

# October 2023

# Tuscarawas County Health Department

## HEALTH COMMISSIONER'S REPORT



# Department Highlights



**Public Health**  
Prevent. Promote. Protect.

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## Communicable Disease

- 21 COVID-19/Flu A/B Tests administered (+2)
  - 19% positivity for COVID-19
  - 0% positivity for Flu A/B
- Top reported diseases in October 2023:
  - COVID-19: 128 (-66)
  - Chlamydia: 11 (+1)
  - Gonorrhea 4 (+3)
    - Total Confirmed Reported Diseases: 92 (-28)

## Prevention

- Distributed 104 Naloxone kits (-14)
  - 1 known reversals (-4)
- 7 car seats distributed (-13)
- Safe sleep education completed with 3 families (-10)
- 19 new families provided diapers from the Heart of Ohio Diaper Bank

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## Medical Clinic

- Data unavailable at time of report

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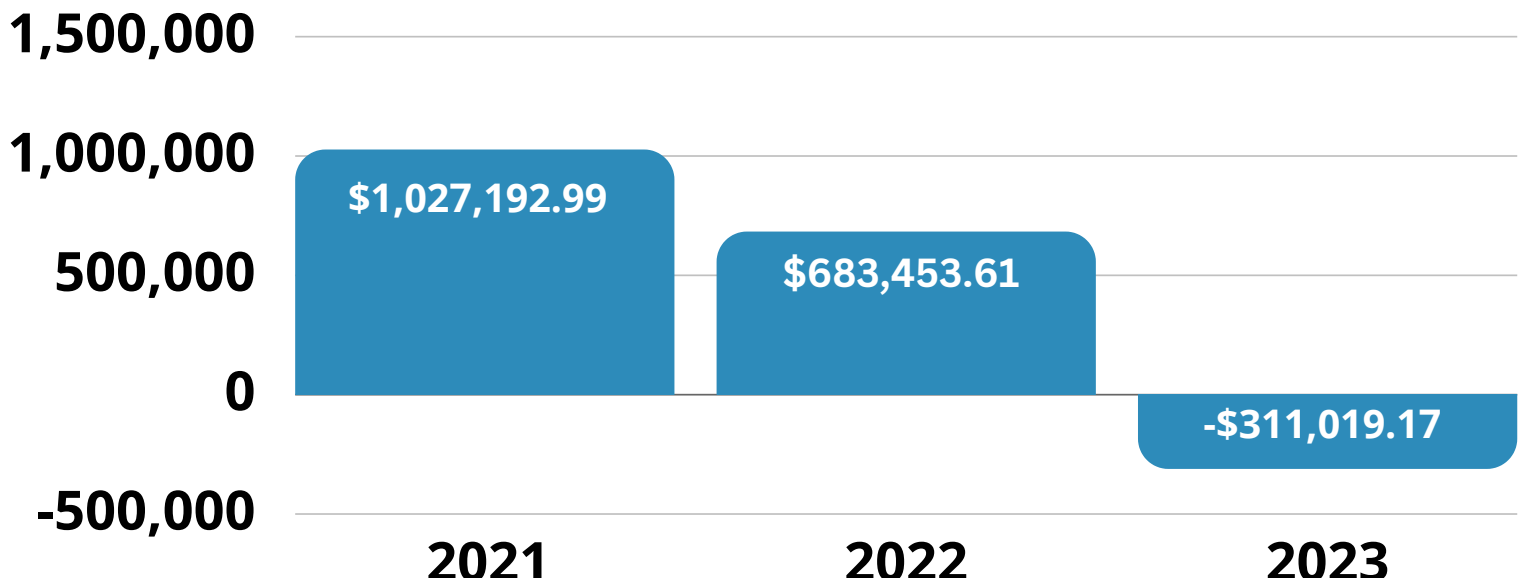
- 121 total contacts for breastfeeding support (-24)
- 76% show rate in October (+3%)
- 514 total appointments completed (+113)

## Promotion and Community Relations

- Trending Topics: COVID-19 updated vaccine eligibility and availability, COVID-19 home test availability, infection prevention bags, breast cancer awareness month, RSV vaccines, flu vaccines, and the capacity for new patients at TCHD medical office.
- Redesigned TCHD staff newsletter was launched in October.

# Department Financial Statistics

## Combined Funds YTD Balance Comparisons



## Combined Funds Expense and Revenue for January 1-October 31, 2023

