint-related inspections of:	
Number of licensed year-round facilities	33	Year-round facilities	6
Number of licensed seasonal facilities	190	Seasonal facilities	2
Number of public recreational bathing features of each type:		Number of individual features closed for health and safety violations, by type:	
Swimming / wading pools	187	Swimming / wading pools	22
Hot tubs / spas	23	Hot tubs / spas	1
Spray parks	5	Spray parks	0
Aquatic recreation facilities	3	Aquatic recreation facilities	0
Bathing beaches - Bays / oceans	2	Bathing beaches - Bays / oceans	0
Bathing beaches - Rivers	2	Bathing beaches - Rivers	0
Bathing beach - Lake	40	Bathing beaches - Lakes	9
Number of pre-operational inspections of bathing facilities of:		Number of public recreational bathing facilities closed for health and safety violations:	
Year-round facilities	0	Year-round facilities	0
Seasonal facilities	25	Seasonal facilities	0
Number of routine inspections of bathing facilities of:		Number of Cooperative Coastal Monitoring Program (CCMP) sites	0
Year-round facilities	70	Number of sanitary surveys conducted by the LHD at:	
Seasonal facilities	377	Bathing beaches - Bays / oceans	0
Number of routine re-inspections of bathing facilities of:		Bathing beaches - Rivers	0
Year-round facilities	14	Bathing beaches - Lakes	0
Seasonal facilities	59		

BCHD conducts safety and sanitation inspections of public recreational bathing facilities to reduce the spread of communicable diseases and protect consumers who use these facilities from avoidable harm and danger.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Weights and Measures became part of the Health Department in January, 2013. The office is responsible for the testing and sealing of all weighing, measuring and counting devices used in commerce, and for the enforcement of the Weights and Measures law as set forth in Title 51 of the New Jersey Statutes and the associated regulations. A county office is required by statute.

During 2013, four inspectors and one apprentice tested **2099** scales (**25** condemned), **151** balances (**3** condemned), **140** pill counters, **133** weight kits (1 condemned), **136** linear devices (2 condemned), **50** fuel oil meters (**7** condemned), **4099** service station pumps (**101** condemned), **1271** timing devices (**28** condemned), three taxi meters, six water dispensers (**3** condemned) and **18** coin machines.

There were **1306** inspections, **41** investigations, **136** prosecutions filed, and **\$7,150** in penalties and fines received to date. The prosecutions related to one scales, four service station pumps, 111 scanner audits, six commodities and one miscellaneous inspection.

The office received **\$69,630** in fees for inspections of weighing and measuring devices from the State of New Jersey, Office of Weights and Measures.

SENIOR LEGAL PROGRAM

The Senior Legal Services Program became part of the Health Department on April 1, 2013. The Senior Legal Program provides a variety of legal services to low and moderate income seniors over 60 years of age, primarily in the areas of final document preparation (wills, power of attorney and living wills), bankruptcy, landlord/tenant (for tenants), social security benefit counseling, and other areas of law. The program also sponsors a Free Senior Legal Advice Day twice a month. The program is funded through the Burlington County Office on Aging.

During 2013, the program met with or provided information to **634** seniors, as well as **66** seniors during our Free Senior Legal Advice Day. There were **147** cases referred to Senior Legal attorneys, with **126** referrals for estate planning, **11** for Bankruptcy, **5** for conservatorships and guardianships, and the remainder for miscellaneous matters. Senior Legal staff also conducted **26** home or hospital visits with clients.

MEDICAL EXAMINER'S OFFICE

During the 2013 year, there were **862** total cases investigated.

The Burlington County Medical Examiner's Office (BCMEO) conducts medico-legal death investigations to assist the forensic pathologist determine the decedents' cause and manner of death. The investigations entail collection and recovery of the decedents, recovery and collection of forensic and physical evidence that may include the victims' personal effects. We also provide assistance to help with the identification of those decedents.

