



Meeting Agenda

TCBOH Meeting October 22, 2024

12:00	I.	Call To Order	Dr. Christina Moylan, Board President
12:01	II.	Privilege Of The Floor	Anyone may address the Board. 3 minutes per person.
12:04	III.	Approval Of Minutes	Board Members
12:06	IV.	Financial Summary	Jeremy Porter, Fiscal Administrator
12:09	V.	Medical Director's Report	Dr. William Klepack, Medical Director
12:12	VI.	Commissioners Shared Report	Frank Kruppa, Whole Health Commissioner
12:15	VII.	Division Highlights Reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Community Health (Rachel Buckwalter)• Health Promotion Program (Samantha Hillson)• Children with Special Care Needs (Jessica Clark Manderville)• Environmental Health (Elizabeth Cameron)

12:30 VIII. [New Business](#)

Enforcement Actions

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

1. Draft Resolution #EH-ENF-24-0013 – De Mokha Coffee, Violations of Subpart 14-1 of New York State Sanitary Code (Food Service) (5 mins.)
2. Draft Resolution #ENF-24-0014 - Ithaca Yacht Club Luna, Violations of Subpart 14-1 of New York State Sanitary Code (Food Service) (5 mins.)

Administrative Actions

ADMINISTRATION

No new business this month

1:00 IX. Adjournment

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

**Tompkins County Board of Health
September 24, 2024
12:00 Noon
Rice Conference Room and via Zoom**

Present: Christina Moylan, Ph.D., President; Melissa Dhundale, MD, Vice-President; Susan Merkel; Samara Touchton; Dr. Andreia de Lima

Staff: Frank Kruppa, Commissioner; Harmony Ayers-Friedlander, Deputy Commissioner of Mental Health Services; Samantha Hillson, Director of Health Promotion Program; Adriel Shea, Senior Environmental Health Specialist; Rachel Buckwalter, Director of Community Health; Jessica Clark Mandeville, Director of Children with Special Care Needs; Zoe Lincoln, Whole Health Planner; and Karan Palazzo, LGU Administrative Assistant.

Excused: Edward Koppel, MD; Ravinder Kingra; Brenda Grinnell Crosby, Deputy Public Health Director; Dr. William Klepack, Medical Director; and Elizabeth Cameron, Director of Environmental Health

Guests: None

Call to Order: Dr. Moylan called the regular meeting of the Board of Health (BOH) to order at noon.

Privilege of the Floor: None

Approval of August 27, 2024, BOH Minutes: Ms. Black moved to approve August 27, 2024, minutes, second by Ms. Merkel. All were in favor of approving the August 27, 2024, minutes and the motion carried.

Financial Summary: Mr. Kruppa reported on behalf of Mr. Porter. Proactive efforts have been taken to manage the budget funds and necessary adjustments will be made before the end of the year. They do not have the opportunity to use rollover funds as they have in the past.

Medical Director's Report and Discussion: Dr. Klepack was not present. Mr. Kruppa reported on his behalf. He referred to the report included in the package and was available to answer questions.

Ms. Merkel was interested in the overdose prevention centers Dr. Klepack included in his report. Mr. Kruppa responded that Dr. Klepack is very interested in the centers and is involved in community conversations and public presentations, but there have been no changes in the community.

Administration Report: Mr. Kruppa reported that Tompkins County Whole Health presented its 2025 budget proposal to the legislature last week, which went well. He hopes the Maintenance of Effort budget will continue even with the existing Over-Target Requests (OTR). The legislature is challenged by the impact of new fund balance policies, tax rate increases, and large capital projects, which leaves no extra fund balance monies.

Ms. Black added that with sales tax revenue down 3-8% in 2023 and no more ARPA funds for some operations and special programs, there is less money in the budget.

Mr. Kruppa clarified the structure of the Whole Health internal tracking of public health and mental health budgets. Because the County's system can't give them the information needed, they keep internal budget tracking for public health. Mental health does not have the same type of system as yet. As new systems are incorporated, they will meet the needs of both.

Division for Community Health (DCH) Report: Ms. Buckwalter had nothing to add to her report included in the packet. She introduced newly hired Senior Community Health Nurse, Susan Laratta. Three other nurses were recently hired in September.

Health Promotion Program Report: Ms. Hillson reported that the 2025 Public Health Partnership Conference will be held from April 30th through May 2nd at the newly opened Ithaca Conference Center. Topics to be addressed include inequities, social determinants of health, environmental health and climate health adaptation, emergency preparedness and response, digital health and health innovation, health workforce resilience and burnout, and public health communication and misinformation. Organizations were encouraged to make submissions by October 18, 2024, on relevant topics.

Children with Special Care Needs (CSCN) Report: Ms. Clark Manderville had nothing to add to her written report included in the packet. She reported that the speech pathologist decreased the waitlist from 50 to 27. They are working with NYS to contract with interested providers who want to start in the early intervention program.

Environmental Health (EH) Report: Ms. Cameron was not present. Mr. Shea reported on her behalf and had nothing to add to the written report included in the packet.

Mr. Kruppa noted that starting October 16, 2024, public water systems must comply, with the Lead Service Lines and Copper Rule requirements. There is no funding to help property owners replace their lines, as the connecting lines to the homes or businesses end at the meter and are the property owner's responsibility. Mr. Shea said the water supplier will notify individuals who need to replace their lead lines, once the inventory is complete.

Ms. Black added that she attended a conference and there were conversations about the necessary upgrades to the infrastructure. The federal government has set aside billions of dollars but is very

concerned about the shortage of steamfitters and plumbers for this work to be done throughout the entire United States

Dr. Moylan appreciated the report summarizing the impacts on the EH division and the opportunities for public outreach and awareness of the new regulations.

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

Enforcement Actions:

Draft Revised Resolution #EH-ENF-24-0012 - Best Western University Inn Pool, Violation of Subpart 6-1 of the New York State Sanitary Code (Swimming Pool) (5 mins.) – Ms. Black moved to accept the resolution as written; seconded by Ms. Touchton.

No discussion.

All were in favor; the vote to approve the resolution as written was unanimous.

ADMINISTRATION:

Other Administrative Actions:

Dr. Moylan thanked Ms. Susan Merkel for her many years of service to the community. She is stepping down from her seat on the BOH and was presented with a certificate of appreciation.

Establish a Nominating Committee – Mr. Kruppa stated that a nominating committee must be established for Ms. Merkel's vacant seat and a recommendation for Dr. de Lima's seat on the BOH whose term ends 12/31/2024. Dr. de Lima has expressed interest in reapplying for her seat.

The nominating committee will:

1. Review the applications
2. Select applicants to interview
3. Conduct interviews (during the interview the nominating committee will give their perspective on serving on the BOH along with established questions)
4. Make a recommendation to the BOH

The BOH will forward the recommendation to the legislature for final approval.

Dr. Moylan, Ms. Black, and Ms. Touchton volunteered for the 2024 BOH Nominating Committee. Dr. Moylan will reach out to Dr. Koppel and Mr. Kingra to see if either is interested.

The next meeting is on Tuesday, October 22nd, 2024 @ noon.

The meeting adjourned at 12:30 pm

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

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See following page

Tompkins County Financial Report for Public Health

Year: **24** Month: **9**

Percentage of Year: 75.00%		<u>Expenditures</u>			<u>Revenues</u>			<u>Local Share</u>		
		Budget	Paid YTD	%	Budget	YTD	%	Budget	YTD	%
4010	PH ADMINISTRATION	2,448,529	1,617,299	66.05%	689,650	479,336	69.50%	1,758,879	1,137,963	64.70%
4012	WOMEN, INFANTS & CHILDREN	584,417	398,767	68.23%	584,417	352,668	60.35%	0	46,099	
4015	VITAL RECORDS	86,719	56,993	65.72%	115,000	79,469	69.10%	-28,281	-22,476	79.47%
4016	COMMUNITY HEALTH	2,048,221	1,156,503	56.46%	584,002	346,636	59.36%	1,464,219	809,867	55.31%
4018	HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOOD PROG	210,074	130,619	62.18%	204,811	60,541	29.56%	5,263	70,079	1331.53%
4047	PLNG. & COORD. OF C.S.N.	2,151,912	1,036,987	48.19%	822,852	230,728	28.04%	1,329,060	806,259	60.66%
4090	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	2,211,857	1,546,226	69.91%	603,064	375,586	62.28%	1,608,793	1,170,640	72.77%
4092	PUB HLTH COVID SCHOOL GRN	0	0		0	0		0	0	
4095	PUBLIC HEALTH STATE AID				2,150,134	1,237,752	57.57%	-2,150,134	-1,237,752	57.57%
Non-Mandate		9,741,729	5,943,395	61.01%	5,753,930	3,162,717	54.97%	3,987,799	2,780,678	69.73%
2960	PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATI	5,442,000	2,654,374	48.78%	3,450,000	1,725,665	50.02%	1,992,000	928,708	46.62%
4017	MEDICAL EXAMINER PROGRAM	375,865	187,772	49.96%	0	1,350 #Error		375,865	186,422	49.60%
4054	EARLY INTERV (BIRTH-3)	503,000	255,738	50.84%	130,000	169,770	130.59%	373,000	85,968	23.05%
Mandate		6,320,865	3,097,884	49.01%	3,580,000	1,896,785	52.98%	2,740,865	1,201,099	43.82%
Total Public Health		16,062,594	9,041,279	56.29%	9,333,930	5,059,502	54.21%	6,728,664	3,981,777	59.18%

BALANCES (Including Encumbrances)

Non Mandate		Available Budget	Revenues Needed	Mandate		Available Budget	Revenues Needed
4010	PH ADMINISTRATION	826,431	210,314	2960	PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATI	2,787,626	1,724,335
4012	WOMEN, INFANTS & CHILDREN	183,049	231,749	4017	MEDICAL EXAMINER PROGRAM	119,759	-1,350
4015	VITAL RECORDS	29,688	35,531	4054	EARLY INTERV (BIRTH-3)	247,262	-39,770
4016	COMMUNITY HEALTH	891,261	237,366			3,154,647	1,683,215
4018	HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOOD PROG	79,416	144,270				
4047	PLNG. & COORD. OF C.S.N.	1,113,692	592,124				
4090	ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH	645,151	227,478				
4092	PUB HLTH COVID SCHOOL GRN	0	0				
4095	PUBLIC HEALTH STATE AID	0	912,382				
		3,768,688	2,591,213				

Total Public Health Balances

<u>Available Budget</u>	<u>Revenues Needed</u>
6,923,336	4,274,428

MEDICAL DIRECTOR REPORT

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Eastern Equine Encephalitis (EEE),

EEE, a mosquito-borne viral infection, has caused one human death this year in NYS. We hadn't had this tragedy occur in many years. As another marker of this year's EEE severity, more than 20 horses have been found to be infected, and a great number of pools of water have been found to have EEE-infected mosquitoes.

