Seneca County General Health District

Monthly Newsletter

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WHAT'S GOING AROUND

Each month, SCGHD's epidemiologist outlines illnesses with the highest activity in Seneca County.

In April, a total of 27 disease cases were reported to SCGHD. Of these, 14 were confirmed as probable/confirmed cases, and two investigations are ongoing.

Of the 14 probable/confirmed cases, nine (64%) were chlamydia, one was an influenza-associated hospitalization, and three were RSV hospitalizations. In April, there also was one case of Hepatitis B.

Influenza activity in the county is currently LOW

To help prevent sexually transmitted infections like chlamydia and to protect your health, Talk. Test. Treat.

- **TALK with your partners and healthcare providers about sexual health and STIs**
- **TEST It's the only way to know if you have an STI.**
- **TREAT If you test positive for an STI, work with your healthcare provider to get the correct treatment.**

For more information about current job openings at SCGHD, click here!

EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Mindy Cook has been selected as SCGHD's Employee of the Month. Mindy is a nursing clerk at the health district and was nominated by a co-worker for showing respect to everyone and setting a great example through her excellent conduct.

Her co-worker said Mindy works hard on every project she is given and can always be trusted to finish her tasks on time and with care.

"Mindy's reliability, positive attitude, and strong work ethic make her a great choice for Employee of the Month," her co-worker said.

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CPR CLASSES

Did you know SCGHD offers different CPR classes tailored to a variety of participants?

Courses offered include Heartsaver- CPR, AED, First Aid and Basic Life Support (BLS).

Heartsaver- CPR, AED, First Aid is designed for anyone with little or no medical training who needs a course completion card for a job or other regulatory requirements such as OSHA. This course can also be taken by anyone who wants to be prepared for an emergency in any setting.

Basic Life Support (BLS) is designed for healthcare professionals and others who need to know how to perform CPR and other basic cardiovascular life support skills in a wide variety of in-facility and pre-hospital settings.

Learning how to perform CPR properly takes just a few short hours, but it can change a life forever!

For more information, call or email
Meranda Koehl, RN:
(419) 447-3691 ext. 6337
mkoehl@senecahealthdept.org

9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

92 E. Perry St., Tiffin
Conference Room A
(located in the basement)

Please note a class may be canceled due to low registration

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PREVENT. PROMOTE. PROTECT.

June 1, 2026
Basic Life Support (BLS)

August 3, 2026
Heartsaver Adult CPR, AED & First Aid

December 7, 2026
Basic Life Support (BLS)

Register: (419) 447-3691 ext. 6337
mkoehl@senecahealthdept.org

Requests for Vital Records

Seneca County General Health District
Vital Statistics

Scan here to order vital records online.
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Or click here!

Phone: 419-447-3691 ex.6301
Fax: 419-448-5782
Email: vitals@senecahealthdept.org

NARCAN ANTI-STIGMA TRAINING

About the training

Join us for a 30-minute NARCAN Anti-Stigma Training designed for friends and family of people affected by substance use disorder.
This brief, engaging session promotes understanding, compassion, and the life-saving knowledge needed to respond to an opioid overdose.

Available at Each Session

- Free NARCAN Kits
- Free Wound Care Kits
- Free Hygiene Kits
- Short pre/post survey to provide feedback

Why Host a Training?

- Promote empathy & understanding in your community
- Provide family & friends with lifesaving resources
- Support recovery & reduce stigma around addiction

Program length: 30 minutes

Cost: FREE

Provided by: ProMedica PEND Grant Department in collaboration with SCGHD

Want more info?

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