



Mansfield/Ontario/Richland County Health Department  
**Health Report** Back Beat

**Minority Health Fair is April 25**



Tell your family, friends, and neighbors: The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Minority Health Fair will take place April 25 at the Ocie Hill Neighborhood Center, 445 Bowman Street.

This year's hours are from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Free health screenings and health information from nearly 50 area agencies will be available and it is fun for the whole family.

Free health activities include Mammograms (to those who qualify, pre-registration required; appointments are still available), Blood Pressure Checks, Blood Sugar and Cholesterol Screenings (requires 12-hour fast, pre-registration required); Red Cross Blood Drive (appointments available and walk-ins welcome) diabetic foot screenings, hearing screenings and glaucoma examinations (by Dr. Holbart Riles).

As always there will be free food (breakfast and lunch) and door prizes. There will be something there for all ages. To schedule an appointment for a mammogram, cholesterol screening or the blood drive, or for more information Call 419-774-4544.

**WIC Services - Feb.**

New Participants	202
Recertifications	487
Other Contacts	405
<b>Total Contacts</b>	<b>1,094</b>



**ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH**

The Environmental Health Services division directs a variety of programs that prevent, protect and educate our community about potentially harmful elements in our environment.

Contacts*	Feb.	YTD
Indoor Air Quality	37	78
Campgrounds	1	4
Communicable Diseases	1	5
Foodborne Investigations	0	5
Food Operations	279	562
Lead Contamination	27	56
Manufactured Home Parks	1	4
Nuisance - food	17	38
Nuisance - housing	16	27
Nuisance - insects & rodents	5	5
Nuisance - sewage	15	23
Nuisance - solid waste	40	57
Nuisance - other	6	10
Rabies Control	20	47
Plumbing - residential	88	217
Plumbing - commercial	156	286
Plumbing - other	35	76
Private Water Systems	47	104
Schools	3	9
Sewage Systems (all types)	65	141
Smoke-free Workplace	30	82
Solid Waste	32	67
Swimming Pools	6	26
Tattoo/Piercing Parlors	3	10
Vector Control	6	11
All Other (not categorized)	58	81
Totals All Contacts	994	2,031

\*Inspections, investigations and consultations

**CALLING THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT**

Main Number .....	419-774-4500
Public Health Clinic.....	419-774-4700
Public Health Nursing.....	419-774-4540
Environmental Health.....	419-774-4520
Health Promotion/Education.....	419-774-4544
WIC.....	419-774-4560

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**VITAL STATISTICS**

The Vital Statistics division maintains records of all births and deaths in Richland County since 1908 (excluding Shelby). For information on obtaining a birth or death certificate, check the website at [www.richlandhealth.org](http://www.richlandhealth.org) or call 419-774-4500.

	Feb.	YTD
<b>Total Births*</b>	99	199
Repeat Births	58	116
Teenage Births	12	29
Age 13 or younger	0	0
Age 14	0	0
Age 15	0	1
Age 16	1	2
Age 17	2	7
Age 18	5	8
Age 19	4	11
Unwed Teens	11	28
Repeat Births to Teens	2	5
Births to All Unweds	30	62

	Feb.	YTD
<b>Total Deaths*</b>	90	179
Female	54	98
Male	36	81

<b>Causes of Death</b>	Feb.	YTD
Heart Related	24	59
Cancer	16	32
Lung	4	9
Colon	2	4
Prostate	1	3
Breast	1	1
Ovarian/Cervical	1	1
Other	4	11
Lung Diseases	10	21
Alzheimers	11	19
Strokes/CVA	10	13
Flu/Pneumonia	5	8
Renal/Kidney	3	6
Suicides	2	3
Accidents (includes crashes)	0	2
Stillbirths	0	0
Homicides	0	0
Pending Autopsy	5	5
Other (not listed above)	4	11

\*Births & Deaths exclude City of Shelby



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