We created media releases to inform the public that the only strategy we have is to prevent mosquito bites and we informed them about how to do it. The weather is turning colder as I write. Last night we had a near frost. Once we have a few nights of frost mosquitoes will fall in population. Hopefully this will occur without further human infections.

Demographic Shifts and Public Health

On Tuesday, October 1st, I attended a workshop to generate ideas for our region regarding the demographic change predicted in the coming generation (from now until 2040). In that time period, the US population is predicted to plateau. Were it not for immigration our population would decline. Since the number of persons will become the same at every age from youngest to oldest significant public health, economic, business, and service challenges will result. We have been so used to having far more young people compared to the elderly population that it is difficult to conceive of a world where that no longer will be the case. The meeting was hosted by the Office for the Aging, and it is expected that the ideas generated will prompt further meetings and more ideas.

Trends in Covid

Anecdotally at a recent music event, the band asked its audience to raise their hand if they have been recently infected. Approximately half the audience did so. This middle to late summer/early fall wave was not as severe as the prior year's but did put many out of work and school for some time and, undoubtedly, resulted in a number more cases of that malady – long-term Covid. It is predicted that we will see a winter wave as well. With that possibility the 2024-5 new formulation of Covid vaccine comes at a strategically important time. If our population would get this vaccine this fall, they would be in a good position to minimize their risk during this winter's wave.

Long-term Covid means, too often, long-term loss of income, brain fog, fatigue, cough, and a host of other costly and unpleasant symptoms. Covid is to be avoided since each case is a roll of the dice as to whether a person will suffer symptoms that last months and possibly years.

Diseases of note from the [Communicable Disease report for TC YTD](#)

	2024		2023		2022		2021		Ave (2021-2023)	
CYCLOSPORA	4	5.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
DENGUE FEVER**	6	7.9	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
LYME DISEASE** ****	431	568.7	415	547.5	265	349.6	44	58.1	241	318.0
MONKEYPOX	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	4.0	0	0.0	1	1.3
PERTUSSIS**	7	9.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS	165	217.7	64	84.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	21	27.7
SYPHILIS TOTAL.....	11	14.5	12	15.8	34	44.9	24	31.7	23	30.3

Since NYS has had no locally acquired Dengue cases the 6 reported cases are presumed to be in travelers to endemic areas.

LYME DISEASE

Appears poised to hit a new high. Adult tick season is starting now. These ticks are twice as likely to be infected compared to the ticks of spring and early summer. Adult ticks are larger and more likely to be seen by your patient. Precautions against ticks will continue to be important unless our temperatures are well below 35 F.

M-POX

Has not reared its head again so far locally.

PERTUSSIS

Having an upsurge statewide, and our region is no exception although many of the cases outside our region have been far more numerous. Cases have been unusually prevalent in college students. The acellular pertussis vaccine introduced in the mid-1990s seems to have less “staying” power compared to the cellular pertussis that was phased out due to side effects. Boosting with acellular pertussis may need to be more frequent.

RSV

Became a reportable disease last fall. We are just now beginning to establish a baseline.

SYPHILIS

Seems to be a bit lower for the second year.

MARBURG

On September 27, 2024, the Ministry of Health of the Republic of Rwanda reported cases of Marburg Virus Disease ([Marburg](#)), a rare, severe viral hemorrhagic fever, in health facilities in the country. These are the first known cases of Marburg in Rwanda.

To screen travelers Rwandan travelers will be routed to Chicago (ORD), New York (JFK), and Washington D.C. (IAD) airports. Public health entry screening is part of a layered approach that, when used with other public health measures already in place to detect ill arriving travelers, can slow and reduce the spread of disease into the United States. The risk of the Marburg virus in the U.S. remains low.

Additionally, the CDC is using an automated system to send general Marburg health text messages to international air travelers arriving from Rwanda. Text messaging allows the CDC to provide relevant and timely public health information and instructions directly to travelers and further facilitates future communication between travelers and public health officials. Travelers will receive text messages after arriving in the United States from Rwanda. The text messages will include information about symptoms and advise travelers on what to do if they feel sick. Travelers should watch for symptoms until 21 days after they leave the outbreak area.

On October 7, CDC issued a [Level 3 Travel Health Notice](#) for Rwanda, which includes recommendations for people travel to Rwanda to Reconsider Nonessential Travel, and on October 3, CDC issued a [Health Alert](#) to clinicians and issued [interim recommendations](#) for public health management of U.S.-based healthcare personnel who were present in a healthcare facility in Rwanda in the previous 21 days.

WEST NILE

Total cases YTD = 9 outside of NYC. This year we are well in excess of prior years for cases.

AVIAN INFLUENZA

Positive cow herds for **avian influenza** continue to increase nationally. No linkage in human cases have been found. So far, no herds positive in NYS.

WHCU interviews this past month

HOMELESSNESS

Focused on who are the homeless with information gleaned from the recording of the September Mental Health Community Services Board <https://www.youtube.com/live/LQdm6BE2yco>

EASTERN EQUINE ENCEPHALITIS (EEE)

In addition, while I was out of town the pieces were aired that I prerecorded which were mentioned in my report of September.

COMMISSIONER SHARED REPORT

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Whole Health Highlights

- County budget deliberation have to date include all OTRs except for two CHN positions and the rural community outreach workers. The budget will not be final until a full Legislature vote in November.
- The Commissioner and Director of Health Promotion attended a health equity dinner sponsored by CHS and Cornell's Brooks School. Conversations centered around areas for collaboration and identification of some next steps to continue the conversation.

Shared Topics Update

Strategic Planning/Merger

INTEGRATION:

Merge the department structures to become one organization and increase our ability to better serve our clients and community.

- Our Client-Needs team is working towards a Client Needs Analysis. So far, the team has been working to identify partner organizations we may be able to survey about client needs/perceptions and identifying what information to collect and assess from community members.
- Our Internal Efficiency team is working towards sending out a survey to staff to assess areas where efficiency (related to technologies/processes) could potentially be streamlined/improved. This team has been collaborating with other CFTs to ensure the survey is administered using best practices and have a plan to share results back with staff, which is exciting!

CULTURE:

Align the organization around our shared mission and values-based culture to create an empowered, engaged, and cohesive team.

COMMUNITY:

Strengthen the collaborative effort within Tompkins County to equitably impact individual and population health.

DATA:

Review and establish effective data collection to measure programmatic, organizational and county progress towards achieving our priorities.

- Our DEIB CFT has been working to improve our demographic data collection. The team sent out a survey to gauge support needed by staff when it comes to asking clients demographic questions. Next, this team will be looking at defining the demographic indicators that TCWH will use uniformly, and will be working to also standardize the demographic questions asked by staff.

CSB Update

- Cayuga Health Systems presented on the affiliation with Arnott and the impacts on Mental Health and substance use services.
- Commissioner reported on selection of Cayuga Health Services for the detox and crisis stabilization RFP. CHS has also received approval to apply for an Intensive crisis Stabilization center to be housed at the Triphammer facility.

DIVISION FOR COMMUNITY HEALTH

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Highlights

Communicable Disease

Notable communicable disease investigations in September:

- Campylobacter – 4 cases: 2 cases had campylobacter in wounds; the other 2 cases were a 7 yo and a 20 yo with GI symptoms and no known cause
- Cryptosporidiosis – 1 case: 77 yo with co-morbidities, hospitalized for 7 days
- Giardia – 3 cases: the case histories included food consumption in England, in Boston, and from a local festival
- Salmonella - 2 cases: 1 case, a 3 yo, who consumed raw eggs in Italy; 1 case, 68 yo with a backyard flock of chickens, transferred to Upstate with severe symptoms and hospitalized for 5 days; made full recovery
- Pertussis – 1 case: The case is a vaccinated college student which led to 6 other probable cases (household contacts), which will be reported in October. There are many reported pertussis cases across New York State.
- Yersiniosis - 1 case: 39 yo with chronic GI issues over a year, unknown cause
- Anaplasmosis - 13 cases, notable were two elderly cases with co-morbidities and hospitalizations of 5 and 13 days
- Babesiosis - 4 cases: 1 case co-infected with Lyme, another co-infected with Anaplasmosis

IMMUNIZATIONS

- The back to school immunization rush this year resulted in a very high volume of clients seen in our on-site Friday immunization clinic. We opened extra clinics on Tuesdays and ran double clinics with two nurses to accommodate the demand. There were 74 child immunization appointments at our clinic in September of 2024. To compare, we had 43 child immunization appointments in September of 2023.
- Many of the families seen here for immunizations struggle with barriers to accessing healthcare including lack of transportation, lack of insurance, no primary care provider, or a new arrival to the state/country. We work closely with school nurses and local pediatric offices to help provide resources and connect these families with needed services.

STAFFING

- We are pleased to report that Rose Goosen has accepted the offer for the community health nurse position vacated when Deb Axtell retired. Rose will start on November 12th. She will be working mainly in maternal child health and will also be trained in SafeCare and immunizations.

MOBILE CLINICS

- We are planning 5 Covid/flu mobile clinics in October for vulnerable populations within Tompkins County (elderly, new immigrants/refugees). So far we have clinics planned at McGraw House, Lifelong, Juniper Manor (Trumansburg), Ellis Hollow Apartments, and Open Doors English. We will be providing flu vaccine, high dose flu vaccine and the 2024-2025 Moderna Covid vaccine at these clinics.
- On September 26th we provided an Mpox vaccine clinic at STAP Ithaca. Seven people received the first dose of Jynneos vaccine at this clinic. A second dose clinic is planned for October 24th. We continue to offer Jynneos at our on-site Friday immunization clinic.

WIC

- The Farmers' Market Nutrition Program (FMNP) is ending 9/30/24. Participants will still be able to redeem their coupons at local farmers markets in Tompkins County through November 30th . This year we issued 1120 booklets, each worth \$25.00 totaling 28,000 of potential revenue for farmers.
- National WIC Association is excited to present the 2024 State of WIC Report, marking 50 years of improving maternal and child health across the U.S.
- In September we serve 482 individuals, accommodated 78 same day appointments and 21 people that had scheduled appointments and didn't show.

Program Updates

SAFECARE PROGRAM

- 2 clients are currently enrolled in this program and are progressing through the program with regular home visits.
- October is SafeCare accreditation month. We will be working with the National SafeCare Training and Research Center to have our program accredited for 2025.

