

Mission and Vision:

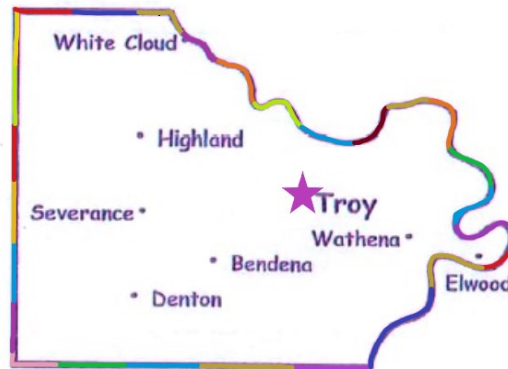
We commit to providing quality health care to residents of Doniphan County through a variety of public and home care programs. The agency realizes a responsibility to promote optimum health and well-being and reduce the incidence of disease for all residents of the county regardless of economic status.

Health care is vital to all of us some of the time, but public health is vital to all of us all of the time.

C.Everett Koop

24—Hour emergency on call service available for home health patients only.

A free in—home evaluation visit will be made to any patient who requests Home Care services.



Doniphan county government does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age and/or handicapped status in employment or the provision of programs and services.

Doniphan County Health Department and Home Health



Health Dept./Home Health

Prevent. Promote. Protect.

*“Quality Care
for
Quality People.”*

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Health Department Services:

1. Immunizations

Childhood & Adult Immunizations Clinic 9:30-11:30 & 1:30- 4 pm every Wednesday or by appointment. We accept most major insurance plans, as well as Medicare and Medicaid. COVID vaccinations available.

2. MCH (Maternal Child Health)

The goal of the MCH Home Visiting Program, is to visit with all pregnant and new mothers in Doniphan County. A home visitor offers support to parents and shares information on community services and resources in our area. The home visitor also provides education on injury prevention in the home and has free home safety devices to give to each family to protect their little ones from unintentional injury and/or death.

3. Communicable Diseases

Reporting, surveillance and consultation.

4. Tuberculosis Testing

Follow-up on active cases

5. WIC (Women, Infants and Children)

WIC is a supplemental nutrition program that provides nutrition and health education, Healthy foods and other services to Kansas families who qualify. Women must be pregnant, breast feeding or have recently delivered a baby. Children must be under five years of age.



6. Safe Kids Coalition

Dedicated to preventing unintentional injuries to children ages 0-14. Safety items are purchased through grant programs and made available to families in Doniphan County.

6.5 Available to the public—A certified child passenger safety technician offers education and free help with installing your care seat correctly. Free car seats available to those who qualify.

7. Random Services

Fluoride varnish, blood sugar checks, pregnancy testing, hemoglobin testing, urinalysis, lead testing, hearing and vision screening, toe nail trimming, Vitamin B-12 and other injection per doctors order.

8. Free Covid testing

Call for an appointment.

9. Affordable laboratory testing

Several options available for low cost laboratory testing, Including Pregnancy tests, Urinalysis, and blood work.

10. Environmental services (NEKES) (Northeast Kansas Environmental Services) Well water testing, permits for waste water disposal, permits for private water supplies and a variety of environmental services.



Home Care Services

1. Home Health

Health care is provided in the home by a nurse, speech therapist, physical therapist, occupational therapist, social worker and/or home health aide. Medicare patient must be under a physician's care and considered "homebound" (unable to leave without the aid of crutches, cane, wheelchair, walker, the assistance of another person or if leaving the home is medically inadvisable). We are a Medicare certified agency and may bill through Medicare, Medicaid, VA and private insurance companies that have home health benefits to those clients who qualify for services.

2. Health Maintenance Program

Provide maintenance in-home care to those persons in the county that, due to regulations and health status, warrant non-coverage by Medicare or other third party payors. This service includes, but is not limited to personal care, foot care, and monitoring of diet and medications. There is a fee for this service.

3. Housekeeping Service

Must be 60 or older and need assistance with some activities of daily living.