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MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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ADMINISTRATION

MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR FY21

NAME

TERM EXPIRES

Elayne H. Anthony, PhD. June 30, 2025
Madison, MS

Ed D. "Tad" Barham, MD, FACR. June 30, 2023
Clinton, MS (Deceased 1/9/21)

John D. Davis, IV, MD June 30, 2023
Flowood, MS

J. Edward Hill, MD, FAAFP June 30, 2021
Oxford, MS

Lucius "Luke" M. Lampton, MD, FAAFP. June 30, 2025
Magnolia, MS

Edward "Ed" J. Langton June 30, 2023
Hattiesburg, MS

Robert "Bobby" J. Moody. June 30, 2025
Louisville, MS

James L. "Jim" Perry June 30, 2025
Jackson, MS

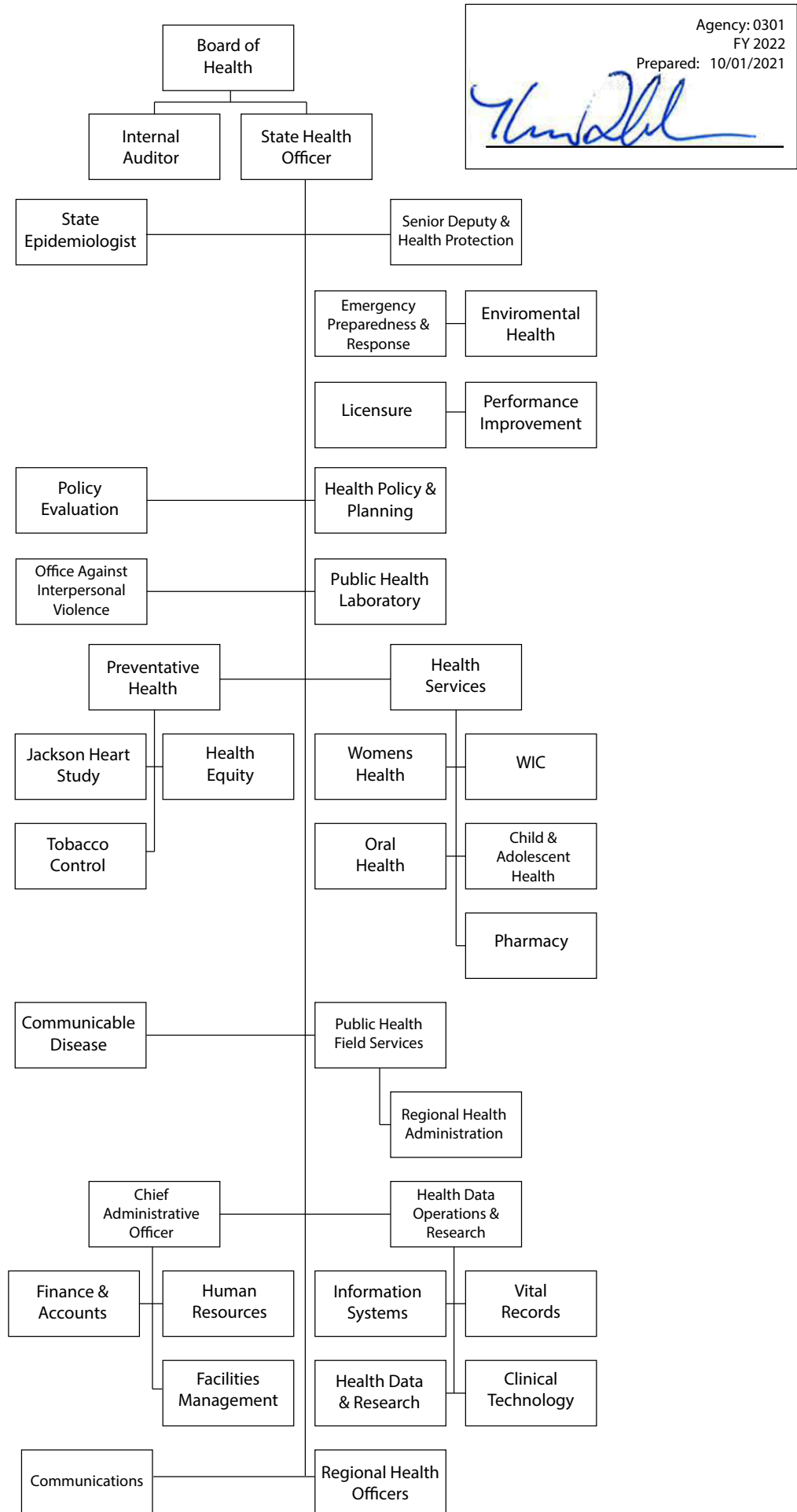
Sammie Ruth Rea, RN June 30, 2021
Ridgeland, MS

Dwalia Sherree South, MD. June 30, 2021
Ripley, MS


Wheeler Timothy "Tim" Timbs, III June 30, 2023
Indianola, MS

Thad Fulton Waites, MD, MACC. June 30, 2021
Hattiesburg, MS

MISSISSIPPI STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FUNCTIONAL ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



Agency: 0301
 FY 2022
 Prepared: 10/01/2021

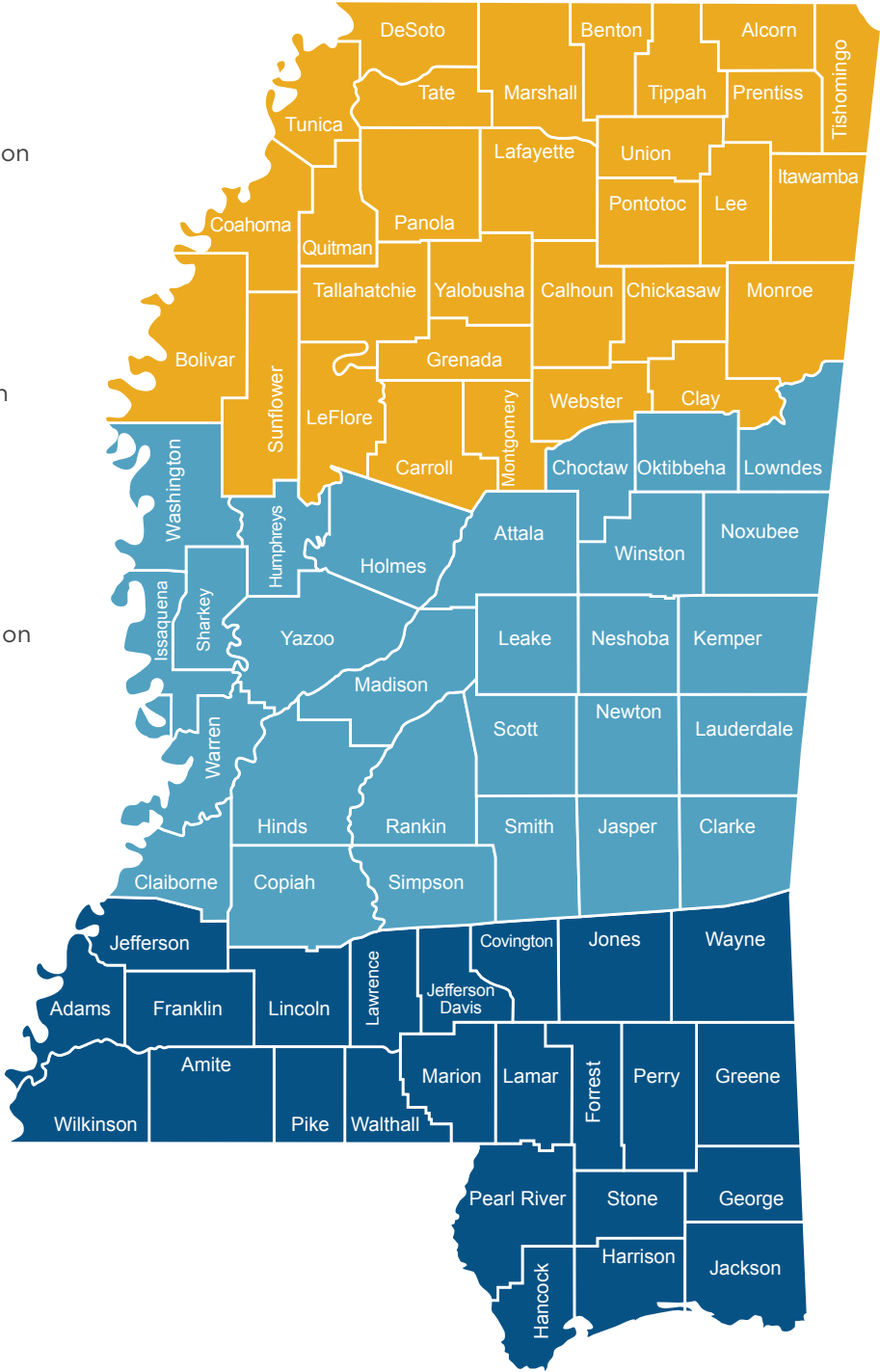


PUBLIC HEALTH REGIONS

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MSDH ADMINISTRATION

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Senior Deputy and Director of Health Protection	Jim Craig, C.P.M.	(601) 576-8066
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Region 1	Jonathan Chaney	(662) 841-9015
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Region 3	Chad Bridges	(228) 436-6770
Regional Health Officers		
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Region 2	Daniel Edney, M.D.	(662) 773-8087
Region 3	Christy Barnett, M.D.	(228) 436-6770
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Health Administration		
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MSDH ADMINISTRATION