MOMS PLUS+

- Caryl Silberman, senior community health nurse, attended a Lunch and Learn with LATCH partners and OBGYN staff on Sept 23, 2024. She talked with providers about how Moms PLUS+ can help pregnant and postpartum clients.
- New CHN Emily Baker started 9/3 who will be 50% MOMS+ and 50% CD. Emily is working on becoming a certified lactation counselor.
- MOMS nurses completed 57 home visits in September 2024. This is an increase from 49 visits in August 2024.
- There were 58 referrals made to the MOMS Plus+ program during September 2024, an increase from 41 referrals in August 2024.
- There were 16 new admissions to the MOMS Plus+ program in September 2024, up from 15 in August 2024.

- There are currently 57 clients enrolled in MOMS Plus+ as of the end of September 2024, about the same as the previous month.

RABIES

- CHS nurses administered 27 rabies vaccines to patients in the month of September. While most of the exposures were still due to bats, there were also several that were attributable to dog bites (dog's status was unable to be verified) as well as from a wildlife bite.

LEAD

- We are planning several events for Lead Poisoning Prevention Week which is October 20-26, 2024. There will be a lead awareness door hanger campaign in Groton on Oct 26th and a lead testing event at ReUse on Oct 22.
- There are currently 21 children receiving nursing case management for elevated blood lead levels. There were 2 new admissions in September.

HIV

- CHS nurses did 1 HIV test at STAP and 1 HIV test at Brown Rd clinic in the month of September.

[CHS Appendix](#)

- NYSDOH Communicable Disease Reports
- WIC Caseload table

HEALTH PROMOTION PROGRAM

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Highlights

- Communications Team addresses misinformation on social media to provide accurate disease information as well as an effort to decrease stigma about supportive housing. [Health Alert: Addressing Misinformation on Parvovirus in Local Housing Units; Clarifying Risks to Pets & Steps to Take | Tompkins County NY](#)

STAFFING

- CHW position: interview process in progress

Program Updates

HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOODS PROGRAM

- Drafted medical provider letter to encourage referrals for patients who have asthma.
- HNP Staff tabled at Airport Day & Preparedness Expo Event and BEAR Walk resource fair at Cornell.

TOBACCO FREE TOMPKINS COUNTY

- Updating JUUL Settlement proposal based on update from NYS Bureau of Tobacco Control – the state will promote large-scale media campaigns.
- Purity Ice Cream requested signage for their location.

COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKER (CHW) AND HIP TOMPKINS (PICHC) PROGRAMS

- CHW job posting closed, applications were reviewed, and interviews were scheduled.
- Tompkins County Quilters Guild displayed quilts they are donating to the HiP Tompkins Program for infants participating in the program

COMMUNITY HEALTH ASSESSMENT (CHA) & COMMUNITY HEALTH IMPROVEMENT PLAN (CHIP)

- On September 9, the CHI Tompkins Steering Committee, in partnership with the Health Planning Council, hosted a follow-up structured discussion with community partners who had completed the Community Partner Assessment. About 40 people attended.

COMMUNICATIONS

- Event Promotion: Tompkins County Airport Day & Preparedness Expo (with Dept. Of Emergency Response); Tompkins County sponsored American Red Cross Blood Drive; EH Rabies Vaccination

Clinic; Tompkins County Suicide Prevention Coalition's Youth Mental Health & Wellness
Community Town Hall

- Promotional Materials: completion of Lead Poisoning Prevention banners; revamped Children & Youth Mental Health Services brochures; Domestic Violence Awareness Month planning.
- Planning for lead poisoning awareness event in mid-October during Lead Poisoning Prevention Week.

[HPP Appendix](#)

- Opioids, Monthly overdose calls to 911
- CHWs
- HNP, Monthly Activity table
- COVID-19
- Media
 - [Press releases](#)
- Outreach and Training (all staff)
- Committee and Partnership Meetings

CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL CARE NEEDS

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Highlights

Staff Training:

- All staff have had the opportunity to participate in the EI Hub go live trainings. This invitation to meet and go over these trainings have been extended out to all service providers as well.
- All provider meeting was held on Friday, September 27th at the TCWH – Brown Rd site.

Program Updates

EARLY INTERVENTION

- SLP hired by the county has picked up 18 children off the therapy needs list, with 19 visits a week so far with more potential each week as her caseload grows.
- The proposal for the reallocation of funds to keep 2 positions and to allow for current providers to receive a stipend per service rendered, including ongoing services and evaluations has been approved by the legislator. Creating contacts with all therapists have been completed and sent out for private providers and agencies to sign.
- There have been a few inquiries about the other position at the county, but all providers have been looking for part-time work, not full time.
- Early Intervention experiencing wait lists for all specialties.
- Speech (21) Feeding (0), OT (6), PT (12), SI (16), SW (4)
- Referrals received September: 18
- EI has made efforts to make relationships with core teams outside of the county. We have established relationships with Liberty Post in Syracuse and have gotten slots for families to travel there for evaluations. We have also created another local eval team at the Groton Elementary with Liberty Post
- Currently serving 189 active/qualified children in Early Intervention. 2 Total Child Find Cases

CSCN Appendix

- Statistics based on Calendar Year

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

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Highlights

TCAT RABIES CLINIC:

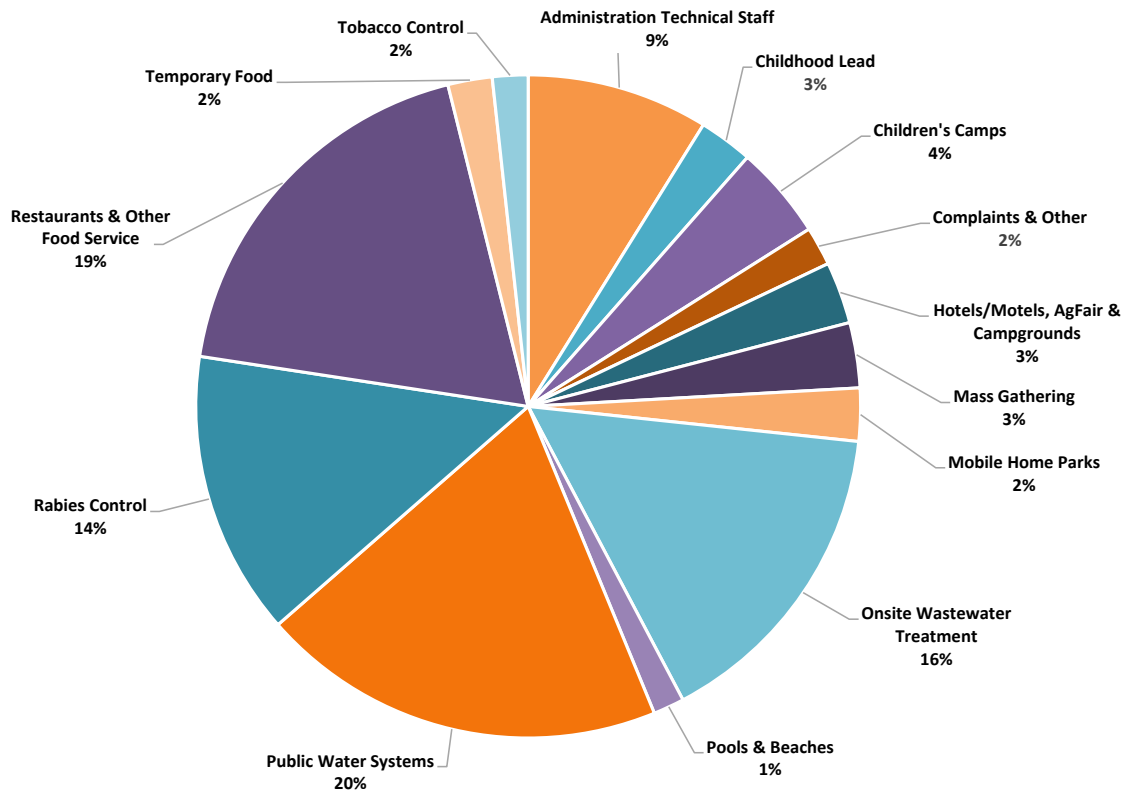
On September 14th, Environmental Health hosted a free rabies clinic at the TCAT Bus Garage. At the clinic, a total of 193 cats and dogs were vaccinated. Environmental Health would like to extend our appreciation and gratitude to all the veterinarian staff (Dr. Brian Collins, Dr. Patrick Carney, Diane Hwangpo and Isaiah Moten) as well as the EH staff that participated – Dillon Shultes, René Borgella, Tom Palmer, Nicole Piston, Doug Barnes, Kate Walker, Adriel Shea, Sarah Strapach, Bee Walsh, and Michelle Luther. Thanks also to former TCWH employees Jami Breedlove and Bonnie Hart for their assistance.

EPA LEAD SAFETY COURSE:

Thanks to René Borgella, Mike Robson, and Chris Laverack in EH and Daryl Heffron with Eco-Testing for organizing an EPA certified Lead Safety Course for Renovation, Repair and Painting. This 8-hour course is required for contractors and landlords that work on child-occupied properties built before 1978, the year when lead paint was prohibited from use in residential construction. Daryl Heffron, an EPA certified Lead Risk Assessor and Trainer, conducted the training for 10 Tompkins County contractors and landlords. Thanks also to Rachel Buckwalter and Brenda Crosby with TCWH and Rachel Cates with NYSDOH for modifying our Lead Grant so that the course could be offered free of charge.

Summary of Activity

Staff Time in Environmental Health Programs - September 2024



[Also see Appendix](#)

Program Updates

Food Program

FSE INSPECTIONS

The [results of food service establishment inspections](#) conducted in Tompkins County can be viewed directly on the Environmental Health website. Inspections can be sorted to meet the needs of the viewer (by facility, date, etc.) by clicking on the column heading of interest.

