



**Galion City Board of Health**  
**Nursing Division Monthly Report for April 2026**

***Galion City Disease Counts April 2026***

ODH - Ohio Disease Reporting System

<b>Disease</b>	<b>COUNT</b>	<b>Jurisdiction</b>
CHLAMYDIA	6	Galion City
GONORRHEA	1	Galion City
HEP C CHRONIC	1	Galion City
STREP INV A	1	Galion City
HEP B CHRONIC	1	Galion City

**Outbreaks**

- No outbreaks were reported in April.

**Updates to COVID, Influenza and RSV reporting**

- As of October 1, 2025, only hospitalized COVID, influenza and RSV cases are required to be reported to ODRS and local health departments.

**Immunizations**

- Four clinics were held in the month of April, as well as walk-ins and same day scheduled appointments.
- A total of 6 children was seen in the immunization clinic, receiving a total of 10 vaccines.
- A total of 6 adults were seen in the immunization clinic, receiving a total of 12 vaccines.
- No flu or COVID vaccines were administered in April.
- GCHD has begun to administer the COVID vaccine to patients 12 years and older per ODH.

**TB test administration**

- 4-TB skin tests were administered.

**Head Checks**

- 0-head checks were completed for lice.

**Lead**

- No lead screenings or investigations were completed.

### **Foster Screenings**

- No foster screenings were completed.

### **Car Seat Program**

- 9-car seat classes were completed with 8 convertibles, 1 combination and 0 boosters being distributed and properly installed.
- 1-car seat check was completed.

### **St. Joseph School:**

- Initial vision and hearing screenings were completed with rescreens being scheduled for December.
- Immunization records were completed and reported to ODH.
- I will be available during the year for questions, concerns, and services that the school may have.

### **CMH Program**

- We currently have 19 active CMH cases.
- There was one visit completed this month. I continue to reach out to families monthly per CMH protocol.

### **Diaper Donation program**

- GCHD was recently approved by the Heart of Ohio Diaper Bank to receive a “blessing” of Huggies diapers in sizes Newborn, 1, and 2 for qualifying Crawford County families.
- Diapers were distributed during the months of March and April and we have currently donated 11 sleeves of diapers which comes to 682 diapers to families in need.

Respectfully Submitted,

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