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State Epidemiologist	Paul Byers, M.D.	(601) 576-7725
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CHANGES IN REGULATIONS FISCAL YEAR 2021

The following final regulatory actions were taken by the Mississippi State Board of Health in FY 2021:

JULY 2020

- Changes to the Regulations of the Bureau of Acute Care Systems
- Changes to the Regulations for Emergency Medical Services to modify language for paperless certification processing
- Adoption of Regulations Governing Licensure of Child Care Facilities for 12 or Fewer in Operator's Home for standardized guidelines during COVID-19
- Adoption of Regulations Governing Licensure of Child Care Facilities for standardized guidelines during COVID-19

AUGUST 2020

- Final Adoption of Regulations for Operation of Birthing Centers

SEPTEMBER 2020

- Final Adoption of Appalachian Regional Commission "ARC" J-1 Visa
- Final Adoption of Mississippi Conrad State 30 J-1 Visa Waiver Guidelines
- Final Adoption of Mississippi State Rural Health Plan
- Final Adoption of Policies and Procedures Manual
- Final Adoption of Mississippi State Interest Waiver Guidelines

OCTOBER 2021

- Temporary Regulation for Mississippi ICU Infrastructure Act
- Temporary Regulation for Licensed Specialty Hospital Reimbursement Program
- Temporary Regulation for Healthcare CARES Act Reimbursement Program

CHANGES IN REGULATIONS FISCAL YEAR 2021

NOVEMBER 2020

- [Temporary Regulation for Governing Reportable Diseases and Conditions](#)
- [Changes to the Regulations of the Bureau of Acute Care Systems](#)
- [Changes to the Regulations of the Control of Radiation Regulations](#)

DECEMBER 2020

- [Changes to the Regulations of the Control of Radiation Regulations](#)

JANUARY 2021

- [Changes to the Regulations of the Control of Radiation Regulations](#)
- [Changes to the Regulations of the Minimum Standards for Pediatric Nursing Facilities](#)

FEBRUARY 2021

- [Adoption of guidelines for the Mississippi State Department of Health National Interest Waiver Guidelines](#)

APRIL 2021

- [Changes to the Regulations of Minimum Standards of Operation Relative to the Practice of Telemedicine](#)
- [Changes to the Regulations of the Bureau of Acute Care Systems STEMI System of Care](#)

CHANGES IN STATE LAW

Legislative Updates for the 2021 Mississippi Legislative Session

HOUSE BILL 72. Signed 03/17/2021. Effective 07/01/2021.

Department: Health Services

Includes Dentists in the statute that provides immunity from liability for certain health care providers who provide charitable health services or provide health services without charge while assisting with emergency management.

HOUSE BILL 106. Signed 03/22/2021. Effective 03/22/2021. **ON PASSAGE**

Department: Administration

Extends the period for which funds in the Fiscal Year 2021 Appropriation to the State Department of Health may be used to purchase accumulated compensatory time by employees whose activities are deemed essential to agency operations for responding to Covid-19 and to increase the amount of funds that may be used for that purpose.

HOUSE BILL 119. Signed 04/19/2021. Effective 07/01/2021.

Department: Pharmacy Related Bills

Extends the date of the repealer on Harper Grace's Law to July 1, 2024, which authorizes research and the dispensing, possession and use of cannabidiol (CBD Oil) for medical purposes.

HOUSE BILL 136. Signed 04/06/2021 Effective 07/01/2021.

Department: Administration

- Requires any public officer or employee handling or having the custody of public funds, by virtue of his or her office or employment.
- The amount of such bonds shall not be less than Twenty-five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) for each public officer or employee unless a specific amount is otherwise required by law.
- These provisions shall not apply to any public officer or employee whose activity of handling or having custody of public funds is incidental to his or her employment or job duties, as defined by the regulations of the State Auditor's office.

HOUSE BILL 160. Signed 03/25/2021. Effective 03/25/2021. **ON PASSAGE**

Department: Administration/CON

- An Act to reenact sections 41-3-1.1, 41-3-3, 41-3-4, 41-3-5.1, 41-3-6, 41-3-15, 41-3-16, 41-3-17, 41-3-18 and 41-3-19, and to extend the date of the repealer on those reenacted statutes to July 1, 2024.
- Deletes the moratorium on the authority of the State Department of Health to issue a Health Care Certificate of Need for the construction or conversion of child/adolescent psychiatric or chemical dependency beds participating in the Medicaid Program and to delete certain restrictions on Medicaid Reimbursement for such beds and to place certain standards on the department in issuing such certificates.

CHANGES IN STATE LAW

HOUSE BILL 196. Signed 04/21/2021. Effective 07/1/2021.

Department: Health Services

An act to create the “Dignity For Incarcerated Women Act”

- Defines certain terms as used under the Act.
- Provides that when an incarcerated inmate is giving birth, the use of restraints shall be limited.
- Requires certain care and treatment for women related to pregnancy and childbirth and during inmate postpartum recovery.
- Provides certain standards where a female is in the state of undress.
- Requires the Department of Corrections to develop and provide to its correction staff training related to the physical and mental health of pregnant inmates if such staff has contact with pregnant inmates.

HOUSE BILL 294. Signed 03/22/2021. Effective 03/22/2021. **ON PASSAGE**

Department: Licensure

- Deletes the repealer on the section that authorizes medical directors of hospices to prescribe controlled substances for patients of the hospice for terminal disease pain without having an in-person face-to-face visit with a patient.
- Authorizes the State Department of Health to issue up to two (2) new Pediatric Palliative Care Hospice Licenses during a certain period of time and requires that at least one (1) of the new hospice licenses be issued to an applicant that is located within the Second United States Congressional District and extends the date of the repealer on the moratorium on the issuance of new hospice licenses to July 1, 2027.

HOUSE BILL 356. Signed 4/16/2021. Effective 07/01/2021.

Department: Interpersonal Violence

Expands the immunity for making good faith reports of child abuse or neglect to include persons who participate in an investigation, evaluation or judicial proceeding resulting from the report.

HOUSE BILL 551. Signed 3/24/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Vital Records

Requires the Department of Public Safety to promulgate rules that allow an official identifying document issued by the Mississippi Department of Corrections to serve as an identifying document under this section in lieu of a birth certificate.

HOUSE BILL 695. Signed 3/16/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Interpersonal Violence

An Act to remove the matching funds requirement for the State Domestic Violence Fund.

HOUSE BILL 1034. Signed 3/17/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Pharmacy Related Bills

- Revises the chemical name of Thiafentanil.
- Includes Isotonitazene to Schedule I.
- Includes ZULRESSO™ (brexanolone) as a Schedule IV Controlled Substance.
- Includes SUNSOSI™ (solriamfetol) as a Schedule IV Controlled Substance.

CHANGES IN STATE LAW

HOUSE BILL 1263. Signed 3/25/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Licensure

- Provides that Mississippi Occupational Licensing Boards shall issue a license to an applicant who establishes residence in this State if the applicant holds a current license in good standing from another state, has been licensed by the other state for at least one year and satisfies certain other conditions.
- Provides that the license issued to the applicant will be in the discipline applied for and at the same practice level as determined by the Occupational Licensing Board.

HOUSE BILL 1323. Signed 3/24/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Interpersonal Violence

Authorizes any public body to enter into executive session for strategic development of plans to combat, eliminate, reduce or respond to human trafficking or commercial sexual exploitation of children.

HOUSE BILL 1401. Signed 4/14/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Administration

An Act making an Appropriation for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the State Department of Health for the Fiscal Year 2022.

SENATE BILL 2119. Signed 3/17/2021. Effective 1/1/2022.

Department: Pharmacy Related Bills

An Act to authorize pharmacies to sell and persons to purchase, without a prescription, products that contain certain quantities of Pseudoephedrine or Ephedrine.

SENATE BILL 2221. Signed 3/10/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Office of Preventative Health

- An act to establish the Mississippi Dementia Care Pilot Program within the Department of Human Services for the purpose of providing support services to informal caregivers of individuals with Alzheimer's Disease.
- The State Department of Mental Health, the State Department of Health and the University of Mississippi Medical Center shall cooperate with and provide assistance to the Department of Human Services in the establishment and operation of the program and in seeking to obtain federal funds for the program.

SENATE BILL 2474. Signed 4/9/2021. Effective 4/9/2021. **ON PASSAGE**

Department: Administration

- SB 2474 excludes MSDH from the provisions of 27-104-203 and permits MSDH to contract with other state agencies for the purposes of administering the Medical Marijuana Program.
- Exempts MSDH from ITS rules and regulations for the acquisition of information technology equipment and services for the purpose of administering the Medical Marijuana Program.

CHANGES IN STATE LAW

SENATE BILL 2746. Signed 3/18/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Health Services

- An Act to create “Hudson’s Law.”
- Requires MSDH to provide educational information to new or expectant parents who receive a positive test for a chromosomal disorder regarding their child.
- “Chromosomal Disorder” means trisomy 13 (Patau syndrome), trisomy 18 (Edwards syndrome), and trisomy 21 (Down syndrome).

SENATE BILL 2750. Signed 3/29/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Pharmacy Related Bills

- Revises the definition of “written guideline or protocol” in the Pharmacy Practice Act to provide that a pharmacist to whom a practitioner who has delegated the authority to conduct specific prescribing functions must have a specific protocol agreement between the practitioner and the pharmacist that is signed and filed.
- Deletes the requirement to have a protocol agreement on each patient.

SENATE BILL 2799. Signed 4/20/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Affecting MSDH – General

Makes technical amendments to reimbursements and administration relating to the Mississippi Medicaid Program.

SENATE BILL 2824. Signed 4/5/2021. Effective 7/1/2021.

