

# Public Health Programs & Services

S A I N T P A U L - R A M S E Y C O U N T Y P U B L I C H E A L T H

## **A to Z Recycling & Disposal Guide**

Provides information on the best way to recycle or dispose of unwanted household items, household hazardous waste, and yard waste. [651-633-EASY \(3279\)](tel:651-633-EASY) | [ramseyrecycles.com](http://ramseyrecycles.com)

## **Birth, Death and Other Vital Records**

Processes Ramsey County birth and death records; marriage license applications and records; notary registrations; credentials of ordination. [651-266-1333](tel:651-266-1333)

## **Child and Teen Checkups Program**

Assists families enrolled in Minnesota Health Care Programs to obtain health care; provides training for clinics. [651-266-2420](tel:651-266-2420)

## **Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention**

Provides case management and information for children under 6 years with elevated lead levels. [651-266-1832](tel:651-266-1832)

## **Emergency Preparedness**

Coordinates the planning, response and recovery for public health emergencies. [651-266-2534](tel:651-266-2534)

Medical Reserve Corps - Organizes health and medical volunteers and prepares them to respond to local public health emergencies. [651-266-2592](tel:651-266-2592)

## **Environmental Licensing and Inspection**

Information about the regulation of food establishments, lodging facilities, manufactured home parks, camping areas, youth camps, public health nuisances, public swimming pools, hazardous and solid waste facilities and haulers. [651-266-1199](tel:651-266-1199)

## **Epidemiology**

Provides information and consultation about control of communicable diseases; investigates acute disease outbreaks. [651-266-2411](tel:651-266-2411) or [651-266-2414](tel:651-266-2414)

## **Family Health Home Visiting**

Home visits by Public Health Nurses to pregnant women, teen parents and families with children up to age 3. [651-266-1555](tel:651-266-1555)

## **Health Planning and Evaluation**

Coordinates community health assessment, community health improvement and strategic planning; provides health data. [651-266-2518](tel:651-266-2518)

## **Healthy Communities Consultation**

Develops and promotes evidence-based strategies and sustainable prevention initiatives in seven focus areas: Adolescent Health/Healthy Youth Development; Chronic Disease Prevention; Healthy Aging; Health Equity, Hmong Community Health Promotion; Mental Well-being; and Violence Prevention. [651-266-2461](tel:651-266-2461)

## **Health Records**

Maintains patient medical records and coordinates privacy data and compliance. [651-266-1323](tel:651-266-1323)

## **Hepatitis B Prevention Program**

Provides case management for infants born to Hepatitis B positive mothers and education on prevention of Hepatitis B transmission. [651-266-1242](tel:651-266-1242)

## **HouseCalls**

Services for families at risk of becoming homeless, including utility assistance and referrals. [651-266-1290](tel:651-266-1290)

## **Immunization Services**

Provides low cost immunizations for those without insurance coverage for vaccines. [651-266-1234](tel:651-266-1234)

## **Lead Hazards and Healthy Homes**

Inspects, assesses and enforces the removal of lead based paint from properties; consults on environmental conditions of housing. [651-266-1199](tel:651-266-1199)

## **Refugee Health**

Assures refugee screening at community health sites and coordinates follow-up care and services. [651-373-1324](tel:651-373-1324)

## **SOS Sexual Violence Services**

Provides free, confidential services for sexual violence victims, their families and other concerned persons. [651-266-1000](tel:651-266-1000) - answered 24/7

## **Sexual Health Services**

Provides well woman exams, pregnancy testing, birth control and emergency contraception; screening and treatment of sexually transmitted diseases. Fees based on income and ability to pay. Most major insurance carriers accepted. [651-266-1255](tel:651-266-1255)

## **Tuberculosis (TB) Control Services**

Provides treatment for latent tuberculosis infection and management of persons with active tuberculosis. [651-266-1343](tel:651-266-1343)

## **Well Water Testing**

Provides well water testing for home and vacation properties. Call to request a sampling kit. [651-266-1321](tel:651-266-1321)

## **WIC**

Provides nutrition counseling, breastfeeding support, nutritious foods, and referrals to community programs for pregnant and breastfeeding women, women who have recently given birth, infants and children up to their 5<sup>th</sup> birthday. [651-266-1300](tel:651-266-1300)