Division of Prevention and Community Health

Division of Prevention and Community Health (PCH) contributes to the Department of Health’s vision by collaborating with partners and stakeholders to enhance the health of individuals, families, and communities and to eliminate health inequities. We work to prevent disease and promote a healthy start, healthy choices, and access to services. The division consists of 260 staff delivering public health services statewide.

Office of the Assistant Secretary (OAS) provides leadership and support for the entire division. The Assistant Secretary serves as the agency chief for organizational culture and health and is primarily responsible for constituent and external relations. The Deputy Assistant Secretaries are primarily responsible for internal operations, policy, and strategy. In addition, we house the division’s Operations Section; Policy, Rules, and Legislative Affairs Section; and a Senior Epidemiologist.

The Office of Family and Community Health Improvement (OFCHI) is dedicated to enhancing the health of individuals, families and communities. Our work addresses the following priority areas: maternal and child health; healthy starts; breast, cervical and colon health; quality screening, referral, and follow-up; reproductive sexual health; social and emotional wellness; children with special health care needs; and Community Health Worker training.

Office of Healthy and Safe Communities (OHSC) is dedicated to making the healthy choice the easy choice in homes, communities, workplaces, health care settings, and schools. We work to prevent disease and promote health at every stage of life by implementing policies, systems, and environmental changes with a focus on health equity. Our areas of expertise include community based prevention, injury and violence prevention, and cancer prevention and control.

The Office of Immunization and Child Profile (OICP) is committed to two primary goals: 1) establishing and maintaining statewide infrastructure to support vaccine supply, clinical guidance on immunizations, immunization data collection and analysis, and promotion of immunization across the lifespan; and 2) collaborating with healthcare providers, government agencies, and community organizations to educate parents on healthy choices and preventive care.

The Office of Nutrition Services (ONS) creates opportunities for people with limited resources to make healthy nutrition choices. We support healthy eating, breastfeeding, access to healthy foods, and physical activity. The US Department of Agriculture funds the nutrition services we provide through our contracts with local health jurisdictions, community agencies, tribal organizations, and food retailers.

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2017 FACTS AND FIGURES
Office of Family and Community Health Improvement
Providers at pediatric clinics prepared for value-based payment .......................................................... 1,000
Women screened for breast or cervical cancer ......................................................................................... 6,000
Children with special health care needs referred to community resources and services ................................ 14,700

Office of Healthy and Safe Communities
Calls to the Tobacco Quitline from residents of Washington ................................................................. 15,624
Downloads of 2MorrowQuit (formerly SmartQuit) app ........................................................................ 479
Providers who attended a Telepain session (how to discuss safe opioid use with patients) ................... 1,800
Worksites that offered HealthLinks worksite wellness program ............................................................. 179

Office of Immunization and Child Profile
Public school districts using Washington Immunization Information System ........................................... 285 (90%)
Number of provider offices enrolled in the State Childhood Vaccine Program ........................................ 1,035
Vaccine doses ordered for kids aged 0–18 ................................................................................................. 2,795,586
Dollar value of vaccines ordered for kids aged 0–18 ........................................................................... $130,204,193

Office of Nutrition Services
Women, Infants and Children Nutrition Program participants ................................................................. 315,331
SNAP-Ed participants ............................................................................................................................... 39,072
Infants born in Washington who are served by WIC ........................................................................... 38,894 (45%)
Dollar value of redeemed WIC checks ............................................................................................... $122,047,480

BUDGET
The 2017–2019 biennium budget is illustrated by the charts below. Chart 1 is the total allotment by fund type and Chart 2 is the total allotment by office. PCH has several interagency agreements where costs are reimbursed from other agencies. These agreements represent an additional $20.7 million budgeted, but not captured in the totals below due to the net difference.

ALLOTMENTS BY FUND TYPE (CHART 1)
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* Dedicated Accounts include Tobacco, Universal Vaccine
** Fee Accounts include WIC rebates and Public Health Supplemental

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