Department: Administration

- An act to Create the “Line-Item Appropriation Transparency Act” which requires annual reporting of pass-through money from line-item appropriation by the Legislature.
- Requires recipient entities that receive pass-through funding from line-item appropriation by the Legislature to annually file a report detailing the expenditure of the state money or the intended expenditure of any state money that has not been spent.

SENATE BILL 2948. Signed 4/22/2021. Effective 7/1/2021

Department: Environmental Services/Administration

Appropriation:

- Mississippi Dept of Health - Underwood Building - \$6,000,000.
- MSDH – Local Government and Rural Water - \$3,200,000.

PUBLIC HEALTH INDICATORS

STATUS OF SELECTED HEALTH INDICATORS FOR MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020

Year	Infant Mortality Rate ¹	Cardiovascular Disease Mortality Rate ²	Teen (15-19) Birth Rate ³
2010	9.6	254.5	55.0
2011	9.4	245.9	50.2
2012	8.8	242.8	46.0
2013	9.7	258.1	42.6
2014	8.2	243.5	37.9
2015	9.2	265.9	34.8
2016	8.6	263.5	32.6
2017	8.7	265.9	31.0
2018	8.4	259.6	27.8
2019	8.8	268.6	29.1
2020	8.3	297.0	27.8
U.S. Rate (year)	5.6 (2020)	200.8 (2020)	16.6 (2020)
MS Rank ⁴	50	46	49

¹ Infant deaths per 1,000 live births

² Deaths per 100,000 population

³ Births among 15-19 year olds per 1,000 females 15-19

Note: Previously reported as a pregnancy rate. The change to birth rate was made so that national comparison figures could be presented.

⁴ Rank: 1=best/50=worst

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Vital Records and Public Health Statistics.

STATUS OF SELECTED PREVALENCE INDICATORS FOR MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020

Year	Obesity Prevalence Rate ¹	Diabetes Prevalence Rate ¹	Self-Reported Fair or Poor Health Status Prevalence Rate ¹
2010	34.5	12.4	23.7
2011	34.9	12.4	24.0
2012	34.6	12.5	23.4
2013	35.2	12.9	24.4
2014	35.5	13.0	22.1
2015	35.6	14.8	23.6
2016	37.4	13.7	23.2
2017	37.5	14.4	25.3
2018	39.5	14.3	23.3
2019	40.8	14.8	23.6
2020	39.7	14.6	19.9
U.S. Rate ³ (year)	32.1 (2020)	10.7 (2020)	13.4 (2020)
MS Rank ²	50	48	46

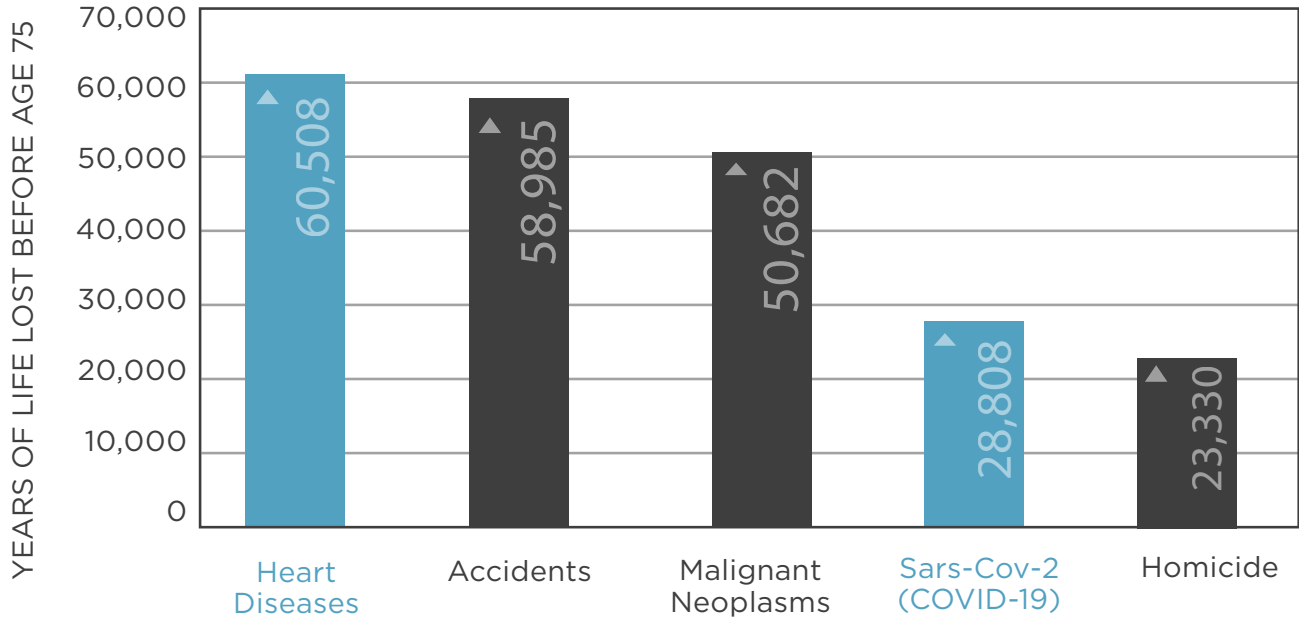
¹ Percent

² Rank: 1=best/50=worst

³ Median

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Health Data and Research, Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS).

LEADING CAUSES OF YEARS OF POTENTIAL LIFE LOST BEFORE AGE 75, MISSISSIPPI RESIDENTS, 2020



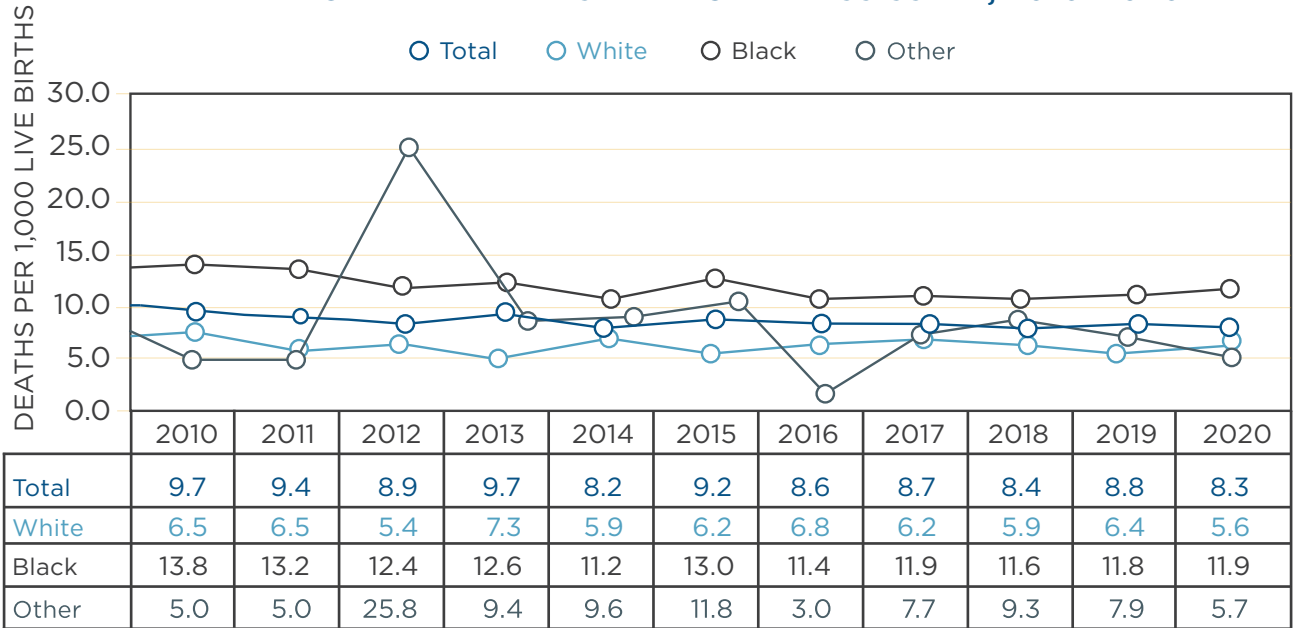
Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Vital Records and Public Health Statistics.

LEADING CAUSES OF YEARS OF POTENTIAL LIFE LOST BEFORE AGE 75, MISSISSIPPI RESIDENTS, 2010-2020

Year	Heart Diseases	Accidents	Malignant Neoplasms	Sars-Cov-2 (COVID-19)	Homicide
2010	50,381	44,098	52,808	0	10,996
2011	48,878	44,945	55,702	0	12,174
2012	48,588	42,766	56,111	0	11,319
2013	52,513	42,642	58,142	0	11,292
2014	52,533	45,405	56,828	0	13,370
2015	52,780	47,445	53,031	0	11,840
2016	52,057	45,842	54,582	0	14,302
2017	51,992	42,572	51,711	0	13,974
2018	50,529	41,503	51,301	0	15,279
2019	53,656	46,214	50,675	0	17,745
2020	60,508	58,985	50,682	28,808	23,330

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Vital Records and Public Health Statistics.

INFANT MORTALITY RATES BY RACE IN MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020



Note: Total includes races other than white and black.

Infant Mortality Rate, Mississippi 2020:

Total	8.3	White	5.6	Black	11.9	Other	5.7
U.S. Infant Morality Rate (2019): 5.6 per 1000 Births	(down)	(down)	(up)	(down)			

Mississippi Rank in 50 States (2019): 50th

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Vital Records and Public Health Statistics, CDC WONDER, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics.

