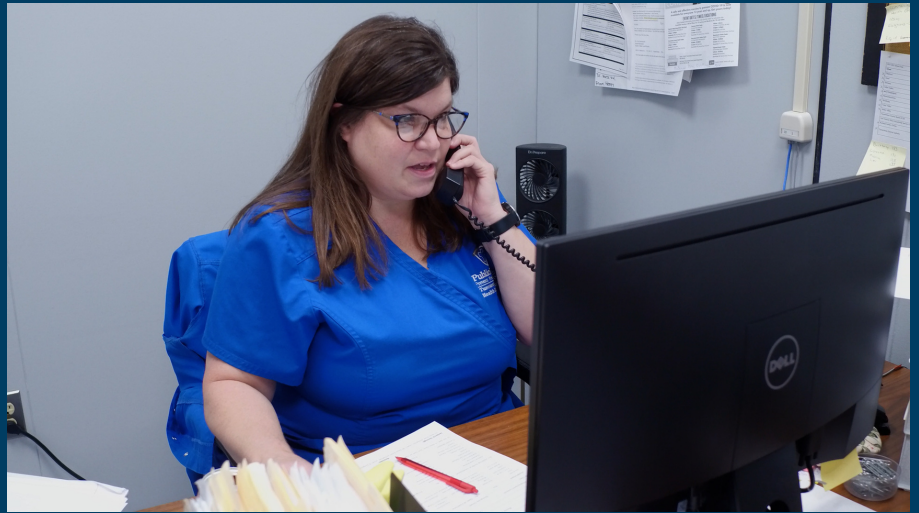


December 2021

# Tuscarawas County Health Department

## HEALTH COMMISSIONER'S REPORT



# Department Highlights



**Public Health**  
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## WIC Department

- 76% show rate for December appointments (+5%)
- In December, 18% of infant participants were breastfeeding (no change)
- 209 total contacts of support made for breastfeeding women in December (+14)

## Communicable Disease

- Top reported diseases for December:
  - COVID-19 1,807 (+767 from November)
  - Chlamydia 19 (+2 November)

## Prevention

- Distributed 48 Naloxone kits (+24). 2 recorded reversals
- Distributed 9 car seats (+3)
- Traffic Safety YTD Statistics:
  - 2,327 2,109 vehicle crashes investigated (+218)
  - 12 fatalities in 11 fatal crashes (+0)

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## Environmental Health

- In December there were 7 well (-8) and 9 (-3) septic permits issued
- Completed 94 food service inspections (-5)
- Investigated 6 animal bites (-3)
- Fulfilled 27 public records requests

## Public Information/Health Promotion

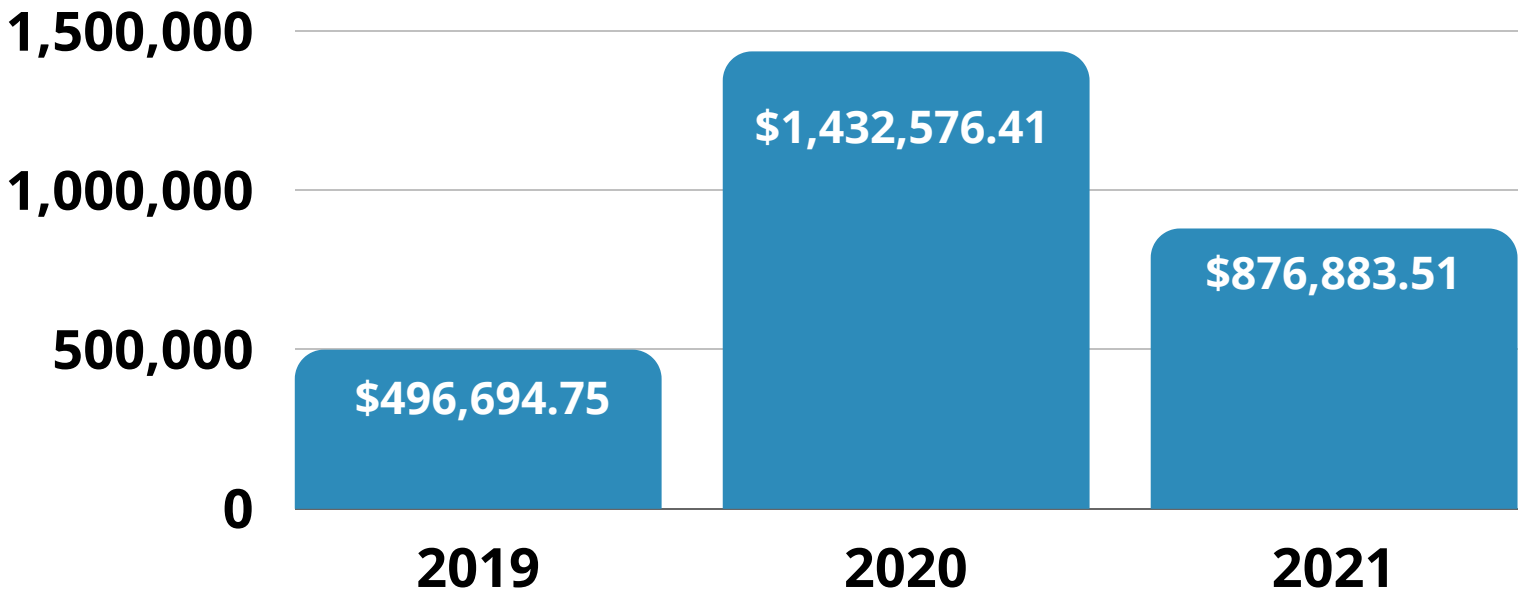
- Trending public information topics:
  - availability of rapid, take-home test kits; reliability of antigen tests; quarantine and isolation periods; updates to CDC guidelines; COVID-19 boosters and flu shot availability; business related questions regarding test kit supplies and COVID-19 safety protocols
- Task Force meetings attended included: ADAMHS Board, Tobacco Prevention and Cessation, WIC & Trinity Medical group, Tusc County Addiction Task Force
- Recorded radio news shows to promote Project DAWN and holiday stress management tips
- Recorded and released holiday greeting and COVID-19 safety radio commercials

## Medical Records/Clinic

- COVID-19 vaccines administered in December: 786(+882)
- Administered 111 COVID-19 PCR tests and 567 Antigen tests = 678 total tests ; 242 positive results = 36% positivity (-7%)
- 316 medical appointments completed in December (+15)
- TCHD distributed over 5,000 antigen take-home test kits

# Department Financial Statistics

Combined Funds YTD Balance Comparisons



Combined Funds Expense and Revenue for January 1- December 31, 2021