We recognize that we are often dealing with bereaved family members at the most trying time of their lives, and we endeavor to be as supportive and least intrusive as we can in completing the investigations that we are mandated to perform. It is our intent to secure decedents' remains and such personal property as is on them, identify them, and locate and inform the next of kin as soon as we are able to in all cases. In certain cases this may take several weeks. The staff of the Burlington County Medical Examiner Office are here to help and will answer your questions as best as they can. Some of the more frequent queries we receive are on our website at:

<http://www.co.burlington.nj.us/291/Medical-Examiner>

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APPENDIX B– ANIMAL SHELTER STATISTICS

Total Animals Received

MUNICIPALITY	2013	2012
Bass River	6	28
Beverly	32	54
Bordentown City	13	15
Bordentown Twp.	99	73
Burlington City	135	137
Burlington Twp.	325	421
Chesterfield	33	30
Cinnaminson	173	297
Delanco	59	97
Delran	124	176
Eastampton	87	99
Edgewater Park	93	172
Evesham	202	239
Fieldsboro Borough	3	0
Florence	201	214
Hainesport	77	63
Lumberton	110	164
Mansfield	85	120
Maple Shade	124	175
Medford Twp./Medford Lakes Borough	101	159
Moorestown	142	189
Mount Holly	267	265
Mount Laurel	240	297
New Hanover	6	4
North Hanover	33	87
Palmyra Borough	85	138
Pemberton Borough	19	21
Pemberton Twp.	801	948
Riverside	119	152
Riverton Borough	17	51
Shamong	54	73
Southampton	128	148
Springfield	80	80
Tabernacle	74	59
Washington	1	5
Westampton	182	255
Willingboro	642	816
Woodland	25	35
Wrightstown Borough	68	90
Out of County/Fort Dix	32/3	63/1
TOTAL	5,100	5,361

APPENDIX C– COMMUNICABLE DISEASE STATS

SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES & HIV/AIDS PROGRAM

1,818	Total patients seen in STD Clinic
1,023	Males seen
795	Females seen
124	Cases of Chlamydia diagnosed
50	Cases of Gonorrhea diagnosed
33	Cases of Trichomonas diagnosed
21	Cases of Syphilis diagnosed
16	Cases of Genital Herpes diagnosed
2,925	Total clients screened and counseled for HIV
718	STD Clinic
660	Walk-ins
1,418	In Correctional Facilities
132	Outreach activities
5	HIV Positive Cases Identified

IMMUNIZATIONS

243	School-aged children immunized
643	Total immunizations administered
149	Total public schools in county
107	Schools audited
157	Total licensed preschools in county
30	Preschools audited
	Total private schools in county
40	Private schools audited
1032	Doses of seasonal (non-H1N1) influenza vaccine administered
17	Doses of pneumococcal vaccine administered

ADULT IMMUNIZATIONS

0	H1N1 immunizations administered
75	Tdapt (Adcel) immunizations administered
7	Meningitis (Menactra) immunizations administered
11	HPV (Gardasil) immunizations administered
0	High Dose Flu immunization administered

TUBERCULOSIS CONTROL

4	Total verified cases
39	Contacts identified
28	Contacts tested
11	Contacts exposed and placed on therapy
8	Verified cases completing therapy
1,357	Total DOT's (direct observation therapy)

CHILDHOOD LEAD PROGRAM

129	Total active cases
4	Cases 20 ug/dl & above
13	Cases 15-19 ug/dl
51	Cases 10-14 ug/dl
47	Cases 9 & under
0	Number of children removed from home
6	Number of children under DYFS supervision
7	Home visits