INFANT DEATHS BY RACE IN MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total	386	373	342	373	319	354	327	326	312	322	293
White	140	142	116	155	125	131	142	126	120	128	107
Black	242	227	205	210	185	212	182	191	183	186	180
Other	4	4	21	8	9	11	3	8	9	8	6

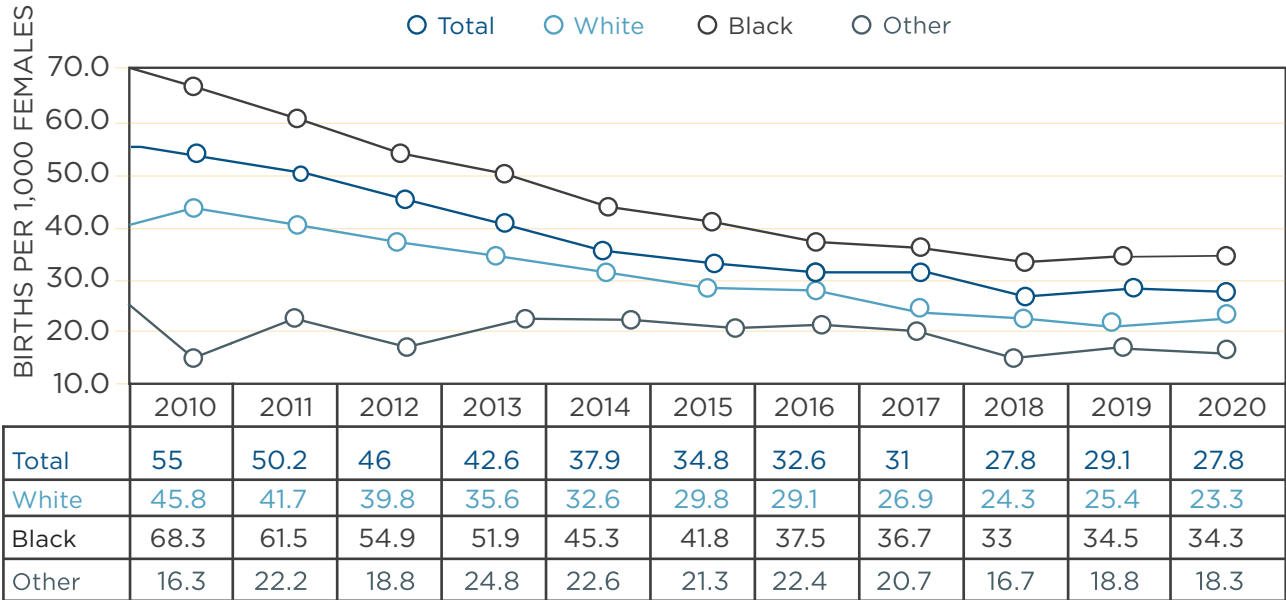
Note: Total includes races other than white and black.

Infant Deaths, Mississippi 2020:

Total	293	White	107	Black	180	Other	6
	(down)	(down)	(down)	(down)	(down)		

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Vital Records and Public Health Statistics, CDC WONDER, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics.

TEEN BIRTH RATES BY RACE IN MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020



Note: Total includes races other than white and black.

Teen Birth Rate, Mississippi 2020:

U.S. Teen Fertility Rate (2019): 16.6 per 1,000 Females 15-19

Mississippi Rank in 50 States (2019): 49th

Total	27.8	White	23.3	Black	34.3	Other	18.3
	(down)		(down)		(down)		(down)

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Vital Records and Public Health Statistics, CDC WONDER, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics.

TEEN BIRTHS BY RACE IN MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020

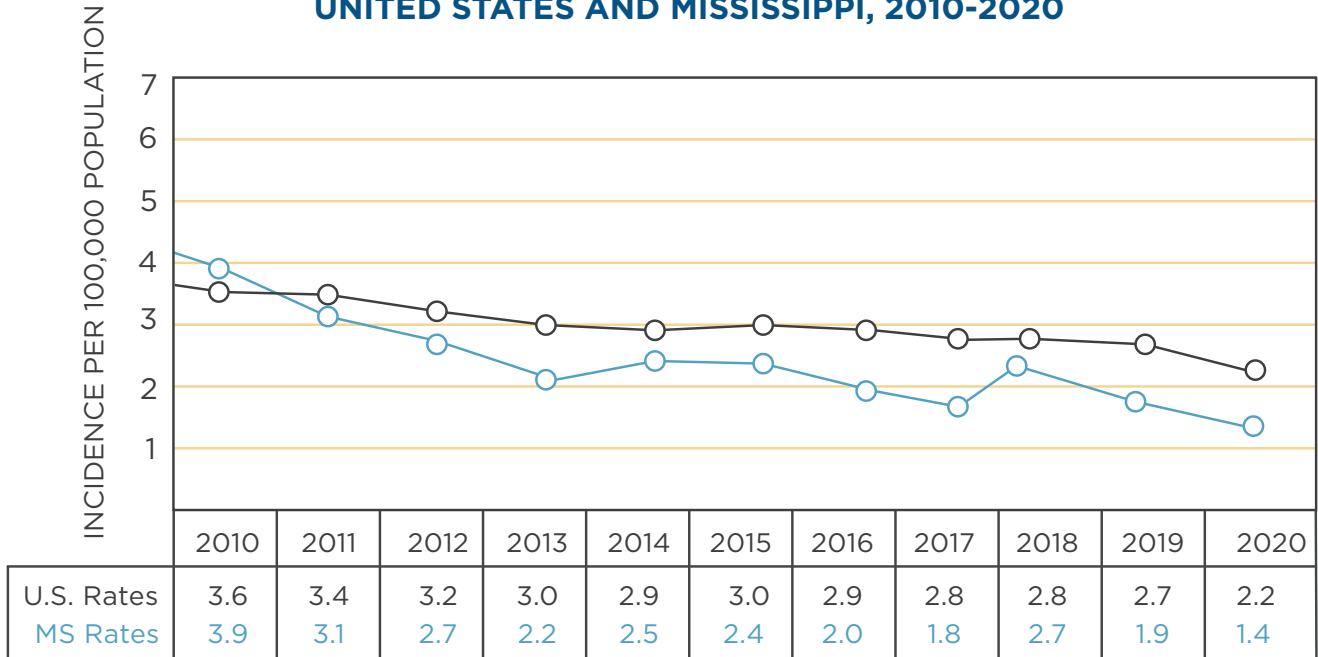
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
Total	6,074	5,362	4,778	4,343	3,851	3,537	3,326	3,137	2,809	2,869	2,710
White	2,552	2,279	2,126	1,885	1,730	1,577	1,547	1,423	1,282	1,313	1,197
Black	3,452	3,013	2,593	2,376	2,045	1,885	1,697	1,636	1,463	1,481	1,439
Other	70	70	59	82	76	75	82	78	64	75	74

Note: Total includes races other than white and black.

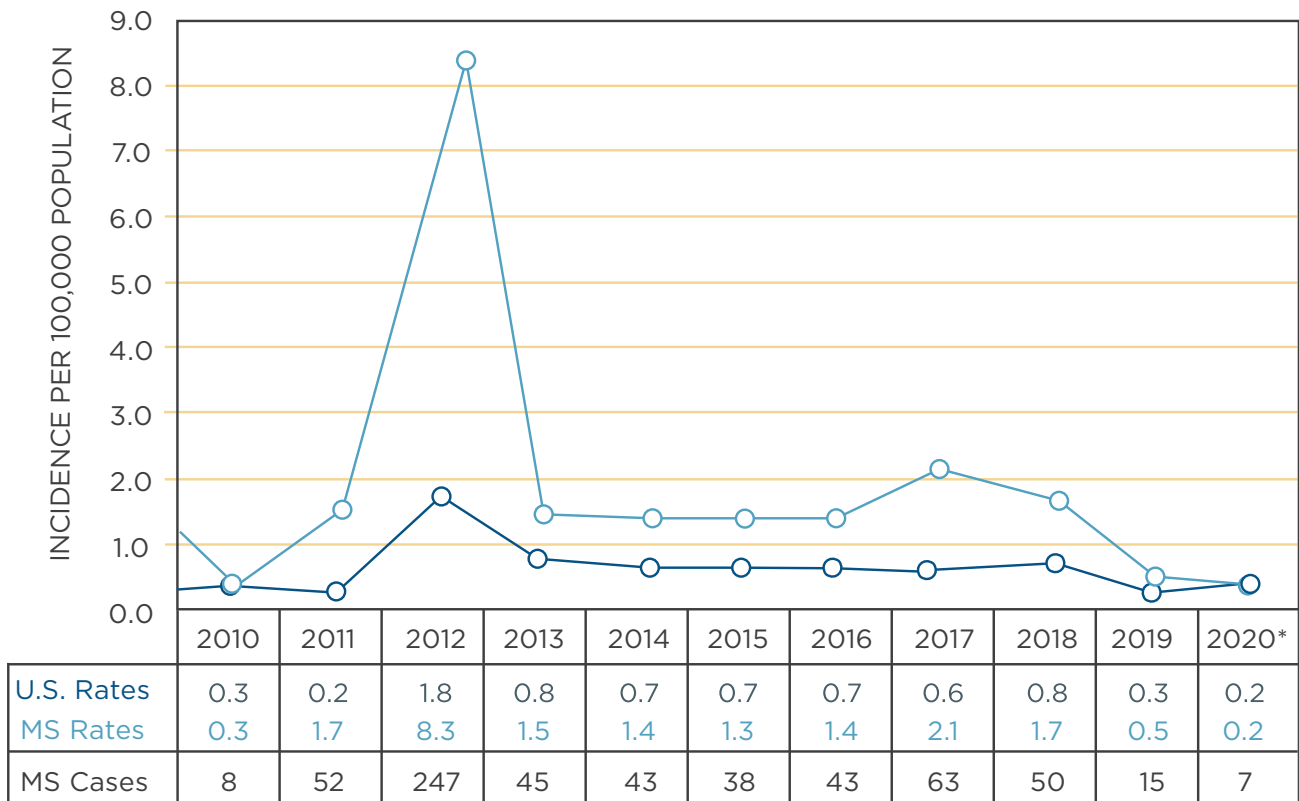
Teen Births, Mississippi 2020:	Total	2,710	White	1,197	Black	1,439	Other	74
		(down)		(down)		(down)		(down)

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Vital Records and Public Health Statistics, CDC WONDER, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Health Statistics.

