



Public Health Madison & Dane County Introduction

Janel Heinrich, Director

Vision and Mission



Vision

Healthy People. Healthy Places.

Mission

 Working with the community to enhance, protect, and promote the health of the environment and the well-being of all people.

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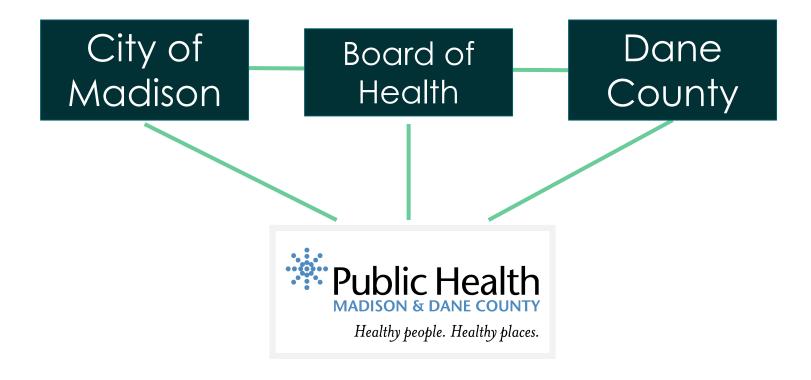
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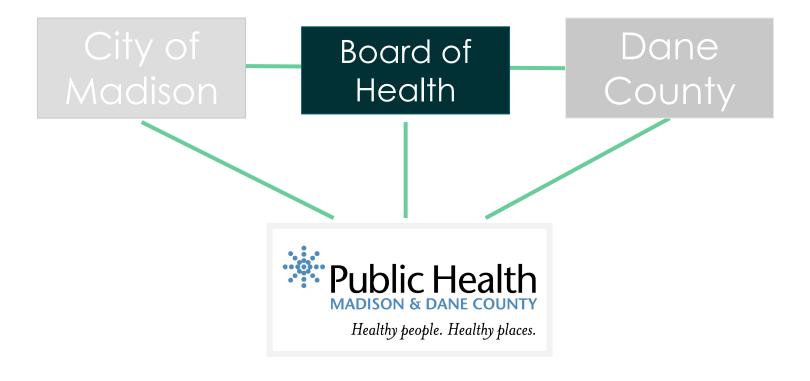
Structure, Services, and Staff



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Board of Health

- Representation from City Council and County Supervisors, as well as other local public health experts
- Board advises the Director and the department, approves budget changes, helps guide decision making, and supports policy development

Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA)

- Employee benefits and work rules— County
- Process for hiring employees— County
- Information Technology— City
- Financial management— City
- Legal services— shared between City and County

- Operations
- Environmental Health
- Community Health
- Policy, Planning & Evaluation

Operations

- Administrative support
- Budget and finance
- Communications
- Workforce development
- Performance management

Environmental Health

- Animal Services
- Well and septic services
- Licensing and inspection of regulated facilities
- Chemical and bacteriological testing of water

Community Health

- Monitor and reduce rates of sexually transmitted infections
- Investigate and prevent transmission of diseases
- Prevent deadly infectious diseases through immunizations
- Improve pregnancy and infant health through WIC and prenatal home visiting programs
- Create conditions for equitable breastfeeding support and infant loss prevention

Policy, Planning & Evaluation

- Analyze data to track health trends
- Provide evaluation support to programming
- Recommend systems and policy priorities to support longterm population health
- Build capacity of organizations to incorporate support health communities into decision-making

Key Staff

- Janel Heinrich, MPH, MA
 - Director Public Health Madison & Dane County
- Kate Austin Stanford, MPH, MPA
 - Director Operations Division
- Bonnie Koenig, MPH/EH, RS
 - Director Environmental Health Division
- Carl Meyer, MPH
 - Director Community Health Division
- Aurielle Smith, MPH
 - Director Policy, Planning & Evaluation Division

Common Citywide Collaborations

Staff in our agency most often collaborate with these agencies across TeamCity:

Agency	Topic(s)
Madison Police Department	Isthmus Safety Initiative/Violence Prevention
Madison Public Libraries	COVID vaccine/tests, health insurance, early childhood literacy
Madison CDD/Parks/Libraries	Parks Alive!/Violence Prevention

Agency Resources



Public Health's Key Links

- Agency Website(s): publichealthmdc.com
- Key Report(s):
 - Drug Overdose Deaths in Dane County (2022)
 - Firearm Deaths in Dane County (2022)
 - Violent Crime Trends in Madison (2022)
 - Low Birth Weight & Infant Mortality (2021)

Public Health's Key Links

Wisconsin State Statutes:

- Public Health statutes are consolidated into 6 chapters:
 - Chapter 250 Administration and Supervision
 - Ch. 251 Local Health Officials
 - Defines duties, powers and financing for local health department, board of health, and health officer
 - Ch. 252 Communicable Disease
 - Ch. 253 Maternal & Child Health
 - Ch. 254 Environmental Health
 - Ch. 255 Chronic Disease

Public Health's Key Links

Madison General Ordinances

Dane County Ordinances

Council Resolutions

Dane County Resolutions

Public Health's Acronyms

Common acronyms used by our agency include:

ACD	Acute and Communicable Disease
LE	Licensed Establishments
MCH	Maternal Child Health
PHMDC	Public Health Madison & Dane County
PPE	Policy, Planning & Evaluation
SRH	Sexual & Reproductive Health
SSP	Syringe Services Program
VP	Violence Prevention
WIC	Women, Infants, and Children Program







Let's Connect!

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