PLANS APPROVED THIS PERIOD

- None

NEW PERMITS ISSUED

- Belle Sherman After School Program - Annex, C-Ithaca
- Belle Sherman After School Program, C-Ithaca

- BJM Academic Plus Program, C-Ithaca
- Blaze 606, Throughout Tompkins
- Caroline After School Program, T-Caroline
- Cayuga Heights School Age Program, V-Cayuga Heights
- Lilos & E-Life Market, C-Ithaca
- Locos Tacos, Throughout Tompkins
- No. 53 Sweet, Throughout Tompkins
- Northeast Kids Count, C-Ithaca
- Speedsville BBQ, Throughout Tompkins
- Woodpepper, C-Ithaca

Boil Water Orders (BWOs)

NEW

Facility Name	BWO Issued	Reason	Corrective Action	Status
Hanshaw Village MHP	09/16/2024	Inadequate disinfection	Restore adequate disinfection & submit satisfactory samples	Satisfactory samples received; BWO released 09/21/24

ONGOING

Facility Name	BWO Issued	Reason	Corrective Action	Status
Dollar General North Lansing	02/08/2022	Operating without TCEH approval	Water System Approved	Monitoring System Operation
Dollar General Freeville	03/11/2024	Inadequate disinfection	Restore adequate disinfection & submit satisfactory samples	NOV Issued
Stone Bend Farm	06/05/2024	Unsatisfactory sample results	Install sanitary well cap & ensure UV Disinfection System is operating	Satisfactory samples pending
Roman Village	08/06/2024	Unsatisfactory sample results	Submit satisfactory samples	Satisfactory samples pending; NOV Issued w/ TTOC

RELEASED

Facility Name	BWO Issued	Reason	Corrective Action	Status
Upper Treman	08/13/2024	Loss of Pressure	Restore pressure & submit satisfactory samples	Satisfactory samples received; BWO released 09/19/24

Summary of Open BOH Enforcement Actions

Date of BOH Action	Facility	Owner/ Operator	Basis for Action	Penalty Assessed	Next BOH Order Deadline	Status
05/23/23	C&C/Chuck's (EH-ENF-22-0052)	Chuck's Gas Mart, Inc.	ATUPA – Underage Sale of Tobacco Products	\$2,750	Awaiting court ruling	Awaiting court ruling
12/05/23	Applegate Park MHP (EH-ENF-23-0024)	Joseph Giordano	Mobile Home Park – Violation of Board of Health Order	\$1725 (may be waived pending compliance)	Continue compliance through 12/31/24	Monitoring compliance
NOV Issued 04/09/24	Part of Ithaca Homeless Encampment (EH-NOV-24-0010)	City of Ithaca	TCSC Refuse Violations	NA	NA	Monitoring Compliance
NOV Issued 04/09/24	Part of Ithaca Homeless Encampment (EH-NOV-24-0011)	Watco-Ithaca Central Railroad	TCSC Refuse Violations	NA	NA	Monitoring Compliance
06/25/24	Holiday Inn Express Pool (EH-ENF-24-0009)	Cassidy Fox	Swimming Pool – Violation of Board of Health Orders	\$500	Operator training certificate due 07/15/24; Penalty Due 08/15/24	Awaiting training certificate & penalty; Late notice sent due 12/31/24
06/25/24	Brew 22 Coffee & Espresso (EH-ENF-24-0006)	Riley Brewer	PWS/Food Service – Violation of BOH Orders	\$8,700 (Payment agreement accepted 09/24/24)	In discussion with water operator (past due - 07/15/24)	Awaiting information; 2 nd payment due 10/15/24
06/25/24	Hanshaw Village MHP (EH-ENF-24-0003)	Cook Properties, NY	PWS – Repeat Critical Violations	\$1,500 (Paid 07/11/24)	Draft feasibility study due 11/15/24	Awaiting information
09/24/24	Best Western University Inn (EH-ENF-24-0012)	Southern Tier Hospitality, LLC	Swimming Pool – Repeat Critical Violations	\$400	Penalty due 11/15/25	Awaiting payment

[EH Appendix](#)

- Summary of Activity

NEW BUSINESS:

September 2024 Report | BOH Meeting October 22, 2024

Actions

Enforcement Actions

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH:

1. [Draft Resolution #EH-ENF-24-0013](#) – De Mokha Coffee, Violations of Subpart 14-1 of New York State Sanitary Code (Food Service) (5 mins.)
2. [Draft Resolution #ENF-24-0014](#) - Ithaca Yacht Club Luna, Violations of Subpart 14-1 of New York State Sanitary Code (Food Service) (5 mins.)

Find Enforcement Action Reports following this page

Administrative Actions

1. None for this meeting

CERTIFIED, REGULAR, & ELECTRONIC MAIL

October 7, 2024

Abduljabbar Ahmed
De Mokha Coffee
56 E. Main St.
Falconer, NY 14733

**Re: Tompkins County Board of Health Draft Resolution # EH-ENF-24-0013
Operating with a Valid Permit
De Mokha Coffee, C-Ithaca**

Dear Abduljabbar Ahmed:

Thank you for signing the Stipulation Agreement on September 23, 2024, for De Mokha Coffee. Enclosed is a copy of the Draft Resolution that the Tompkins County Board of Health will consider at its meeting on **Tuesday, October 22, 2024**.

You or a representative has the right to speak to the Board for a few minutes prior to them taking action. If you wish to speak to the Board in person or via zoom, please contact Kristee Morgan or me at (607) 274-6688 at least one day before the meeting. If you plan to attend, please arrive by 12:00 p.m. (noon).

Sincerely,



C. Elizabeth Cameron, P.E.
Director of Environmental Health

Enclosures: Draft Resolution, Stipulation Agreement and Orders, and Case Summary

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ec: CEO C-Ithaca; TC Legislature: Rich John; TCWH: Elizabeth Cameron, P.E., Director of Environmental Health; Frank Kruppa, Whole Health Commissioner; Brenda Crosby, Deputy Public Health Director; Kristee Morgan; Brenda Coyle
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Diversity Through Inclusion

DRAFT RESOLUTION # ENF-24-0013

**De Mokha Coffee
Abduljabbar Ahmed, Owner/Operator
210 Dryden Road
Ithaca, NY 14850**

Whereas, the Owner/Operator of a Food Service Establishment must comply with the regulations established under Subpart 14-1 of the New York State Sanitary Code; **and**

Whereas, this subpart requires a permit to operate a Food Service Establishment; **and**

Whereas, on July 26, 2024, Environmental Health Division staff observed De Mokha Coffee open to the public for food service without a valid permit issued by the Tompkins County Whole Health; **and**

Whereas, Abduljabbar Ahmed, Owner/Operator, signed a Stipulation Agreement with Whole Health Commissioners Orders on September 23, 2024, agreeing that De Mokha Coffee violated this provision of the New York State Sanitary Code; **now therefore be it**

**Resolved, on recommendation of the Tompkins County Board of Health,
That Abduljabbar Ahmed, Owner/Operator, is ordered to:**

1. Pay a penalty of \$200 for these violations, due by **December 15, 2024**. (**Do Not** submit penalty payment until notified by the Tompkins County Environmental Health Division); **and**
2. Submit a complete renewal application to obtain a Permit to Operate a Food Service Establishment at least 21 days before expiration of the existing permit during each year of operation.
3. Comply with all the requirements of Subpart 14-1 of the New York State Code for Food Service Establishments.

STIPULATION AGREEMENT AND ORDERS # ENF-24-0013

**De Mokha Coffee
Abduljabbar Ahmed, Owner/Operator
210 Dryden Road
Ithaca, NY 14850**

I, Abduljabbar Ahmed, as a representative for De Mokha Coffee, agree that on July 26, 2024, I was in violation of Subpart 14-1 of the New York State Sanitary Code for operating a food service establishment without a valid permit.

I agree to pay a penalty not to exceed \$200 for this violation/these violations following adoption of a resolution by the Board of Health. (**Do not** submit penalty payment until notified by the Tom-pkins County Environmental Health Division.)

I also agree to comply with the following Orders when signed by the Tom-pkins County Whole Health Commissioner:

1. Submit a complete renewal application to obtain a Permit to Operate a Food Service Establishment at least 21 days before expiration of the existing permit during each year of operation.
2. Comply with all the requirements of Subpart 14-1 of the New York State Code for Food Service Establishments.

I understand this agreement is offered as an alternative to a formal administrative hearing and that I am subject to further action if I fail to comply with the orders.

Signed: Abduljabbar Ahmed Date: 09-23-2024

De Mokha Coffee is hereby ordered to comply with these Orders of the Whole Health Commissioner.

Signed: Brenda Grunkell Cronin Date: 9/22/24
for Frank Kruppa
Whole Health Commissioner

Diversity Through Inclusion

CASE SUMMARY – FOR RESOLUTION # ENF-24-0013

**De Mokha Coffee
Abduljabbar Ahmed, Owner/Operator
210 Dryden Road; Suite 2, C-Ithaca
Ithaca, NY 14850**

Compiled on September 10, 2024

Date	Action
7/29/2024	Application for a permit to operate De Mokha Coffee received and approved by TCEH. Permit to operate issued effective 7/30/2024.
7/26/2024	De Mokha Coffee observed to be open for business, TCEH had not received a permit application. Facility was placarded.
7/24/2024	TCEH conducts pre-operational inspection at De Mokha Facility advised that they need to submit a permit application prior to opening.
7/24/2024	Plan Approval letter signed by TCEH and permit application provided to applicant.
7/12/2024	Complete Plan review received by TCEH.
7/9/2024	E-mail sent to De Mokha Coffee with Plan Review materials and information regarding plan review including language that the plan review and permit application are separate processes.

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CERTIFIED, REGULAR, & ELECTRONIC MAIL

October 7, 2024

Kevin Sullivan
310 Stewart Ave. Inc.
310 Stewart Ave.
Ithaca, NY 14850

**Re: Tompkins County Board of Health Draft Resolution # EH-ENF-24-0014
Failure to Provide Metal stem-type Probe Thermometer to Evaluate Food Temperatures
Ithaca Yacht Club Luna, T-Ulysses**

Dear Kevin Sullivan:

Thank you for signing the Stipulation Agreement on September 25, 2024, for Ithaca Yacht Club Luna. Enclosed is a copy of the Draft Resolution that the Tompkins County Board of Health will consider at its meeting on **Tuesday, October 22, 2024**.

You or a representative has the right to speak to the Board for a few minutes prior to them taking action. If you wish to speak to the Board in person or via zoom, please contact Kristee Morgan or me at (607) 274-6688 at least one day before the meeting. If you plan to attend, please arrive by 12:00 p.m. (noon).

