



Galion City Board of Health
Nursing Division Monthly Report for May 2026

Galion City Disease Counts April 2026

ODH - Ohio Disease Reporting System

Disease	COUNT	Jurisdiction
CHLAMYDIA	2	Galion City
GONORRHEA	0	Galion City
HEP C CHRONIC	1	Galion City
STREP INV A	0	Galion City
HEP B CHRONIC	0	Galion City

Outbreaks

- No outbreaks were reported in May.

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

- The immunization clinic saw patients throughout the month with no full clinic days scheduled.
- A total of 1 child was seen in the immunization clinic, receiving one vaccine.
- A total of 5 adults were seen in the immunization clinic, receiving a total of 6 vaccines.
- One flu vaccine was administered in May.
- 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

- 3-head checks were completed for lice.

Lead

- One lead screening was completed.

Foster Screenings

- No foster screenings were completed.

Car Seat Program

- 5-car seat classes were completed with 2 convertibles, 2 combinations and 2 boosters being distributed and properly installed.
- 0-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.
- We distributed 9 sleeves of diapers in the month of May.

Respectfully Submitted,

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