TUBERCULOSIS RATES BY YEAR, UNITED STATES AND MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020

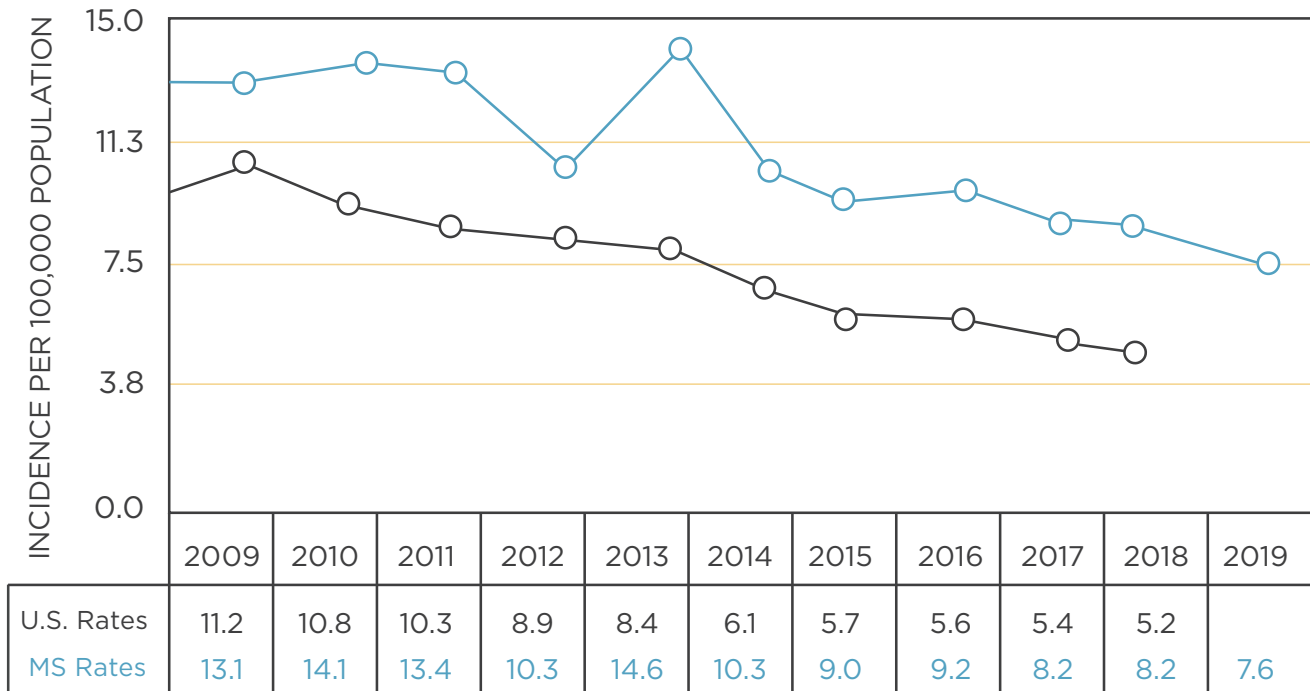


WEST NILE VIRUS RATES BY YEAR, UNITED STATES AND MISSISSIPPI, 2010-2020

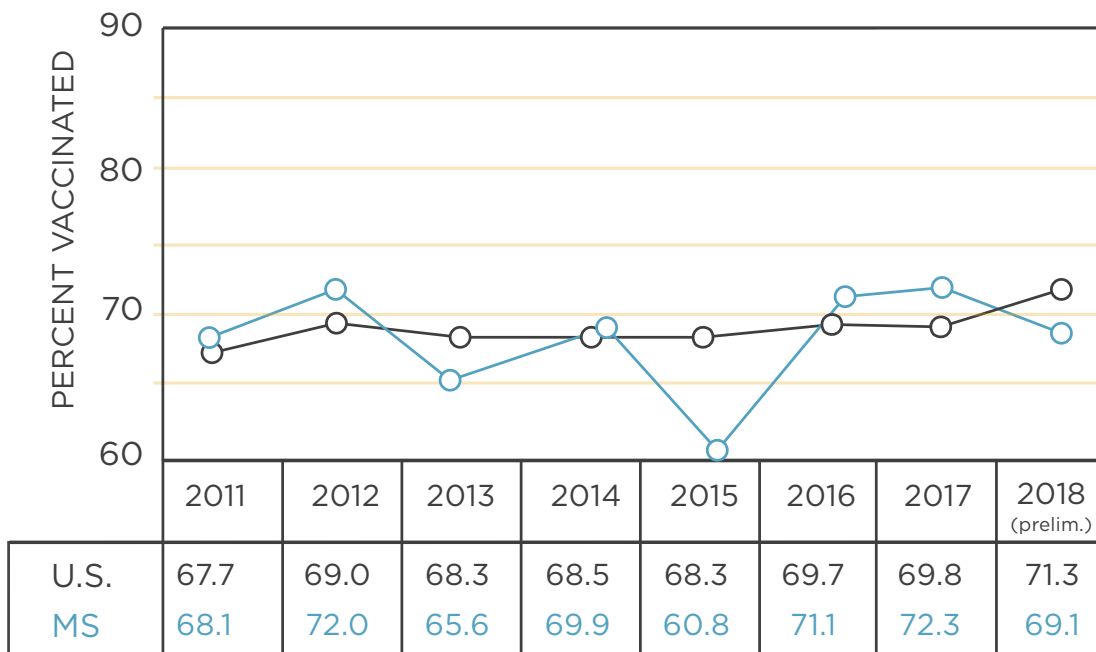


*2020 U.S. data is provisional.

AIDS RATES BY YEAR, UNITED STATES AND MISSISSIPPI, 2009-2019



VACCINATION COVERAGE RATE BY AGE 24 MONTHS*, BY BIRTH YEAR, MISSISSIPPI AND UNITED STATES, 2011-2018



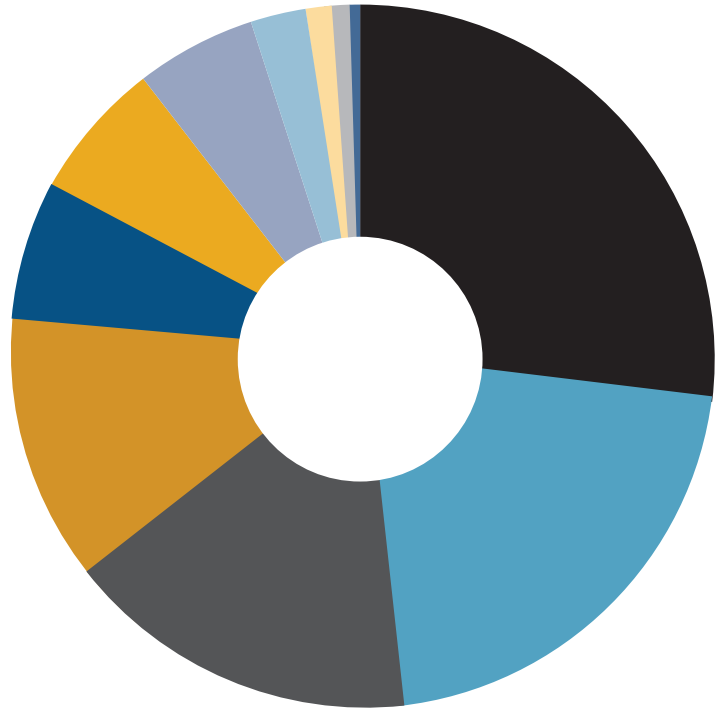
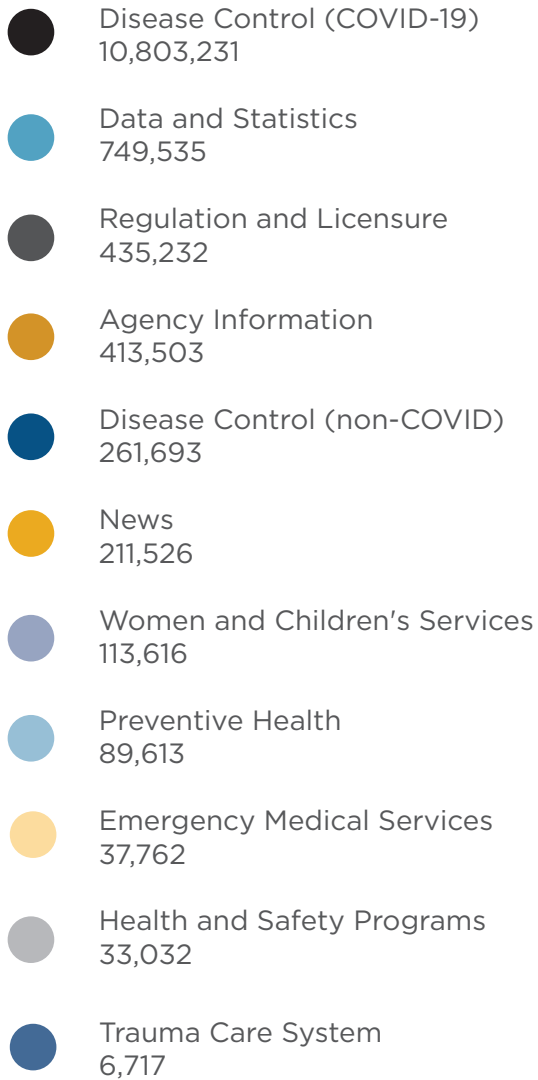
CDC National Immunization Survey. CDC has transitioned to reporting NIS-Child data by birth year rather than survey year. This survey data is for children born 2011-2016 who were surveyed between 2012-2018.