APPENDIX C– WIC CLINIC SCHEDULE

<u>Clinic Site</u>	<u>Time/Day of the Month</u>
<i>Beverly</i> Beverly Housing Authority 100 Magnolia Street Beverly, NJ 08010	9:00AM-4:00PM/ 4th Thursday (January, April, July, October)
<i>Bordentown</i> Shiloh Baptist Church 104 1/2 Elizabeth Street Bordentown, NJ 08505	9:00AM-12:30PM/ 4th Wednesday (Every Month)
<i>Burlington</i> Burlington Housing Authority 800 Walnut Street Burlington, NJ 08016	9:00AM-12:30PM/ 2nd Tuesday (Every Month)
<i>Fort Dix</i> Main Chapel-Fort Dix 5240 New Jersey Avenue Fort Dix, NJ 08641	9:00AM– 12:30PM/ 1st Wednesday (Every Month)
<i>McGuire AFB</i> North Chapel Falcons Court North Building 3827	9:00AM-4:00PM/ Third Thursday (Every Month)
<i>Moorestown</i> 1st United Methodist Church Camden & Pleasant Valley Avenue Moorestown, NJ 08057	9:00AM-4:00PM/ Second Thursday (Every Month)
<i>Mount Holly</i> Burlington County Health Department 15 Pioneer Blvd Westampton, NJ 08060	8:00AM– 5:00PM/ Monday-Friday Evening Hours 5:00PM-8:00PM (1st & 3rd Tuesday, 2nd & 4th Monday)

APPENDIX C– WIC CLINIC SCHEDULE

Palmyra

Central Baptist Church
Fifth & Maple Avenues
Palmyra, NJ 08065

9:00AM -12:00PM/3rd Thursday
(Every Month)

Pemberton

Nesbitt Center
Anderson Avenue & Pemberton-Browns Mills Road
Pemberton, NJ 08069

9:00AM - 4:00PM / 1st & 3rd
(Every Month)

Riverside

American Legion
Post #146
212 American Legion Drive
Riverside, NJ 08075

9:00AM – 4:00PM/1st Thursday
(Every Month)

Tabernacle

Medford Farms Firehouse
76 Hawkins Road & Rt 206
Tabernacle, NJ 08088

12:30PM -4:00PM/2nd Wednesday
(January, April, July, October)

Willingboro

JFK Center
JFK Way
Willingboro, NJ 08046

9:00AM - 4:00PM/ 3rd Wednesday
(Every Month)

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APPENDIX E– ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION

***Program Codes**

01 Food Program

02 Potable Water

03 Sewage Disposal

04 Bathing Facilities

05 Surface Water

06 Ground Water

Pollution Control

07 Air Pollution Control

08 Noise Pollution

Control

09 Solid Waste Control

10 Tobacco

11 Hazardous Waste Control

Youth Camp Inspection

13 Campground

Inspection

14 Housing

Maintenance

16 Rabies

17 Public Health

Nuisances

18 Residential Lead

#20 Pesticide Program

25 Right-to-Know

28 Body Art

#29 Tanning

***Selected programs are broken down further following health activities by municipality.**

2013 ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ACTIVITIES BY MUNICIPALITY / PROGRAM NUMBER*

Municipality	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	20	25	28	29
Bass River	19	26	26	11	8	1	0	0	10	0	2	0	5	0	-	6	0	0	3	0	0
Beverly	20	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	7	0	7	1	0	1	-	14	0	1	0	0	0
Bordentown City	46	0	0	6	0	2	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	9	1	8	0	0	1	0	0
Bordentown Twp.	97	2	9	24	2	6	13	0	17	0	8	0	0	11	-	20	0	4	6	3	4
Burlington City	203	0	1	6	0	2	1	0	15	0	11	0	0	0	1	6	5	1	4	2	0
Burlington Twp.	169	5	6	25	3	12	14	0	39	0	11	2	0	2	-	81	9	7	1	0	0
Chesterfield	12	14	75	7	7	0	2	0	4	0	7	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	1	0	0
Cinnaminson	125	0	13	14	5	0	7	1	44	0	17	0	0	13	1	62	0	0	12	30	4
Delanco	13	4	3	2	0	0	19	0	34	0	5	0	0	6	2	11	0	1	3	0	0
Delran	41	0	6	13	2	3	9	0	40	0	7	0	0	12	-	26	1	2	1	0	2
Eastampton	68	2	31	8	13	1	0	0	18	0	11	0	0	3	-	36	0	4	4	0	0
Edgewater Park	72	0	31	12	0	4	15	0	11	0	6	0	0	24	3	30	0	6	0	1	0
Evesham	245	26	100	77	4	6	19	1	43	1	8	3	0	36	3	21	0	7	0	0	5
Fieldsboro	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Florence	56	4	17	8	1	1	31	0	30	0	3	1	0	20	-	20	33	2	0	0	0
Hainesport	64	1	38	4	1	1	1	0	10	0	6	1	0	4	-	5	0	2	5	0	1
Lumberton	84	6	51	19	4	2	5	0	20	0	9	0	0	44	-	23	0	5	2	0	2
Mansfield	41	22	172	13	5	4	11	0	45	0	11	0	0	0	-	12	0	2	1	0	1
Maple Shade	147	1	5	26	2	10	15	0	23	0	9	0	0	42	2	91	0	8	8	0	0
Medford	202	58	261	78	10	4	18	0		0	36	5	0	8	2	26	6	11	4	0	1

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Municipality	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	16	17	18	20	25	28	29
Medford Lakes	9	12	1	9	2	0		0	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Moorestown	197	1	108	15	6	2	36	0	30	0	15	5	0	37	4	26	0	18	5	1	2
Mt Holly	184	0	3	3	2	0	18	0	24	0	7	0	0	0	-	71	11	1	2	0	2
Mt Laurel	352	8	116	118	2	17	55	1	61	0	68	5	0	27	3	12	0	5	9	4	6
New Hanover	13	1	27	2	2	0	0	0	1	0	8	0	0	1	-	1	0	0	0	2	0
North Hanover	17	11	50	0	1	1	1	1	10	0	7	0	0	10	-	8	0	0	4	0	0
Palmyra	59	0	3	4	0	4	8	0	5	0	3	0	0	16	1	5	0	0	0	1	0
Pemberton Boro	9	0	0	3	0	2	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	-	2	0	0	3	1	0
Pemberton Twp	166	45	202	24	54	10	15	0	20	0	25	0	0	0	1	120	0	2	4	2	0
Riverside	53	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	23	0	3	0	0	27	2	70	2	0	3	0	0
Riverton	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	1	0	0	0	-	4	0	0	0	0	0
Shamong	21	403	148	0	7	0	13	0	16	0	3	0	0	1	1	10	0	0	0	0	0
Southampton	41	24	119	7	10	1	37	0	10	2	26	0	0	40	1	9	0	12	1	5	0
Springfield	206	14	98	0	8	0	1	0	18	0	10	0	0	5	-	8	0	0	0	0	0
Tabernacle	43	64	151	5	3	0	1	0	3	0	19	4	0	18	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	8	6	15	12	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	1	-	5	0	0	0	0	0
Westampton	100	6	35	31	2	4	16	0	29	0	41	1	0	7	-	42	0	4	9	0	0
Willingboro	205	0	0	47	1	4	9	0	33	0	17	4	0	0	4	6	0	5	2	0	0
Woodland	93	5	27	0	2	0	0	0	11	1	7	0	0	0	-	0	0	0	2	0	0
Wrightstown	49	5	0	2	1	3	1	0	6	0	1	0	0	5	-	7	0	2	0	0	1

SURFACE WATER POLLUTION PROGRAM #05

- 64 Ambient station samples collected
- 0 Sanitary surveys - suspected water pollution sources
- 104 Stream, lakes samples collected
- 1 Violation notices issued requiring abatement
- 4 Complaint investigations
- 1 Complaint re-inspections
- 0 NJDEP referred complaints

174 TOTAL

GROUND WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PROGRAM #06

- 64 Underground storage tanks inspected
- 28 Underground storage tanks re-inspected
- 0 Sample collection
- 0 Complaint
- 1 Violation

