Supporting Public Health

Public health promotes and protects the health of people and the communities where they live, learn, work, and worship.

INSURANCE POLICY

Access to health care

Public health believes that everyone deserves to be treated fairly and compassionately. When public health is in action, everyone has access to health care, including those with pre-existing conditions.

<u>Community</u>

Public health emphasizes caring for your neighbors by advocating for the health and safety of everyone in the community. This includes ensuring access to affordable healthy food, safe housing, quality education, and safe spaces to work, play, and worship.





<u>Common good</u>

Public health professionals work for the good of all people, no matter identity or beliefs. Similar to the work faith-based organizations do in their communities, public health organizations make sure all people and communities are safe and healthy.

<u>How you can support public health in Oklahoma</u>

- Fund organizations that ensure safe and healthy communities.
- Build a well-trained and supported public health workforce.
- Value the lived experience of people of all identities and beliefs.
- Consider community health and needs alongside individual health and needs.

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