*4+ DTaP, 3+ polio, 1+ MMR, 3 or 4 doses Hib, depending on vaccine type, 3+ HepB, 1+ varicella, and 4+ PCV.

COMMUNICATIONS

WEBSITE CATEGORIES OF INTEREST 2021

Mississippians visited the MSDH website 10,549,724 times in FY2021, viewing web pages on the site approximately 403,063 times a week.



COMMUNICATIONS ACTIVITIES

Website Visits	10,549,724
News Releases produced	102
Total number of media inquiries	1,469
Total requests for public records and data	512
Requests from media	98
Requests from the public	414
Agency forms created/revised	8
Original artwork designed/printed	80
Public meeting notices posted	14
Agency table tents, resolutions and certificates printed	14
MS Ready app alerts and notifications	391
MS Ready app reach (devices that received notifications)	7,134,245
Press Conferences held by MSDH to discuss COVID-19	13
News coverage total (media mentions) ⁽¹⁾	222,102 ⁽¹⁾
TV	113,955
Print	13,392
Internet	94,755
Social Media coverage	
Social Media total page followers	177,171
Posts (all outlets)	1,366
Potential viewership (reach)	29,183,004

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PROGRAM ACTIVITIES & STATISTICS

MSDH PROGRAM ACTIVITIES & STATISTICS CLIENTS, FACILITIES, CERTIFICATES & INSPECTIONS

Fiscal Year 2021 Report of Activities by Program

HEALTH SERVICES

Child Health

Newborns screened for phenylketonuria, hypothyroidism, galactosemia, hemoglobinopathies, congenital adrenal hyperplasia, and other genetic disorders 34,362

Children & Youth with Special Healthcare Needs

Participants enrolled in program. 2,270

WIC - Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children

(Average monthly participation)

Women 15,905

Infants 38,036

Children 21,025

Total 74,966

Women's Health

PHRM/ISS Maternity patients:

Number served 1,146⁽¹⁾

Number of professional visits 4,501⁽²⁾

PHRM/ISS Infant patients:

Number served 904⁽¹⁾

Number of professional visits 3,513⁽²⁾

Women screened for breast or cervical cancer (as of 6/30/21) 3,846

Reproductive Health (Family Planning)

Adult patients served 30,891

Teens 2,789

⁽¹⁾Source: PHRM/ISS Database, These were unduplicated number of patients.

⁽²⁾Source: MSDH Patient Information Management System, encounter with social worker, registered dietician, registered nurse. These included multiple visits of the same patients.

Oral Health³

Population on recruited systems (pending activation) 0

Population added through water fluoridation program 0

Oral Health screenings 0

Children who received fluoride varnish application 0

Number of children who received dental sealants 0

⁽³⁾Program activities impacted due to COVID-19 pandemic response and meeting limitations.

Preventive Health

Child safety car seats distributed and installed 1,396

Tobacco Control

Number of unduplicated individuals who have completed the intake process for the MS Tobacco Quitline 4,926

Number of unduplicated individuals who have contacted OTC-funded tobacco cessation treatment programs via phone 4,350

Number of unduplicated individuals who have contacted OTC-funded tobacco cessation treatment programs via website	576
Number of unduplicated individuals who have utilized the OTC-funded specialized tobacco cessation treatment program for Mississippians with behavioral health conditions.	509
Number of counties with Tobacco-Free Coalitions implementing evidence-based programs consistent with CDC best practice guidelines	82
Number of cities in Mississippi with comprehensive smoke-free air ordinances.	174

HEALTH PROTECTION

Environmental Health

Boilers and Pressure vessels inspected (including inspections done by insurance representatives, which are assured by MSDH)	18,491
Food establishments permitted	13,114
Inspections of food establishments	17,717 ⁽⁴⁾
Wastewater complaints investigated	844 ⁽⁵⁾
Water system inspections.	1,148 ⁽⁶⁾
Sewage disposal inspections and soil/site evaluations	12,142 ⁽⁷⁾
Dairy farm inspections	240
Dairy samples collected for evaluation	1,025 ⁽⁸⁾
Jail inspections performed.	86 ⁽⁹⁾

⁽⁴⁾The increase in food establishment inspections in SFY2021 was due to increased public interaction following the COVID-19 pandemic response. COVID safety inspection protocols have been implemented and inspections have resumed in full with the exception of healthcare facilities with an ongoing outbreak.

⁽⁵⁾Fewer wastewater complaints were received in SFY2021, but all received complaints were investigated.

⁽⁶⁾The increase in water system inspections conducted in SFY2021 was due to increased public interaction following the COVID-19 pandemic response. COVID safety inspection protocols have been implemented and inspections have resumed in full.

⁽⁷⁾The increase in Onsite Wastewater inspections in SFY2021 was due to increased construction activity across the state resulting in an increase of applications received over the prior state fiscal year.

⁽⁸⁾Fewer dairy samples were collected in SFY2021 due to a joint effort with the regulated community to allow increased industry sampling and provide MSDH staff additional time for facility inspection and compliance assistance efforts.

⁽⁹⁾The increase in jail inspections in SFY2021 was the result of an agreement between MSDH and MS Department of Corrections to inspect state-run correctional facilities.

Radiological Health and Safety

Radioactive materials licenses inspected	47
Healing Arts X-ray tubes inspected.	1,170
Mammography units inspected	88
Environmental samples collected and analyzed for radioactivity around the Grand Gulf Nuclear Station and Salmon Test	543

Emergency Medical Services/Acute Care Systems

Ambulance permits issued.	889
Certifications/Recertifications Issued:	
Emergency Medical Technicians/ Paramedics	3,357
EMS Drivers	1,151
Emergency services licensed/relicensed	167
Designated trauma centers	87

Licensure

Hospitals - accredited (licensed)	67
Hospitals - non-accredited (licensed)	44
Nursing Homes/Skilled Nursing facilities (licensed and certified)	211
Home Health agencies (licensed)	49
Intermediate care facilities (licensed)	0
Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities (licensed)	8
Personal Care Homes (licensed)	206
Prescribed Pediatric Extended Care Facilities (licensed)	14
Hospices (licensed) (includes branches/satellites)	129
Ambulatory surgical facilities (licensed) (includes single specialty)	77
Community mental health centers (certified only)	4
Rural health clinics (certified only)	179
End stage renal disease facilities (certified only)	96
Comprehensive outpatient rehabilitation facilities (certified only)	0
Portable x-ray (certified only)	5
Outpatient physical therapy facilities (certified only)	31
Abortion facilities (licensed)	1
CLIA laboratories (excluding VA labs) (certified only)	3,506
Utilization Review Agents	135
Health facilities surveyed	212
Health facility complaints investigated	627
Number of inspections of youth camps	35
Child residential care homes monitored per Notification Act X	19
Number of general/renewal inspections of daycare facilities	3,146
Daycare complaints investigated	504
Licenses issued for athletic trainers, audiologists, dietitians, hearing aid specialists, occupational therapists and occupational therapy assistants, respiratory care practitioners, speech-language pathologists, and professional art therapists	7,790
Total number of registered or certified radiation technologists, audiology aides, eye enucleators, speech language pathology aides, tattoo artists, body piercers, and hair braiders	11,346
Total number of CHRCs processed for Healthcare facilities	62,013
Total number of CHRCs processed for Child Care facilities	8,101

OFFICE OF HEALTH PLANNING AND RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT

Certificate of Need (CON) applications reviewed	12
Capital Expenditures Authorized through Issued CONs	\$58,405,282.80
Declaratory Rulings (DR) issued	39
Capital Expenditures Authorized through Issued DRs	\$28,966,458.10
Total Capital Expenditures Authorized through Issued CONs and DRs	\$74,113,127.67

RURAL HEALTH AND PRIMARY CARE

Number of Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA) designation reviews conducted:

Primary Care	78
Dental.....	78
Mental Health (by catchment area)(plus two single Mental Health Counties).....	13
Number of National Health Service Corps site applications processed	51
Number of J-1 Visa Waiver applications reviewed.....	9
Number of National Interest Waiver applications processed.....	2
Number of health care professionals placed in areas of need:	
Primary Care Practitioners	74
Specialists.....	2
Dentists	4
Core Mental Health Professionals.....	44

NOTE: HRSA currently automatically designates all 21 Federally Qualified Community Health Centers and their satellite locations as a HPSA, so they do not receive a designation review by the Office of Primary Care.

SOURCE: Bureau of Health Workforce (BHW)/Shortage Designation Management System (SDMS), Bureau of Health Workforce Field Strength Dashboards (hrsa.gov), Mississippi Office of Rural Health and Primary Care-J-1 Waiver Data Base.

