

**W**hat else is there to say about 2020? Every citizen in Logan County has been impacted in some way, a few tragically so. The agency suffered only minor absenteeism which was critical in allowing maintenance of the standards in most of the programs and performing our increased duties as a result of the pandemic. Disease tracing went up 10 fold from our usual 300 yearly, but grants for full-time contact tracers helped us with this time-consuming process. Grants, in fact, allowed us to pay employees for COVID work without having an adverse impact on our budget.

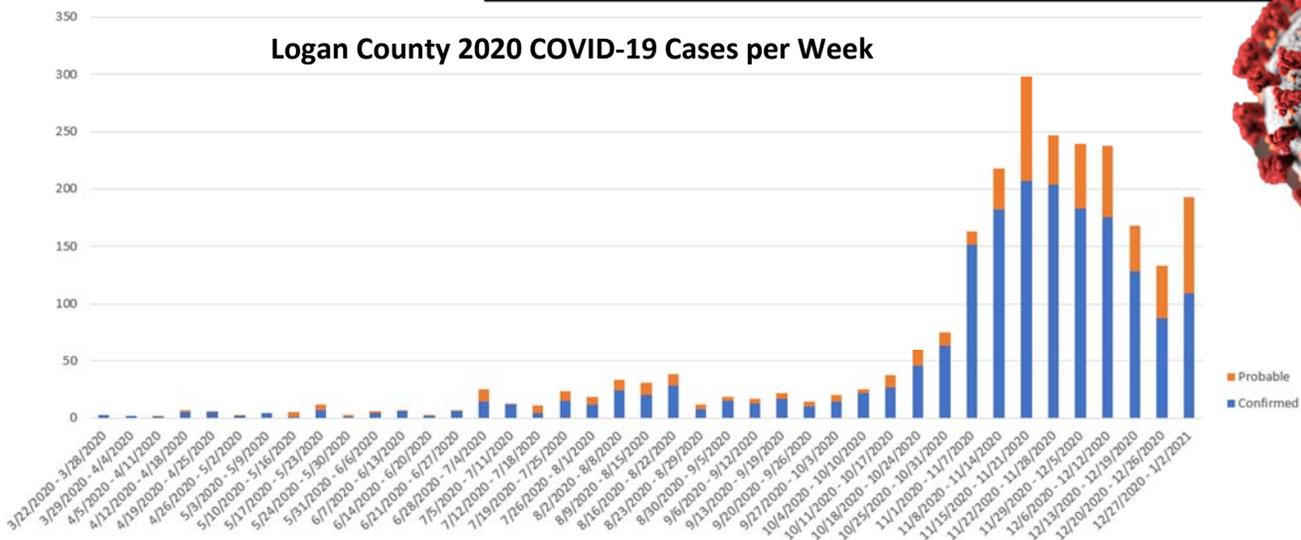
“We are very fortunate to collaborate with a quality health department.”  
School Partner

The Health District is proud to have been ahead of the curve in leading churches, restaurants, businesses, schools and others through the complexities of responding to the pandemic. In fact, some of those weekly meetings continued well into 2021. LCHD initiated a number of new ideas that were quickly taken up by other health districts, and even the Ohio Department of Health. The practical direction was science-based and resulted in the establishment of a new program for public health prevention in the field of indoor air quality. The agency began advising businesses and schools in June 2020, on adequate air exchange as a significant preventive to COVID spread. In response, many county schools and businesses improved their facility’s air quality.

The employees and volunteers deserve a huge vote of thanks for their hard work, extra hours and stress to help the county through this terrible time.

- Dr. Boyd C. Hoddinott, MD, MPH

“The Logan County Health Department has been an amazing resource. Your staff is fabulous and always ready to help. We are so thankful for all their support, knowledge and assistance.”  
Community Medical Partner



## Nursing Division

### Top 5 reportable diseases for Logan County in 2020

91.3% - COVID-19  
3.7% - Chlamydia  
1.4% - Hepatitis C  
1.2% - Influenza (hospitalized)  
1% - Gonorrhea

It may appear that other disease cases in Logan County have decreased, but this is most likely due to the fact that people were fearful in seeking medical treatment during the major part of the pandemic.

"I wanted to commend the Logan County Health District for their very professional and super quick response with notifications so we can help prevent the spread and get back to "normal."  
Parent of a Student

There are over 100 communicable and reportable diseases that are followed at the local level for the Ohio Department of Health. Logan County Health District **investigates** an average of **250-300 cases per year** and has seen an increase in the total number of cases over the past 5 years. **2020 saw nearly 3,000 cases** investigated due to the pandemic.

Despite the 2020 COVID-19 pandemic, the Children with Medical Handicaps (**CMH**) program was still able to make **1,126** contacts with our families.

## Women, Infants and Children

Participation in the WIC program continues to **increase** to help ensure **healthy families** in our community.

**75% of WIC Moms** who initiate breastfeeding continue to breastfeed **after** the first month.

**WIC remained open** throughout the entire pandemic, serving families curbside. Their annual **Baby Shower and Farmers' Market** Program also continued in their outdoor venues.