Sincerely,



C. Elizabeth Cameron, P.E.
Director of Environmental Health

Enclosures: Draft Resolution, Stipulation Agreement and Orders, Inspection Report, and Case Summary

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DRAFT RESOLUTION # ENF-24-0014

**Ithaca Yacht Club Luna
Kevin Sullivan, Operator; 310 Stewart Ave. Inc., Owner
1090 Glenwood Road
Ithaca, NY 14850**

Whereas, an owner/operator of a Food Service Establishment must comply with the regulations established under Subpart 14-1 of the New York State Sanitary Code (NYSSC); **and**

Whereas, it is a critical violation of Part 14-1 of the NYSSC to fail to provide or use an accurate thermometer to evaluate the temperatures of potentially hazardous foods; **and**

Whereas, on August 27, 2024, and September 6, 2024, the Environmental Health Division (EH) observed critical violations of Subpart 14-1 of the NYSSC where accurate food probe thermometers were not provided or used to evaluate the temperatures of potentially hazardous foods; **and**

Whereas, Kevin Sullivan, Owner/Operator, signed a Stipulation Agreement with Whole Health Commissioners Orders on September 25, 2024, agreeing that Ithaca Yacht Club Luna violated this provision of the New York State Sanitary Code; **now therefore be it**

**Resolved, on recommendation of the Tompkins County Board of Health,
That Ithaca Yacht Club, Owner/Operator, is ordered to:**

1. Pay a penalty of \$400 for these violations, due by **December 15, 2024**. (**Do Not** submit penalty payment until notified by the Tompkins County Environmental Health Division); **and**
2. Provide and use accurate food probe thermometers during storage, cooking, cooling and holding of potentially hazardous foods; **and**
3. Comply with all the requirements of Subpart 14-1 of the New York State Code for Food Service Establishments.

STIPULATION AGREEMENT AND ORDERS # ENF-24-0014

Ithaca Yacht Club Luna
Kevin Sullivan, Operator; 310 Stewart Ave. Inc. Owner
1090 Glenwood Road
Ithaca, NY 14850

I, Kevin Sullivan, as a representative for Ithaca Yacht Club Luna, agree that on August 27, 2024 and September 6, 2024, Ithaca Yacht Club Luna was in violation of Subpart 14-1 of New York State Sanitary Code for failing to provide and use an accurate thermometer to evaluate temperatures of potentially hazardous foods during cooking, cooling, reheating and holding.

I agree to pay a penalty not to exceed \$400 for this violation following adoption of a resolution by the Board of Health. *(Do not submit penalty payment until notified by the Tomppkins County Environmental Health Division.)*

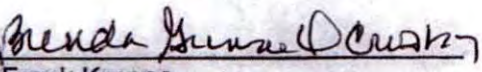

I also agree to comply with the following Orders when signed by the Tomppkins County Whole Health Commissioner:

1. Provide and actively use accurate food probe thermometers to evaluate the temperatures of all potentially hazardous food temperatures in cooking, cooling, reheating, and holding; **and**
2. Comply with all the requirements of Subpart 14-1 of the New York State Code for Food Service Establishments.

I understand this agreement is offered as an alternative to a formal administrative hearing and that I am subject to further action if I fail to comply with the orders.

Signed:  Date: 9/25/24

Kevin Sullivan is hereby ordered to comply with these Orders of the Whole Health Commissioner.

Signed:  Date: 9/30/24
 Frank Kruppa
Whole Health Commissioner

Food Service Establishment Inspection Summary Report

Operation: ITHACA YACHT CLUB LUNA (ID: 954061)
Facility Name: ITHACA YACHT CLUB
Facility Code: 54-AH09 Facility Email: ksulliva08@yahoo.com
Facility Address: 1090 Glenwood Road, Ithaca, NY 14850

To the Attention of:

Kevin Sullivan
310 STEWART AVE. INC.
308-310 Stewart Ave
Ithaca, NY 14850
Email: ksulliva08@yahoo.com

Inspection

Date: August 27, 2024 04:18 PM
Inspector: Mikhail Kern (mkern@tom-pkins-co.org)
Responsible Person: Chris Pellegrino

Summary

Number of Public Health Hazards Found:	1
Number of Public Health Hazards NOT Corrected:	0
Number of Other Violations Found:	0

Reinspection is Required

Each item found in violation is reported below along with the code requirement.

FOODS NOT PROTECTED FROM CONTAMINATION, TEMPERATURES NOT MEASURED.

ITEM # 2E WAS FOUND IN VIOLATION 1 TIME(S). CRITICAL VIOLATION

Part or parts of the item were observed to be in violation which were corrected at the time of inspection.


Code Requirements: Accurate thermometers not available or used to evaluate potentially hazardous food temperatures during cooking, cooling, reheating and holding.

Inspector Findings: Observed no probe thermometer available to evaluate temperatures.
Correction: Accurate probe thermometer must be available and used in order to ensure acceptable temperatures.
Operator intends to replace thermometer and obtain extras.
Discussed importance of having spare probe thermometers in kitchen for substitute cooks.


NO ADDITIONAL VIOLATIONS REPORTED

Additional Information Collected During Inspection

Comments: Part 1: Critical violation of Item #2E observed.
Part 2: No violations observed.
Reinspection required.



Inspector: Mikhail Kern (mkern@tompkins-co.org)



Received by: Chris Pellegrino



8/30/2024

TOMPKINS COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DIVISION
55 BROWN ROAD
Ithaca, NY 14850-0000
(607) 274-6688
TCEH@tom-pkins-co.org

Food Service Establishment Inspection Summary Report

Operation: ITHACA YACHT CLUB LUNA (ID: 954061)
Facility Name: ITHACA YACHT CLUB
Facility Code: 54-AH09 Facility Email: ksulliva08@yahoo.com
Facility Address: 1090 Glenwood Road, Ithaca, NY 14850

To the Attention of:

Kevin Sullivan
310 STEWART AVE. INC.
308-310 Stewart Ave
Ithaca, NY 14850
Email: ksulliva08@yahoo.com

Re-Inspection

Date: September 6, 2024 04:15 PM
Inspector: Mikhail Kern (mkern@tom-pkins-co.org)
Responsible Person: Refused To Sign
Additional Email(s): markalamond@gmail.com

Summary

Number of Public Health Hazards Found:	1
Number of Public Health Hazards NOT Corrected:	0
Number of Other Violations Found:	0

Reinspection is Required

Each item found in violation is reported below along with the code requirement.

FOODS NOT PROTECTED FROM CONTAMINATION, TEMPERATURES NOT MEASURED.

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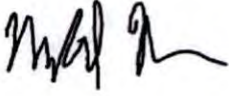
Code Requirements: Accurate thermometers not available or used to evaluate potentially hazardous food temperatures during cooking, cooling, reheating and holding.

Inspector Findings: No thermometer present in kitchen area to evaluate temperatures.
Correction: Thermometer must be present and used to ensure acceptable cooking, hot holding, and cold-holding temperatures.
This is a repeat violation from the previous inspection.

NO ADDITIONAL VIOLATIONS REPORTED

Additional Information Collected During Inspection

Comments: Part 1: Repeat critical violation of Item 2E observed.
Part 2: No violations observed.
Reinspection required.
Enforcement to follow.



Inspector: Mikhail Kern (mkern@tompkins-co.org)

Received by: Refused To Sign



9/9/2024

CASE SUMMARY – FOR RESOLUTION # ENF-24-0014

Ithaca Yacht Club Luna
Kevin Sullivan, Operator; 310 Stewart Ave. Inc. Owner
1090 Glenwood Road
Ithaca, NY 14850

Compiled on September 13, 2024

Date	Action
09/25/2024	TCEH received signed Stipulation Agreement.
09/13/2024	Stipulation Agreement sent to Operator.
09/06/2024	Re-inspection by TCEH. Violation: See attached inspection report.
08/27/2024	Inspection by TCEH. Violation: See attached inspection report.
08/25/2023	Re-inspection by TCEH. Violations cited on 8/11/2023 were corrected. No additional critical violations cited.
08/11/2023	Inspection by TCEH. Violations: Adulterated food on premises. An accurate thermometer was not available or used to evaluate temperatures of potentially hazardous foods. Precooked potentially hazardous foods were not reheated to 165°F or above within two hours.
09/23/2022	Inspection by TCEH. Violations: Cooked or prepared foods subject to cross contamination from raw foods. Potentially hazardous foods were not stored under refrigeration. Potentially hazardous foods were not stored at or above 140°F during hot holding. Facility closed for season after inspection and before a re-inspection could be conducted.
07/28/2021	Re-inspection by TCEH. Violations cited on 6/29/2021 were corrected. No additional critical violations cited.
06/29/2021	Inspection by TCEH. Violation: Enough refrigerated storage not maintained to keep potentially hazardous foods below 45°F in cold holding.
10/09/2020	Inspection by TCEH. Violation: Potentially hazardous foods not kept below 45°F in cold holding.
08/16/2019	Inspection by TCEH. No violations observed.

APPENDIX

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 - [Environmental Health](#)
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Community Health Services

WIC CASELOAD DATA FFY 2024

TCWH WIC Program	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEPT	AVG.
Target Caseload	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	1320	
Participation	1129	1131	1134	1146	1138	1121	1099	1086	1086	1083	1080	1119	1113
% Caseload Served	85.53%	85.68%	85.91%	86.82%	86.21%	84.92%	83.26%	82.27%	82.27%	82.05%	81.82%	84.77%	84.29%
% Change Per Month	1.27%	0.15%	0.23%	0.91%	-0.61%	-1.29%	-1.67%	-0.98%	0.00%	-0.23%	-0.23%	2.95%	0.04%
Total Eligibles	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	2226	
% Eligibles Served	50.72%	50.81%	50.94%	51.48%	51.12%	50.36%	49.37%	48.79%	48.79%	48.65%	48.52%	50.27%	49.99%
% Change Per Month	0.85%	0.09%	0.13%	0.54%	-0.36%	-0.76%	-0.99%	-0.58%	0.00%	-0.13%	-0.13%	1.75%	0.03%
Enrolled	1229	1216	1210	1208	1200	1197	1180	1175	1164	1150	1153	1195	1190

NYSDOH COMMUNICABLE DISEASE REPORTS

- See following pages.