VITAL RECORDS PROGRAM ACTIVITIES¹⁰

	Number
Births	34,484
Deaths	39,319
Marriages	16,689
Divorces	9,836
Fetal Deaths	370
Induced Terminations	3,559
Adoptions	1,621
Certified Copies of Vital Records Issued	469,660
Answered calls to the Office of Health Statistics	56,642

⁽¹⁰⁾Calendar Year 2020

Source: Mississippi State Department of Health, Office of Public Health Statistics, Vital Statistics

OFFICE AGAINST INTERPERSONAL VIOLENCE

Numbers Served

Family Violence Prevention and Domestic Violence Programs	2,661
Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Programs	4,745
Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)	14,278
Number of Individuals Served	21,684

Gender of Individuals Served

Family Violence Prevention and Domestic Violence Programs *adults only

Male	32
Female	1,624
Other	9

Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)

Male	1,833
Female	4,058
Other	5
Not reported/tracked	8,382

Total Served by Gender

Male	1,865
Female	5,682
Other	14
Not reported/tracked	8,382

Age Range of Individuals Served

Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)

0-12	214
13-17	1,031
18-24	391
25-59	1,828
60+	2,232
Not reported/tracked	2,686

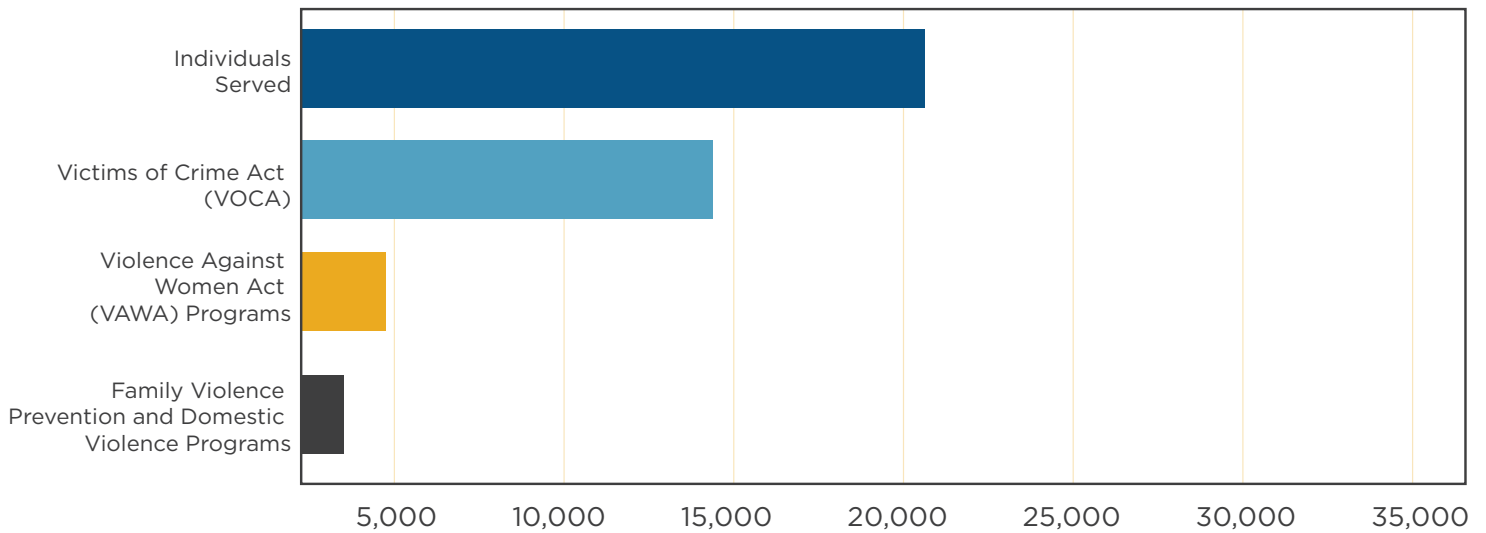
Family Violence Prevention and Domestic Violence Programs

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13-17.....	129
18-24.....	231
25-59.....	1,177
60+.....	806
Not reported/tracked.....	265

Total Served by Age Range

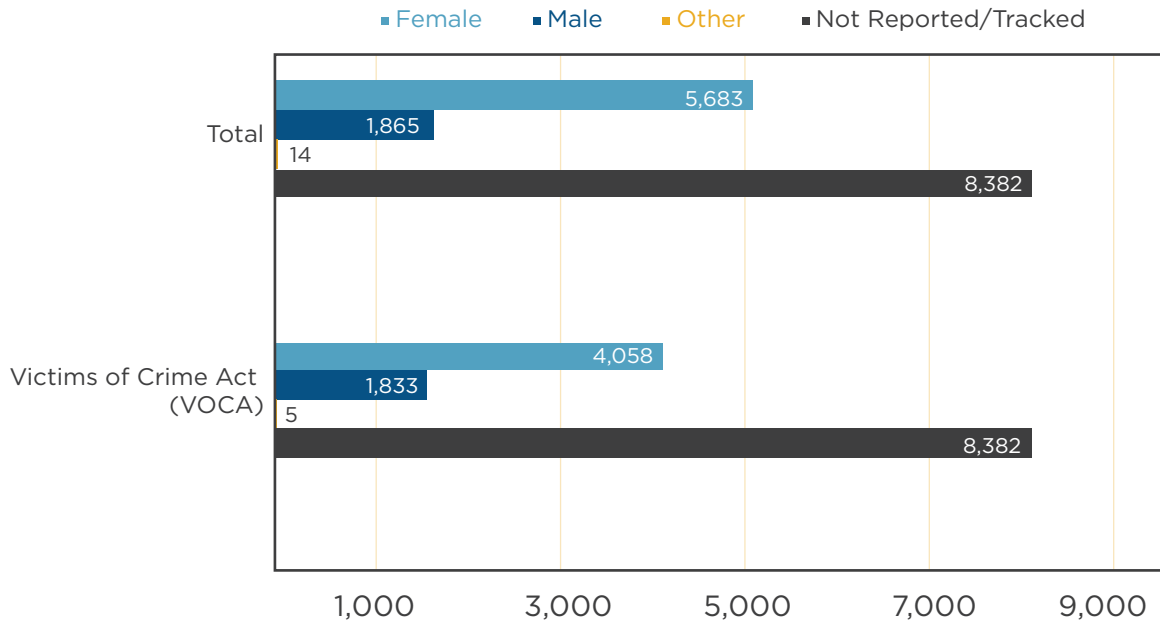
0-12.....	267
13-17.....	1,160
18-24.....	622
25-59.....	3,005
60+.....	3,038
Not reported/tracked.....	2,951

NUMBERS SERVED IN 2021



Total Numbers Served, 2021:	Individuals Served	Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)	Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) Programs	Family Violence Prevention and Domestic Violence Programs
	21,684	14,278	4,745	2,661

GENDERS SERVED IN 2021



INDIVIDUALS SERVED BY AGE RANGE IN 2021

Ages of Individuals Served	Victims of Crime Act (VOCA)	Family Violence Prevention and Domestic Violence Programs	Total
0-12	2,232	806	3,038
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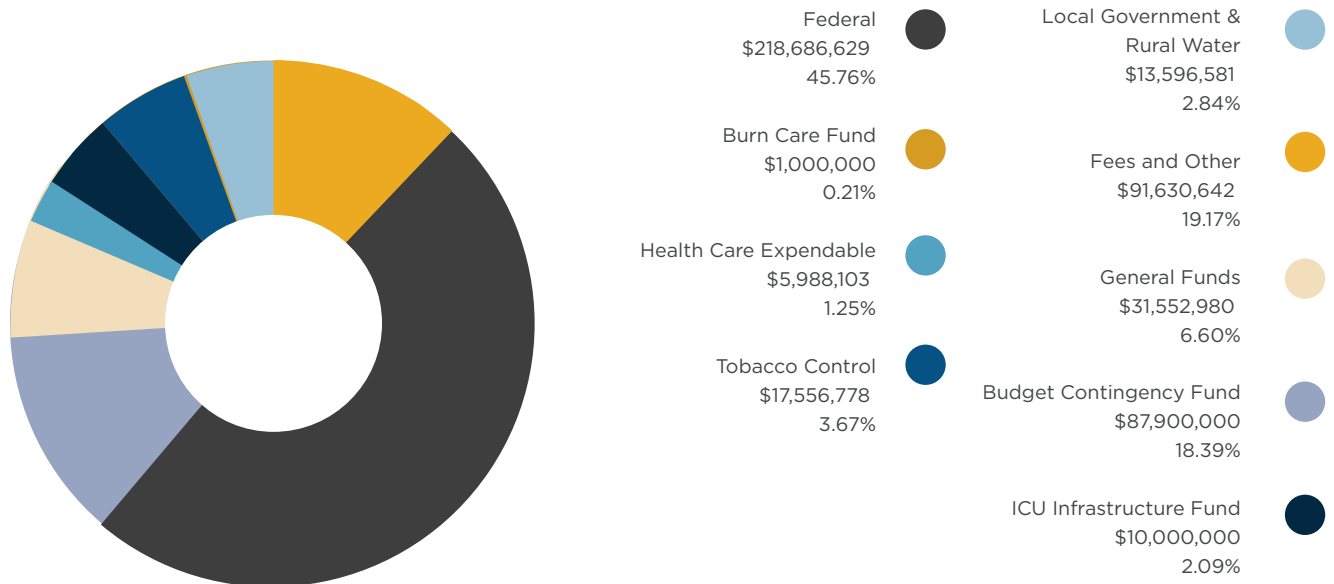
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FISCAL YEAR 2021 EXPENDITURES BY FUNDING CATEGORY

