

Custer County Snapshot

Healthy People in Healthy Communities

Eastern Idaho Public Health serves Custer County through their office buildings in Challis and Mackay, local schools, nursing homes, health fairs and more. We offer services such as WIC benefits, immunizations, food licensing, and septic inspections. The following are highlights of services provided in 2023.

	Immunization Visits	Vaccines Administered
Adults >18	943	1420
Children <19	178	360
Total	1121	1780

Immunizations

Clinics provide vaccines for all ages including Influenza, COVID, Foreign Travel, and Routine. Limited reduced-cost vaccines are available for the under/uninsured.

Environmental Health

EH staff work to help reduce potential food outbreaks and manage septic systems to ensure clean water for the community.

	Food Establishments	Land Development	Septic Permits Issued
2021	76	19	82
2022	77	9	57
2023	71	7	51

*Custer County has 2 solid waste sites.

Women, Infants, and Children

Number of Clients Served	53
WIC Food Dollars Spent	\$29,081

WIC is a supplemental nutritional program for women, infants, and children who meet eligibility guidelines. WIC teaches healthy choices and breastfeeding support, offers risk screenings, and provides healthy foods like milk, fruits, vegetables and more.



Reported Cases

Sexually Transmitted Diseases	6
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Vaccine Preventable Diseases	2
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Other Reportable Diseases	6
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Epidemiology

Doctors, labs, and other healthcare professionals are required to report certain diseases in Idaho. Staff track and determine disease impact and monitor trends to educate and provide prevention strategies.

Reproductive Health

This program treats, educates, and counsels individuals through annual exams, pregnancy tests, birth control, and STD visits. Most services are based on a sliding fee scale depending on household income.

Reproductive Health Appointments	107
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Preventative Appointments	24
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STI/STD Visits	48
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Drug Overdose Prevention

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Overdose Prevention Tools distributed into the community consisting of medical lockboxes and Deterra deactivation pouches.

The Drug Overdose Prevention Program works to educate communities on the dangers of substance misuse. Staff partner with local law enforcement, healthcare providers, and community leaders to offer trainings and resources for organizations and individuals.

Fit & Fall Proof Classes

10 participants

2x/week

Mackay Class