N.Y.S. Department of Health
 Division of Epidemiology
 Communicable Disease Monthly Report*, DATE: 01OCT24
 Rates are defined as: Cases/100,000 population/Month

County=TOMPKINS Month=September

Disease	2024		2023		2022		2021		Ave (2021-2023)	
	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate
ANAPLASMOSIS**	13	154.4	5	59.4	1	11.9	8	95.0	5	59.4
BABESIOSIS**	4	47.5	1	11.9	3	35.6	0	0.0	1	11.9
CAMPYLOBACTERIOSIS**	4	47.5	2	23.7	3	35.6	0	0.0	2	23.7
COVID-19	309	3669.2	254	3016.1	804	9547.0	1022	12136	693	8228.9
CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS**	1	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	23.7	1	11.9
ECOLI SHIGA TOXIN**	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	11.9	2	23.7	1	11.9
ENCEPHALITIS, ARBO**	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0
GIARDIASIS	3	35.6	2	23.7	2	23.7	2	23.7	2	23.7
HEPATITIS A	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0
HEPATITIS B,CHRONIC**	1	11.9	1	11.9	1	11.9	0	0.0	1	11.9
HEPATITIS C,CHRONIC**	0	0.0	2	23.7	1	11.9	0	0.0	1	11.9
INFLUENZA A, LAB CONFIRMED	5	59.4	4	47.5	1	11.9	0	0.0	2	23.7
INFLUENZA B, LAB CONFIRMED	1	11.9	1	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
LEGIONELLOSIS	0	0.0	2	23.7	0	0.0	1	11.9	1	11.9
LYME DISEASE** ****	59	700.6	31	368.1	26	308.7	14	166.2	24	285.0
MONKEYPOX	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0
SALMONELLOSIS**	2	23.7	1	11.9	4	47.5	0	0.0	2	23.7
VIBRIO - NON 01 CHOLERA**	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	11.9	0	0.0
YERSINIOSIS**	1	11.9	0	0.0	1	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0
SYPHILIS TOTAL.....	1	11.9	3	35.6	3	35.6	3	35.6	3	35.6
- P&S SYPHILIS	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	11.9	0	0.0	0	0.0
- EARLY LATENT**	0	0.0	0	0.0	2	23.7	3	35.6	2	23.7

	2024		2023		2022		2021		Ave (2021-2023)	
Disease	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate
- LATE LATENT**	1	11.9	3	35.6	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	11.9
GONORRHEA TOTAL.....	23	273.1	15	178.1	11	130.6	18	213.7	15	178.1
- GONORRHEA	23	273.1	15	178.1	11	130.6	18	213.7	15	178.1
CHLAMYDIA	28	332.5	24	285.0	32	380.0	37	439.4	31	368.1

*Based on month case created, or December for cases created in Jan/Feb of following year

**Confirmed and Probable cases counted

***Not official number

**** Beginning in 2022, extrapolated results were no longer used and all confirmed/probable cases are counted.

N.Y.S. Department of Health
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Communicable Disease Monthly Report*, DATE: 01OCT24
Through September
Rates are defined as: Cases/100,000 population/Month

County=TOMPKINS

Disease	2024		2023		2022		2021		Ave (2021-2023)	
	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate
AMEBIASIS	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
ANAPLASMOSIS**	79	104.2	116	153.0	66	87.1	86	113.5	89	117.4
BABESIOSIS**	24	31.7	34	44.9	11	14.5	20	26.4	22	29.0
BLASTOMYCOSIS	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
CAMPYLOBACTERIOSIS**	28	36.9	26	34.3	28	36.9	19	25.1	24	31.7
CHIKUNGUNYA**	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
COVID-19	1315	1735.0	2756	3636.2	16048	21173	9626	12700	9477	12504
CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS**	7	9.2	7	9.2	11	14.5	14	18.5	11	14.5
CYCLOSPORA	4	5.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
DENGUE FEVER**	6	7.9	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
ECOLI SHIGA TOXIN**	2	2.6	4	5.3	3	4.0	6	7.9	4	5.3
EHRlichiosis (CHAFEENSIS)**	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
EHRlichiosis (EWINGII)**	0	0.0	1	1.3	1	1.3	0	0.0	1	1.3
ENCEPHALITIS, ARBO**	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
ENCEPHALITIS, OTHER	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0
GIARDIASIS	13	17.2	14	18.5	13	17.2	15	19.8	14	18.5
HAEMOPHILUS INFLUENZAE, NOT TYPE B	3	4.0	1	1.3	4	5.3	0	0.0	2	2.6
HEPATITIS A	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	7	9.2	3	4.0
HEPATITIS B, ACUTE	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
HEPATITIS B, CHRONIC**	11	14.5	10	13.2	15	19.8	18	23.7	14	18.5
HEPATITIS C, ACUTE**	2	2.6	5	6.6	4	5.3	3	4.0	4	5.3
HEPATITIS C, CHRONIC**	10	13.2	22	29.0	20	26.4	30	39.6	24	31.7
HEPATITIS C, PERINATAL	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0

TCBOH 2024-10-22 (CHS)

NYSDOH COMMUNICABLE DISEASE REPORTS, SEPTEMBER 2024 | 3

	2024		2023		2022		2021		Ave (2021-2023)	
Disease	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate
HERPES INF, INFANT =< 60 DAYS	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
INFLUENZA A, LAB CONFIRMED	899	1186.1	251	331.2	1341	1769.3	265	349.6	619	816.7
INFLUENZA B, LAB CONFIRMED	121	159.6	31	40.9	11	14.5	6	7.9	16	21.1
INFLUENZA UNSPECIFIED, LAB CONFIRMED	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	4.0	1	1.3	1	1.3
LEGIONELLOSIS	2	2.6	15	19.8	6	7.9	3	4.0	8	10.6
LISTERIOSIS	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
LYME DISEASE** ****	431	568.7	415	547.5	265	349.6	44	58.1	241	318.0
MALARIA	0	0.0	2	2.6	3	4.0	0	0.0	2	2.6
MENINGITIS, ASEPTIC	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
MONKEYPOX	0	0.0	0	0.0	3	4.0	0	0.0	1	1.3
PERTUSSIS**	7	9.2	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
RESPIRATORY SYNCYTIAL VIRUS	165	217.7	64	84.4	0	0.0	0	0.0	21	27.7
ROCKY MTN SPOT FEVER**	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
SALMONELLOSIS**	17	22.4	12	15.8	20	26.4	13	17.2	15	19.8
S.PARATYPHI	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
SHIGELLOSIS**	3	4.0	1	1.3	2	2.6	1	1.3	1	1.3
STREP, GROUP A INVASIVE	8	10.6	11	14.5	5	6.6	3	4.0	6	7.9
STREP, GROUP B INVASIVE	3	4.0	1	1.3	6	7.9	10	13.2	6	7.9
STREP PNEUMONIAE, INVASIVE**	4	5.3	3	4.0	8	10.6	4	5.3	5	6.6
TOXIC SHOCK SYNDROME, STREPTOCOCCAL**	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
TUBERCULOSIS***	0	0.0	1	1.3	1	1.3	1	1.3	1	1.3
TYPHOID FEVER	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
VARICELLA	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
VIBRIO - NON 01 CHOLERA**	0	0.0	3	4.0	2	2.6	1	1.3	2	2.6
YERSINIOSIS**	5	6.6	1	1.3	6	7.9	1	1.3	3	4.0
SYPHILIS TOTAL.....	11	14.5	12	15.8	34	44.9	24	31.7	23	30.3

	2024		2023		2022		2021		Ave (2021-2023)	
Disease	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate	Freq	Rate
- P&S SYPHILIS	0	0.0	0	0.0	16	21.1	7	9.2	8	10.6
- EARLY LATENT**	6	7.9	6	7.9	15	19.8	11	14.5	11	14.5
- LATE LATENT**	5	6.6	6	7.9	2	2.6	6	7.9	5	6.6
- CONGENITAL SYPHILIS	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	1.3	0	0.0	0	0.0
GONORRHEA TOTAL.....	84	110.8	120	158.3	109	143.8	142	187.4	124	163.6
- GONORRHEA	84	110.8	120	158.3	109	143.8	142	187.4	124	163.6
CHLAMYDIA	194	256.0	328	432.8	377	497.4	337	444.6	347	457.8

*Based on month case created, or December for cases created in Jan/Feb of following year

**Confirmed and Probable cases counted; Campylobacter confirmed and suspect

***Not official number

**** Beginning in 2022, exptropolated results were no longer used and all confirmed/probable cases are counted.

Health Promotion Program

Opioids

911 CALL REPORTS

All calls that come into Tompkins County's 9-1-1 center are coded based on the type of emergency. To help direct the call, the dispatcher assigns each a "Nature." The Department of Emergency Response (DoER) sends the monthly totals to Whole Health for calls coded as "Overdose/Poisoning," and these are posted in graphic form [on the WH website](#). A 3-month summary is shown below.

Total 911 calls per month that are Nature coded as "Overdose/ Poisoning."

Source: DoER.

Month	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
JUN	18	25	21	39	24	19	59
JUL	20	27	26	39	29	31	19
AUG	29	28	33	39	30	29	27
SEP	34	28	20	40	57	35	71

CHW Program

	September 2024 Enrolled Clients	YTD 2024
HiP Tompkins	29	56
General CHW Program	13	13

OUTREACH

- Weekly Groton Resource Hub
- Chalk the Walk

TRAININGS

- Harm Reduction
- Infant and Early Childhood Mental Health
- NYS Medicaid Updates: Doula Services Benefit, Postpartum Coverage and Postpartum Contraceptive Coverage

HNP

MONTHLY STATS

HEALTHY NEIGHBORHOODS PROGRAM	September 2024	YTD 2024	September 2023	TOTAL 2023*
# of Initial Home Visits (including asthma visits)	16	180	31	252
# of Revisits	1	24	2	56
# of Asthma Homes (initial)	2	25	4	45
# of Homes Approached	1	151	1	90

OUTREACH & TRAINING

- Tompkins County Whole Health All Staff Training
- Diversity, Equity, Inclusion, & Belonging: A Tool or a Weapon? Webinar
- Tabled at Airport Day & Preparedness Expo
- HNP Staff took EPA RRP Lead Certification Class
- Intersections of Identity and Health Discussion
- Tabled at BEAR Walk Resource Fair at Cornell
- Trauma Stewardship for Helping Professionals – A Learning & Practice Workshop
- HNP Staff assisted at Mpox Clinic at STAP
- DEIB CFT

COVID-19

- Updated COVID-19 vaccinations now available, promotion on social media, print and via press release.
- Promotion of re-launch COVID-19 Free Test Kits Program via USPS; encourage residents to order, created flyer to share with community partners for posting (reached out to all organizations that had previously been recipients of our free test kit distribution).