93 TOTAL

AIR POLLUTION CONTROL PROGRAM #07

- 3 Gas station inspections tank & apparatus certifications
- 141 Outdoor air complaint investigations
- 0 Violation notices issued requiring abatement
- 33 Compliance re-inspections conducted
- 21 Dry cleaner inspections
- 10 Spray booth inspections conducted
- 26 Indoor air complaints investigations
- 140 Other facility inspections conducted (B sources)
- 0 Complaints
- 0 Idling
- 0 Plan Review

374 TOTAL

NOISE POLLUTION CONTROL PROGRAM #08

- 0 Facility inspections
- 0 Surveys
- 0 Violation notices issued requiring abatement
- 0 Re-inspections for compliance
- 4 Complaints investigations

4 TOTAL

SOLID WASTE CONTROL PROGRAM #09

- 0 Minor landfill inspections
- 25 Major landfill inspections
- 5 Closed landfills
- 14 Transfer station inspections
- 60 Compost facility inspections
- 5 NJDEP complaints referred investigations
- 1 Violation notices issued requiring abatement
- 1 Hearings conducted - abatement, penalty assessment etc
- 4 Court actions, appearances
- 71 Complaint re-inspections
- 28 Complaints investigations
- 59 Convenience centers
- 7 Farmland mulch sites
- 72 Recycling centers
- 0 Public Works
- 0 Marina Inspections
- 128 Recycling investigations/questionnaires
- 12 Truck Checks
- 126 Container/transporter
- 0 Medical waste complaint
- 7 Illegal Dumping
- 0 Transporter investigations
- 0 Exempt hauler inspections
- 50 Recycling ques. re-inspections

675 TOTAL

TOBACCO PROGRAM #010

- 0 Tobacco sales investigations
- 1 Re-inspections
- 0 Violation Notices
- 0 Hearings
- 0 Court
- 3 Complaints
- 4 TOTAL**

HAZARDOUS WASTE CONTROL PROGRAM #011

- 0 Plan/site reviews conducted
- 10 NJDEP referred complaints investigations
- 62 Spill or release investigations
- 0 Violation notices issued requiring abatement
- 1 Court actions, appearances
- 207 Environmental file searches conducted
- 0 Samples collected
- 46 Emergency response investigations conducted
- 112 Re-inspections conducted
- 22 Complaints investigations (local)
- 460 TOTAL**

YOUTH CAMP INSPECTION PROGRAM #012

- 25 Day camp inspections conducted
- 4 Resident camp inspections conducted
- 2 Re-inspections conducted
- 0 NOV's issued
- 31 TOTAL**

HOUSING MAINTENANCE PROGRAM #014

- 155 Individual dwelling inspections conducted
- 18 Violation notices issued requiring abatement
- 0 Compliance hearings conducted
- 6 Court actions, appearances
- 0 Inspections/Twp. Referrals conducted
- 0 Surveys
- 255 Individual dwelling re-inspections
- 434 TOTAL**

RESIDENTIAL LEAD POISONING PROGRAM #018

- 7 Environmental investigations
- 23 Samples collected/tested.(paint, dust wipe, soil, water)
- 6 Gamma tech utilized inspections
- 2 Remediation hearings conducted
- 30 Re-inspections
- 2 Notice of Violation, hearings & court
- 70 TOTAL**

PESTICIDE PROGRAM #020

- 26 Commercial inspections
- Local complaints (DEP, Inspections)
- 4
- 7 Food service
- 10 Multiple dwelling inspections
- 13 School inspections
- 41 Landscape inspections
- 6 Violations written
- 3 Re-inspections
- 110 TOTAL**

RIGHT TO KNOW PROGRAM #025

- 1 Surveys distributed
- 53 Outreach/site visits conducted
- 35 Outreach/phone calls conducted
- 17 Materials distributed
- 6 Hazardous substance fact sheets distributed
- 112 TOTAL**



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