

# NORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT

<b>Maternal/Child</b>	<b>2004 District</b>	<b>2005 District</b>	<b>2006 District</b>	<b>2006 State</b>	<b>Measurement</b>
Percent of live births with adequate prenatal care	41.6%	47.5%	<b>46.6%</b>	42.0%	<i>Better</i>
Percent of live births with low birth weight	5.6%	5.7%	<b>5.5%</b>	6.9%	<i>Better</i>
Percent of live births with tobacco use during pregnancy	16.2%	16.0%	<b>18.1%</b>	12.7%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent Women, Infants and Children (WIC) participation	41.0%	33.8%	<b>39.9%</b>	35.9%	<i>Better</i>
Percent prevalence of breastfeeding	89.0%	92.5%	<b>89.7%</b>	88.4%	<i>Better</i>
<b>Adolescents</b>	<b>2004 District</b>	<b>2005 District</b>	<b>2006 District</b>	<b>2006 State</b>	<b>Measurement</b>
Teen pregnancy <b>rate</b> (15-19)	<i>32.8</i> <small>Rate / 1,000</small>	<i>27.2</i> <small>Rate / 1,000</small>	<b><i>32.9</i></b> <small>Rate / 1,000</small>	<i>46.5</i> <small>Rate / 1,000</small>	<i>Better</i>
Motor vehicle crash death <b>rate</b> 2003-2005 (15-19)	<i>36.3</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>36.3</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<b><i>32.3</i></b> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>27.0</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Suicide <b>rate</b> 2003-2005 (10-18)	<i>8.2</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>5.6</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<b><i>11.5</i></b> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>5.8</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
<b>Adults:</b>	<b>2004 District</b>	<b>2005 District</b>	<b>2006 District</b>	<b>2006 State</b>	<b>Measurement</b>
Percent without health care coverage	15.9%	22.5%	<b>21.8%</b>	18.8%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent with no leisure time activity	16.3%	23.9%	<b>22.2%</b>	20.8%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent overweight (BMI > 25)	59.1%	61.1%	<b>61.7%</b>	59.7%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent diagnosed with diabetes	6.7%	6.9%	<b>6.8%</b>	6.8%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent who smoke cigarettes	18.6%	19.3%	<b>21.8%</b>	16.8%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent who binge drink (5 or more drinks at one time)	20.6%	19.3%	<b>19.6%</b>	14.8%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent of women without breast cancer screening (age 40+)	39.4%	N/A	<b>36.0%</b>	37.8%	<i>Better</i>
Percent of males without prostate cancer screening (age 40+)	50.7%	N/A	<b>53.0%</b>	48.7%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent who did not wear seatbelts	30.7%	27.3%	<b>25.9%</b>	26.8%	<i>Better</i>
Suicide <b>rate</b> , 2003-2005 (ages 65 +)	<i>29.4</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>33.3</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<b><i>37.7</i></b> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>22.6</i> <small>Rate / 100,000</small>	<i>Needs Improvement</i>
Percent with no dental visit in the last year	36.4%	37.3%	<b>39.6%</b>	34.6%	<i>Needs Improvement</i>



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# Community Health Indicators



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## Essential Public Health Services

- Monitor health status to identify community health problems
- Diagnose and investigate health problems and health hazards in the community
- Inform, educate, and empower people about health issues
- Mobilize community partnerships to identify and solve health problems
- Develop policies and plans that support individual and community health efforts
- Enforce laws and regulations that protect health and ensure safety
- Link people to needed personal health services and assure the provision of health care when otherwise unavailable
- Assure a competent public health and personal health care workforce
- Evaluate effectiveness, accessibility, and quality of personal and population-based health services
- Research for new insights and innovative solutions to health problems



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