

# PHAB Annual Report

## Foundational Capability Reflection Review

### Annual Report Feedback

**Health Department: Galion City Health Department**

**Month Review Completed: October 2025**

### PHAB Comments

The Galion City Health Department describes many thoughtful activities to promote the work aligned with Version 2022 Domain 1.

Impressive work has been completed by the department, such as:

- Getting community engagement with the CHA survey
- Sharing data findings with the community
- Enabling staff to strategize programs and solutions that the data has identified

Additionally, next steps have been identified. These include continuing to have staff input in the finalized CHA and preparing it for documentation submission to PHAB. Keep up the great work!

### Circumstance(s) or Adverse Finding(s)

The department notes a change in the AC position. The new AC has fewer years of experience in public health than the person who previously filled the role.

The department is encouraged to utilize the trainings in the learning center as well as the askPHAB email when questions arise throughout the reaccreditation process.

### Priority & Other Measures

2.3.1-The communication plan and policy is being reviewed and updated. *The department will need to continue to report on this measure in next annual report.*

2.4.2-Current policy on urgent and non urgent communication is being reviewed and updated. *The department will need to continue to report on this measure in next annual report.*

3.2.3- The department noted that updates to the communication plan is ongoing. The department noted that they have many examples of sharing communication with the public through news releases and social media. *The department will need to continue to report on this measure in next annual report.*

7.1.3- The department explains the county transportation plan, which will help alleviate transportation barriers to care. The plan is implemented by a coalition of community partners to advance sustainable transportation options and increase access to healthcare services in the community. The department is no longer required to report on this measure in future annual reports.

7.2.3- The department provided one example of the use of translation services for medical services. The department is no longer required to report on this measure in future annual reports.

10.2.3- This measure is not assessed in v2022.

### General Reminders

As the health department prepares for reaccreditation, encourage staff to review the Reaccreditation Journey in the Learning Center. If you'd like more staff to have access to the Learning Center, please reach out to [EducationServices@phaboard.org](mailto:EducationServices@phaboard.org).

Other reaccreditation resources that may be helpful:

- [Version 2022 Reaccreditation Measure FAQ \(new!\)](#)
- [PHAB Glossary of Terms](#)
- [Summary of Updates](#)

The health department may consider participating in PHAB's Learning Events, such as the Reaccreditation Documentation Intensive training. For more information: [Learning Events - Public Health Accreditation Board \(phaboard.org\)](#)