"To all the nurses and ladies at the WIC office, your baby shower and breast feeding class were so sweet and amazing...it made me feel not so alone, and I truly learned a lot."  
WIC Mom

**Narcan** saves lives. **412** individuals trained;  
**440** Narcan kits provided; **18** known reversals  
**You might be the first responder.**  
**Be prepared.**

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**ACCIDENTAL**  
Overdoses Happen  
**Narcan Saves Lives!**  
Free Narcan:  
**LoganHealth.org**  
Logan County Health District  
POISON Help  
1-800-222-1222

## Environmental Health Division

Protecting Logan County's food, air and water for the better health of all!

Program	Licenses & Permits		Inspections	
	2019	2020	2019	2020
Solid Waste Landfill	1	1	11	11
Resident Camps	7	4*	10	7
Public Pools	31	27*	153	76*
RV Parks	41	42	97	70*
Private Sewage	62	72	100	128
Private Water	115	149	181	122
Commercial Plumbing	74	60	NA	99
Residential Plumbing	205	164	NA	270
Food Facilities	276	291	1068	449*
Mobile Food Services	79	63*	**	**
Vending Locations	79	72	79	72
Temporary Food Services	33	8*	33	8
Manufactured Home Parks	NA	NA	23	29
Water Samples Tested	NA	NA	552	524
Animal Bite Investigations	NA	NA	110	186
Sewage Operation and Maintenance	1752	961	0	0

\* Many facilities did not open, or opened late, due to COVID-19 restrictions  
 \*\*Each locally licensed mobile facility receives at least 1 inspection / year



“Thank you for trying to keep small businesses like myself open. It’s refreshing and reassuring to know that we have leaders here fighting for us.”

Local Campground Owner

**2,476 hours** were spent by inspectors helping businesses stay open during COVID and 179 business plans were reviewed for reopening after the shutdown.



“Logan County has been more responsive and ahead of the curve than other counties!”

Business and Medical Partner

## Fun Fact

*Paisley* was the most common name for girls in Logan County in 2020.

The most common name for boys was *Jackson*, most often spelled *Jaxon*.

## 2020 Vital Records Report

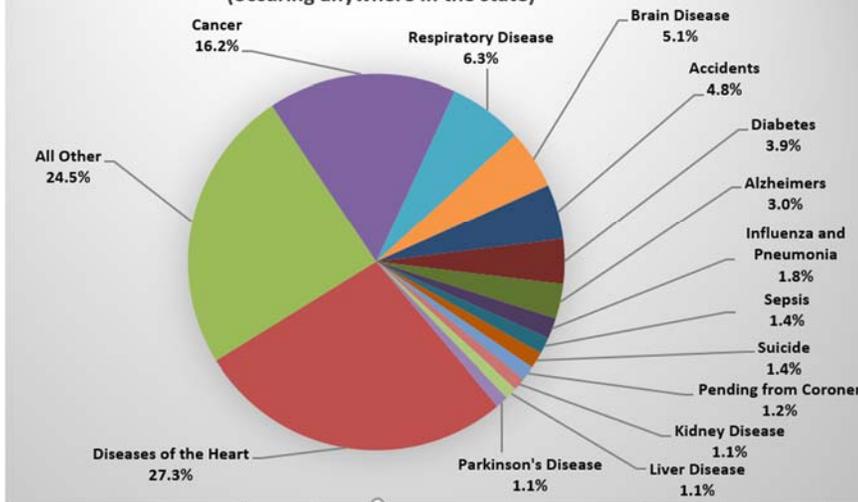
Birth Certificates Issued	2,283	Death Certificates Issued	1,701
Births in Logan County	326	Deaths in Logan County	436
Births of Residents elsewhere in Ohio	483	Deaths of Residents elsewhere in Ohio	572
Hospital Births	308	Females	218
Home Births	18	Males	218
Females	168	Age 100+	4
Males	158	Oldest	102 years
Sets of Twins	2	Youngest	2 Months

Data Sources: LCHD & ODH Vital Statistics

## Did you know?

- LCHD never closed due to COVID-19.
- New **safety** measures were put in place, including a front **walk-up window**.
- LCHD can issue **birth certificates** for births that occurred **anywhere in Ohio**.

## 2020 Leading Causes of Death for Logan County Residents (occurring anywhere in the state)



Of these deaths, 43 (9%) were COVID-19 related as of 3/17/21

"They (LCHD) have been incredible people to work with."  
School Partner



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## 2020 Financial Report

	Revenue	Expenditures	Balance
General Public Health	1,394,000	1,041,622	352,378
RV Parks/Campgrounds	13,506	12,427	1,079
Food Safety	101,696	94,134	7,562
Water Systems	48,031	43,533	4,498
Swimming Pools	11,020	8,725	2,295
Sewage Systems	138,688	139,920	(1,232)
Infectious Waste	324	352	(28)
C&DD Waste	8,719	6,342	2,377
Solid Waste	60,000	117,469	(57,469)
Federal WIC	179,615	200,062	(20,447)
Federal Emergency Preparedness	105,214	91,512	13,702
Get Vaccinated Ohio	18,250	17,428	822
Coronavirus Response	306,784	297,852	8,932
Contact Tracing	146,045	125,091	20,954
<b>Total Receipts</b>	<b>\$2,531,892</b>	<b>\$2,196,469</b>	<b>\$335,423</b>

LCHD's financial accounts are audited biennially on behalf of the state and are found to be presented fairly with no significant findings.