- Subsidies, Loans & Grants
\$225,492,369
47.18%
- Contractual Services
\$60,129,950
12.58%
- Commodities
\$69,965,237
14.64%
- Travel
\$3,631,780
0.76%
- Capital Outlay - Equipment
\$2,931,221
0.61%
- Wireless
\$326,240
0.07%
- Salaries
\$115,434,916
24.15%



FISCAL YEAR 2021 EXPENDITURES BY EXPENDITURE CATEGORY

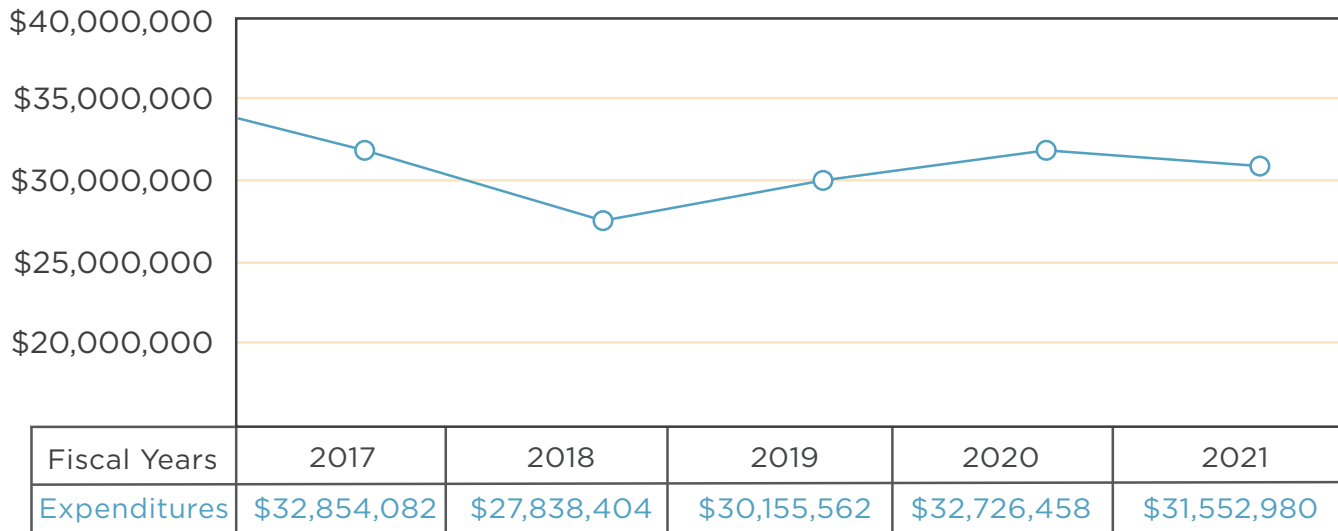


EXPENDITURE FUNDING SOURCES FOR FISCAL YEARS 2017-2021

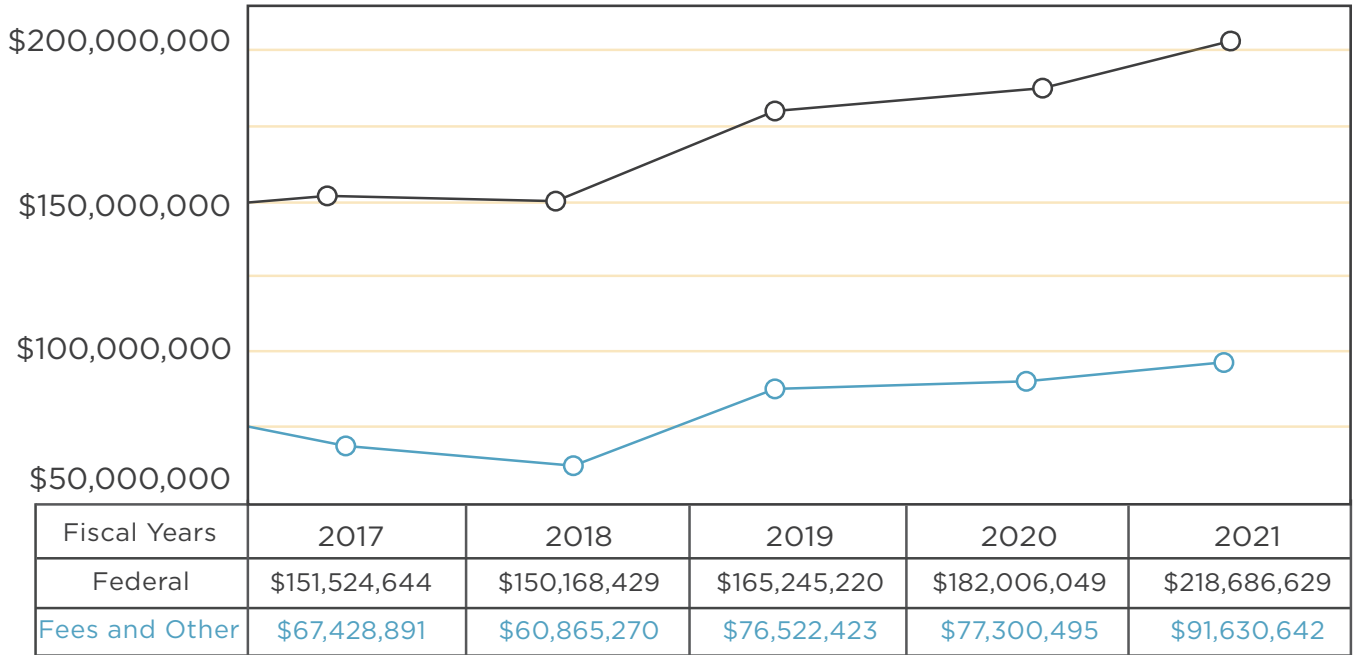
	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
General Funds	\$32,854,082	\$27,838,404	\$30,155,562	\$32,726,458	\$31,552,980
Federal	151,524,644	150,168,429	165,245,220	182,006,049	218,686,629
Fees and Other	67,428,891	60,865,270	76,522,423	77,300,495	91,630,642
Health Care Expendable	6,159,296	8,128,962	8,572,933	8,176,157	5,988,103
Tobacco Control	19,002,073	17,350,931	18,173,018	18,984,810	17,556,778
Local Government & Rural Water	16,780,799	16,019,462	20,248,726	19,783,208	13,596,581
Burn Care Fund	687,049	1,003,029	500,000	500,000	1,000,000
Budget Contingency Fund	0	0	0	0	87,900,000
ICU Infrastructure Fund	0	0	0	0	10,000,000
Total	\$294,436,834	\$281,374,487	\$319,417,882	\$339,477,177	\$477,911,713

Source: FY Budget Request

GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES



SPECIAL FUND EXPENDITURES



EXPENDITURES BY MAJOR CATEGORY FOR FISCAL YEARS 2017-2021

	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Salaries	\$98,926,463	\$92,291,758	\$93,682,978	\$103,798,547	\$115,434,916
Travel	5,581,330	4,635,308	5,286,736	5,035,655	3,631,780
Contractual Services	36,902,212	34,695,059	47,488,672	42,971,193	60,129,950
Commodities	33,398,007	35,698,501	44,055,514	40,369,399	69,965,237
Capital Outlay-Equipment	2,214,760	1,765,157	2,715,197	2,974,428	2,931,221
Vehicles	19,963		64,134	52,574	
Wireless Comm. Devices	13,223	1,860	44,838	61,957	326,240
Subsidies, Loans & Grants	117,380,876	112,286,844	126,079,813	144,213,424	225,492,369
Total	\$294,436,834	\$281,374,487	\$319,417,882	\$339,477,177	\$477,911,713

VEHICLE MILEAGE REPORT

DESCRIPTION	MAKE/MODEL	YEAR	TOTAL MILES	AVERAGE MILES
VAN	CARAVAN	2010	177,369	16,124
VAN	CARAVAN	2010	119,008	10,819
VAN	CARAVAN	2010	186,705	16,973
VAN	CARAVAN	2014	156,787	22,398
VAN	CARAVAN	2018	40,443	13,481
VAN	CARAVAN	2018	83,124	27,708
VAN	CARAVAN	2018	35,087	11,936
SUV	PATRIOT	2014	82,866	11,838
CARGO VAN	TRANSIT	2017	42,415	10,604
TRUCK	CHEVY EXPRESS	2014	75,408	10,773
CARGO VAN	ECONOLINE VAN	2006	92,340	6,156
CARGO VAN	ECONOLINE VAN	2006	75,118	5,008
VAN	ECONOLINE VAN	2011	92,475	9,218
AUTOMOBILE	FUSION	2011	142,828	14,283
AUTOMOBILE	FUSION	2011	25,312	2,531
AUTOMOBILE	FUSION	2011	201,290	20,129
AUTOMOBILE	FUSION	2011	67,426	6,743
TRUCK	SIERRA	2004	31,854	1,874
TRUCK	RAM TRUCK	2006	107,388	7,159
TRUCK	TITAN	2006	249,084	16,606
TRUCK	TITAN	2006	193,924	12,928
TRUCK	TITAN	2006	264,400	17,627
TRUCK	FORD F250	2020	11,809	11,809
TRUCK	FORD F250	2020	11,788	11,788
TRUCK	TITAN	2004	304,233	17,896
TRUCK	TITAN	2006	176,183	11,746
TRUCK	RAM TRUCK	2004	140,286	8,252
SUV	EXPEDITION	2007	73,244	5,232
SUV	SUBURBAN	2004	71,784	4,223
TRUCK	4x4 TRUCK	2010	71,334	6,485



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