Media

SOCIAL MEDIA

- Weekly COVID-19 new positive case reporting, promotion of updated COVID-19 vaccines.
- Combatting misinformation (Parvo Incident, Sept. 26). Press release developed following reports of multiple social media posts with wide-spread sharing of said posts, sharing misinformation about disease incidence and spread as well as negatively targeting a vulnerable population.
- Lead Recall Alert, children’s jewelry off Amazon, lead poisoning prevention.
- Rabies Alert/Bite Alert, including information on how and why to report dog bites.
- Event promotion:

- Tompkins County Annual Airport Day & Preparedness Expo (in partnership with Dept. Of Emergency Response), a community celebration during National Preparedness Month (Sept 14). Event included a county sponsored American Red Cross Blood Drive, held at 55 Brown Rd, where 38 units of blood were collected, including participation of 8 first-time donors.
- Environmental Health Rabies Clinic (TCAT, Ithaca) for dogs, cats and ferrets (Sept 14)
- TC Suicide Prevention Coalition's Youth Mental Health & Wellness Community Town Hall (to be held Oct 5, with heavy promotion throughout end of September)
- Highlighting awareness for September:
- National Preparedness Month
- Event promotion
- DOER's Citizen Preparedness Course (Sept 14)
- TCWH Preparedness Coordinator Survey: <https://bit.ly/3BfGQl6>
- National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month
- Event promotion
- Awareness messaging
- SepticSmart Week (Sept 16-20)
- Press release & awareness messaging

PRESS RELEASES

- [Tompkins County Whole Health Announces Opportunity to Serve on Board of Health](#) (9/4/24)
- [Tompkins County Whole Health Releases "COVID-19 Community Resilience Mural" Video, Shares Launch Event Highlights](#) (9/6/24)
- [COVID-19 Update: COVID-19 Vaccines Updated for 2024-2025 Respiratory Illness Season; Contact Pharmacies for Appointments](#) (9/12/24)
- [Health Alert: TC Environmental Health Seeks Information About a Dog Bite on N Cayuga St \(City of Ithaca\)](#) (9/18/24)
- [Community Announcement: SepticSmart Week, September 16-20](#) (9/18/24)
- [Health Alert: TCEH Seeks Info About a Dog Bite Near The Commons on the Corner of N Cayuga & E State/MLK Jr. Street \(City of Ithaca\)](#) (9/23/24)
- [Tompkins County Suicide Prevention Coalition Presents: Youth Mental Health & Wellness Community Town Hall \(Oct 5, 12:30-3:30pm\)](#) (9/23/24)
- [Health Alert: Addressing Misinformation on Parvovirus in Local Housing Units; Clarifying Risks to Pets & Steps to Take](#) (9/26/24)

Outreach & Training

Conducted by Health Promotion, PH Fellows, CSCN, and Mental Health staff

OUTREACH

- Airport Day & Preparedness Expo (9/14/24)
- Enfield Community Harvest Festival (9/14/24)

- Groton Library Resource Hub (9/17/24)
- CHS Cayuga Park Event Series (9/17/24; 9/24/24)
- Suicide Prevention Awareness Week: "Chalk the Walk" (9/21/24)
- Cornell Bear Walk (9/25/24)

TRAINING

- Strategic Public Health Communication Training (Oratium), sponsored by Cornell MPH
- Human Services Coalition Forum: Harm Reduction
- Public Health Communications Collaborative training, "Developing Response Plan to Misinformation in Public Health"
- Website & Social Media Consultation (for the WIC program, with Paperkite)

Committee and Partnership Meetings

Group, Organization	Activity/Purpose	Date
CATCHI Working Group (Coordinated Approach to Community Health Integration)	Combines Social Determinants of Health, CHW initiative and Childhood Nutrition Collaborative into one working group.	Monthly
Long Term Care Committee	Planning and sharing resources for long-term care in the community.	Quarterly
Health Planning Council	Advisory Board and Executive Committee, Hillson reappointed as Secretary and Co-Chair of Community Health and Access Cte.	Bi-monthly
Community Health and Access Committee	Sub-committee of the HPC. Focus on telehealth, maternal health, etc.	Quarterly
COFA Advisory Board	Updates and Age Friendly	Quarterly
Suicide Prevention Coalition	In partnership with the Sophie Fund	Monthly
Immunization Coalition	Quarterly meeting, updates about COVID-19 vaccine and discussion/feedback, youth vaccination promo	Quarterly
Lead Poisoning Prevention Network	Quarterly meeting, review lead cases, prevention, new regulation	Quarterly
Cayuga Health Data Governance Committee	Oversight/advisory committee for the health equity team at Cayuga Health, focus on data collection for health equity, We Ask Because We Care campaign.	Quarterly
TC Cancer Screening Working Group	Regular meeting	Monthly
Aging Services Network	Regular meeting	Monthly
Homeless & Housing Taskforce	Regular meeting	Bi-monthly
PICHC Partners Meeting	Weekly meeting to discuss community health worker roles, align program design, collaborate w/community partners	Weekly
PICHC State Call	Monthly meeting for PICHC programs in NYS	Monthly
LATCH: Lactation Alliance for Tompkins County Health	Monthly meeting of community partners/stakeholders. Mission: To protect, promote, & support breastfeeding/ chestfeeding in Tompkins County, and to protect, promote, & support the rights of families to achieve their infant feeding goals.	Monthly

Children with Special Care Needs (CSCN)

STATISTICAL HIGHLIGHTS

- *See following pages.*

**Children with Special Care Needs Division
Statistical Highlights 2024
EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM**

Number of Program Referrals	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	2024 Totals	2023 Totals	2022 Totals
Initial Concern/reason for referral:															
-- DSS Founded Case	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0	
-- Gestational Age	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	1					2	6
-- Gestational Age/Gross Motor	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0					0	2
-- Global Delays	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					0	1
-- Hearing	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0				4	1	2
-- Physical	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	0
-- Feeding	1	1	0	2	2	0	1	0	0				7	30	17
-- Feeding & Gross Motor	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0				2	4	10
-- Feeding & Social Emotional	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	1	4
-- Gross Motor	5	4	1	2	1	4	4	1	5				27	48	40
-- Gross Motor & Fine Motor	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0				1	5	9
-- Gross Motor, Speech & Social Emotional	0	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0				5	2	4
Gross Motor, Speech & Hearing	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0				3	0	
-- Fine Motor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	2
-- Social Emotional	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0				3	5	3
-- Social Emotional & Adaptive	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	5	1
-- Speech	6	9	16	7	8	9	7	6	14				82	110	129
-- Speech & Cognitive	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0				1	1	0
-- Speech & Feeding	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0				3	3	3
-- Speech & Fine Motor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	2	2
-- Speech & Gross Motor	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0				5	13	10
-- Speech & Hearing	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1				3	4	5
-- Speech & Sensory	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0				2	0	0
-- Speech & Social Emotional	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1				6	6	11
-- Speech, Feeding & Gross Motor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	2	0
-- Speech, Fine Motor, Social/Emotional, Other	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0						
-- Adaptive	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	0
-- Adaptive/Sensory	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	3	2
-- Adaptive/Fine Motor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	3	0
-- Qualifying Congenital / Medical Diagnosis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	8	3
-- Other -- Birth Trauma	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2				3	3	0
-- Overall Development	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				3		
-- Sensory, Safety, Motor	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1		
-- Child in Foster Care	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1		
-- Maternal Drug Use	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1	4	0
Total # of CYSHCN Referrals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	13	23
Total # of Information and Referrals (I&R)	10	7	12	2	12	1	6	9	0				59	100	48
Total # of Child Find Referrals	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1				2	7	54
Total Number of CSCN Program Referrals	29	32	33	16	35	21	23	18	25	0	0	0		385	391

Caseloads													
Total # of clients worked with during this month	176	177	192	184	190	196	198	205	186				
Average # of Cases per Full Time Service Coordinator	25.14	25.29	27.43	26.3	27.1	28.0	28.3	29.3	26.6				

EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM

Billable Expenses/Visits	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	2024 Totals	2023 Totals	2022 Totals
-- Intake visits	11	18	17	12	24	18	11	16	15				142	225	241
-- IFSP Meetings	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	303	261
-- Initial IFSP	1	0	2	1	0	3	1	4	1				13		
-- Core Evaluations	8	7	11	6	6	13	6	6	4				67	191	221
-- Core Evaluations with IFSP	6	6	3	4	14	9	7	8	11				68		
-- Supplemental Evaluations	1	1	2	0	4	4	3	5	3				23	54	50
-- Supplemental Evaluations with Amendment	2	1	1	2	0	0	3	1	1				11		
-- Observation Visits	14	36	33	26	35	20	35	24	19				242	290	314
-- IFSP Change Visit	1	2	1	4	1	3	2	1	2				17		
-- IFSP Review Visit	17	17	21	16	13	14	13	11	16				138		
-- CPSE meetings	9	5	9	7	5	5	3	6	5				54	63	57
-- SC Discuss	16	20	26	27	19	14	30	39	19				210	88	
-- SC Visits	10	11	9	18	13	8	7	11	10				97		
-- Family Training/Team Meetings	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	3	2
-- Phone Call	182	190	155	143	137	142	152	163	156				1420		
-- OSC-Transfer Chart to OSC	3	3	3	0	10	4	9	8	5				45		
-- Transition meetings	1	15	7	1	5	0	1	6	3				39	47	38
-- Home Visit for Signature	2	2	3	1	0	0	1	1	3				13		
															1184

Services and Evaluations Pending & Completed															
Children with Services Pending (Needs List)															
-- Feeding	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7			63	67	42
-- Nutrition	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0
-- Occupational Therapy	12	11	12	11	11	11	12	12	11				103	57	18
-- Physical Therapy	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8				72	0	62
-- Social Work	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4				36	55	13
-- Special Education	22	21	22	22	22	22	22	22	22				197	0	106
-- Speech Therapy	41	46	48	48	48	42	48	47	48				416	478	486
															727

EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM

Early Intervention Discharges	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	2024 Totals	2023 Totals	2022 Totals
-- To CPSE	14	0	2	4	1	0	1	27	1				50	65	59
-- Aged out	2	4	0	1	1	0	0	3	0				11	30	15
-- Skilled out	1	3	0	3	1	3	1	1	0				13	27	27
-- Moved	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0				5	13	27
-- Not Eligible/DNQ	5	6	5	6	3	7	7	5	3				47	62	79
-- Family Refused/Unable to Locate	2	4	3	1	4	2	1	1	1				19	36	1
--Child Deceased	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	1	1
Total Number of Discharges	25	17	10	15	13	12	10	38	5				145	234	44
															252
Child Find															
Total # of Referrals	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1				3	6	53
Total # of Children in Child Find	6	6	6	5	2	2	2	2	3				6	79	
Total # Transferred to Early Intervention	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0				2	2	14
Total # of Discharges	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0				3	17	32

PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

Clients Qualified and Receiving Services	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec			
Children per School District															
-- Ithaca	136	143	152	160	168	164	116	113	110						
-- Dryden	35	38	42	45	45	46	34	34	26						
-- Newfield	20	21	21	22	23	23	15	15	14						
-- Groton	31	33	35	35	36	36	13	13	21						
-- Moravia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
-- Lansing	24	28	28	28	31	31	25	28	27						
-- Trumansburg	13	15	18	20	20	20	13	13	10						
-- Cortland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
-- Homer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						

-- Odessa-Montour	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0					
-- Spencer VanEtten	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0					
-- Candor	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1					
-- Newark Valley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Total # of Qualified and Receiving Services	263	282	300	314	327	324	218	218	209	0	0	0		

Services Provided	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec		
Services /Authorized by Discipline														
-- Speech Therapy (individual)	153	163	187	191	196	194	118	116	116					
-- Speech Therapy (group)	25	25	37	42	39	39	0	0	0					
-- Occupational Therapy (individual)	52	54	57	60	61	60	35	37	42					
-- Occupational Therapy (group)	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0					
-- Physical Therapy (individual)	23	28	30	33	34	36	22	22	21					
-- Physical Therapy (group)	0	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	0					
-- Transportation	59	62	62	61	61	59	54	56	58					
-- Birnie Bus	16	16	16	16	15	15	16	16	18					
-- Dryden Central School District	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	3					
-- Ithaca City School District	35	38	38	37	38	36	36	35	33					
-- Parent	6	6	6	6	6	6	2	5	4					
-- Counseling	29	27	32	35	40	41	33	31	23					
-- Parent Counseling	26	27	29	29	32	30	12	12	20					
-- Service Coordination	15	15	15	17	19	19	17	16	17					
-- Assistive Technology	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
-- Special Ed Itinerate Teacher (SEIT)	30	31	33	46	44	44	32	32	26					
-- 1:1 Tuition Aide (CB)	5	6	6	6	6	6	5	5	5					
-- Audiological Services	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
-- Nutrition (OTHER)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
-- Teacher of the Deaf	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1					
-- 1:1 Aide	2	2	4	4	4	4	4	4	2					
-- 1:1 Teacher Assistant	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
-- Music Therapy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
-- Skilled Nursing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1					
-- Teacher of Visually Impaired	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0					
Total # of children rcvg. home based related svcs.	199	217	235	251	264	263	161	161	144	0	0	0		

PRESCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM

Number of Children Served Per School District Attending Tuition Based Programs	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec			
-- Ithaca	38	39	39	38	38	36	37	36	34						
-- Dryden	10	10	10	9	9	9	6	6	8						
-- Newfield	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	6						
-- Lansing	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	7						
-- Moravia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
--Groton	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	5						
-- Cortland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
--Newark Valley	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
-- Trumansburg	7	7	7	7	7	7	5	5	4						
-- Homer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
-- Odessa Montour	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
-- Spencer -Van Etten	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0						
--Candor	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1						
-- # attending Franziska Racker Centers	30	30	30	28	28	27	28	26	38						
-- # attending Ithaca City School District	29	30	30	30	30	29	29	31	24						
-- # attending Dryden Central School	3	3	3	3	3	3	0	0	3						
-- # attending South Seneca School District	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	0						
Total # attending Special Ed Integrated Tuition Progr.	64	65	65	63	63	61	57	57	65	0	0	0			

Municipal Representation Committee on Preschool Special Education	Jan	Feb	March	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	2024 Totals	2023 Totals	2022 Totals
-- Ithaca	18	17	25	22	27	23	11	21	16				180	225	219
-- Candor	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0				2	2	1
-- Dryden	7	3	8	11	7	1	3	5	3				48	53	64
-- Groton	3	4	16	11	0	1	0	1	1				37	43	50
-- Homer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0	2
-- Lansing	1	4	4	0	7	6	1	1	1				25	22	23
-- Newfield	3	0	0	3	7	0	1	3	1				18	26	19
-- Trumansburg	0	3	3	1	3	4	0	1	0				15	13	26
-- Spencer VanEtten	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1	1	1
-- Moravia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	1	1
Total CPSE Meetings Attended	32	33	56	48	51	36	16	32	22	0	0	0	326	386	390

Environmental Health

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY

- *See following pages.*

**Division of Environmental Health
Summary of Activity (2024)**

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	2023 Totals
FOOD PROTECTION PROGRAM - Restaurants & Other Food Service														
Permitted Operations (535 Permitted Operations*)														
Inspections**	53	57	83	78	85	63	82	78	82				661	828
Critical Violations	5	1	28	14	7	12	15	19	16				117	170
Other Violations	30	18	38	33	20	22	29	39	29				258	359
Plans Approved	1	5	1	2	2	3	2	1	0				17	14
Complaints Received	2	4	2	3	4	5	1	5	1				27	55
Temporary FSE (150 Estimated Operations*)														
Permits Issued	1	2	7	7	18	34	20	38	23				150	163
Inspections**	0	0	5	0	12	12	16	19	11				75	94
Critical Violations	0	0	0	4	0	0	2	3	0				9	24
Other Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	1				5	12
MOBILE HOME PARKS (39 Permitted Operations, 2019 Lots*)														
Inspections**	0	4	4	5	4	3	2	3	2				27	17
Critical Violations	0	0	1	3	0	4	6	3	2				19	6
Other Violations	1	6	3	10	3	28	1	11	3				66	59
Complaints Received	0	2	0	2	1	0	1	0	0				6	14
TEMPORARY RESIDENCES - Hotels & Motels (35 Permitted Operations, 2241 Rooms*)														
Inspections**	1	0	0	0	4	2	0	4	0				11	45
Critical Violations	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0				7	41
Other Violations	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0				5	54
Complaints Received	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0				4	8
MASS GATHERING (Fingerlakes GrassRoots Festival)														
Inspections**	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	0	0				13	10
Critical Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0				10	7
Other Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	131	0	0				131	46
Complaints Received	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
MIGRANT FARM WORKER HOUSING (1 Operation)														
Inspections**	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1				2	2
Critical Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
Other Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
Complaint Investigations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
CAMPGROUNDS & AGRICULTURAL FAIRGROUNDS (9 Operations, 595 Sites*)														
Inspections**	0	0	0	4	5	0	8	4	0				21	20
Critical Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0				4	0
Other Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	5	0				16	18
Complaints Received	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
CHILDREN'S CAMPS (28 Operations)														
Inspections**	0	0	0	0	1	16	9	21	0				47	57
Critical Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0				1	4
Other Violations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1				1	0
Injury/Illness Investigations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
Complaints Received	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
SWIMMING POOLS & BATHING BEACHES - (50 Operations*)														
Inspections**	1	7	9	0	8	17	14	11	3				70	88
Critical Violations	0	2	1	0	0	0	4	1	0				8	10
Other Violations	0	9	3	0	0	2	11	6	0				31	60
Injury/Illness Investigations	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
Complaints Received	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS (PWS) 88 Community PWS, 63 Other PWS*)														
Inspections**	5	6	21	16	15	10	6	7	15				101	83
Boil Water Orders Issued	2	2	3	0	5	5	1	3	2				23	7
Complaints Received	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0				3	1

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	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD	2023 Totals
ON-SITE WASTEWATER TREATMENT SYSTEMS (OWTS)														
Permits Issued	12	16	17	16	20	27	26	21	22	0	0	0	177	232
New Construction/Conversions	7	9	5	9	10	14	8	10	12				84	111
Replacements	5	7	12	7	10	13	18	11	10				93	121
Completion Certificates Issued	8	10	9	8	14	12	13	29	14	0	0	0	117	190
New Construction/Conversions	3	3	2	4	4	4	9	6	5				40	73
Replacements	5	7	7	4	10	8	4	23	9				77	117
ENGINEERING PLAN REVIEWS														
Realty Subdivisions	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0				1	1
OWTS	4	3	8	4	2	5	3	0	1				30	34
Collector Sewer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
Public Water Systems	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				2	4
Water Main Extension	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	5
Cross-Connection Control Devices	2	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0				7	5
Other Water System Modification	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0				3	2
Other Engineering Reviews	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
RABIES CONTROL PROGRAM														
Potential Human Exposure Investigations	30	23	29	30	79	64	94	132	47				528	581
Human Post-X Treatments	4	5	3	3	16	22	33	49	17				152	186
Animal Specimens Tested	10	4	6	5	23	16	29	46	5				144	255
Animals Testing Positive	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	4				7	19
Pet Quarantine	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1				2	9
Rabies Clinics Offered	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1				3	5
Dogs Vaccinated	101	0	0	0	79	0	0	0	125				305	458
Cats Vaccinated	66	0	0	0	29	0	0	0	68				163	301
Ferrets Vaccinated	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				2	10
CHILDHOOD LEAD PROGRAM														
# of New EH Referrals w/ Elevated BLL	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				2	7
# of EH Investigations Initiated	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0				2	6
# of Home Assessments Performed	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0				2	9
# of Notice of Demands Sent	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				1	3
Lead Calls/Inquires Received by EH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	9
FOIL REQUESTS														
Total Received	5	1	4	10	4	7	1	4	2				38	51
ADOLESCENT TOBACCO USE PREVENTION ACT (ATUPA) (65 Operations *) & CLEAN INDOOR AIR ACT (CIAA)														
ATUPA (Adult & Minor) Compliance Checks	24	29	7	0	0	0	0	0	0				60	112
Violations	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0				4	1
CIAA Complaints	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0	0
COMPLAINTS - General/Nuisance														
Complaint Investigations Opened	2	4	1	4	5	0	4	3	3				26	120
ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS														
Total Cases	2	0	2	2	1	2	0	1	1				11	35
Cases Related to FSE	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	0	0				4	13
BOH Penalties Assessed	\$800	\$0	\$600	\$8,900	\$1,500	\$900	\$0	\$0	\$450				\$13,150	\$79,000
BOH Penalties Collected	\$1,300	\$500	\$1,700	\$1,100	\$250	\$0	\$1,900	\$200	\$1,500				\$8,450	\$54,050
CUSTOMER SERVICE/SUPPORT														
Calls Received	410	425	537	543	743	676	688	714	676				5412	6449
Walk-In Customers	15	21	28	44	77	94	65	70	48				462	416
TCEH Emails Received	355	372	501	473	546	567	573	578	473				4438	4807
Applications Processed	90	127	194	198	189	129	128	146	122				1323	1769
Payment Receipts Processed	55	101	169	148	158	107	103	108	98				1047	1331
Renewals/Billings Sent	120	19	183	150	30	25	101	43	64				735	951

* As of 1/1/2024

** Includes Pre-op, Inspection, Re-inspection, HAACP, Sanitary Surveys (Doesn't include Co-Inspector/Field Visits)