

Whitley County - Fiscal Year 2024

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<u>Mission of the Cabinet for Health and Family Services</u>: To be a diverse and inclusive organization providing programs, services, and supports that protect and promote the health and well-being of all Kentuckians and their communities.

Number of Cabinet employees working in Whitley County on June 30, 2024: 67



Social Services

Department for Aging and Independent Living		
Aging and Disability Resource Center	314 individual(s)	
Guardianship - Legal authority of individuals	26 individual(s)	
Hart-Supported Living - Supporting those with disability		
Homecare - In-home services	51 individual(s)	
KY Caregiver - Grandparents raising grandchildren	18 individual(s)	
National Family Caregiver Support Program	13 individual(s)	
Personal Care Attendant Program	1 individual(s)	
Supportive Services - Individuals ages 60 and older	106 individual(s)	
Title III-C - Meals provided to individuals ages 60 and older	347 individual(s) 42,438 meals	
Traumatic Brain Injury Program	5 individual(s)	



Serve Kentucky manages AmeriCorps programs across the entire Commonwealth of Kentucky. 696 AmeriCorps members served 670,641 hours and earned \$2,562,242 in education awards. AmeriCorps members recruited 4,213 volunteers who provided 155,955 hours of volunteer service (valued at \$4,959,369). AmeriCorps members served 74,078 students and provided food support services to 3,344 students. Serve Kentucky also provided housing services to 465 individuals and collected 153,345 pounds of food for individuals facing food insecurity.

AmeriCorps has 9 members in Whitley County.

Kentucky Transitional Assistance Program (KTAP)

Your county received \$1,203,608 in KTAP issuance. This has been allocated to 298 households in the past fiscal year.



On average, SNAP supported 8,734 people a month in Whitley County, stretching over 3,902 households.

Total SNAP spending in your county in fiscal year 2024: \$18,151,273

The number of locations in Whitley County where SNAP was accepted: 51



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Health Services

Total Beneficiaries

There were 443 providers who served **Medicaid Enrollment** Medicaid beneficiaries in Whitley County. (members can be enrolled at any time & for any length during the fiscal year) 14,482 Traditional Paid for Local Beneficiaries to All \$246,849,812 8,796 Expansion Kentucky Medicaid Providers 268 Foster Care 165 Presumptive Eligibility \$224,226,750 Paid to Local Medicaid Providers

23,711

Medicaid - Top 5	Top 5 are based on the number of unique Medicaid members associated with the diagnoses/medications/procedures during the fiscal year.		
Adults and Seniors (Fee For Service population was not included due to programmatic difference of the control o			
	Ibuprofen		
TOP 5 MEDICATIONS	Amoxicillin		
	Ondansetron ODT		
	Gabapentin		
	Azithromycin		
	Essential (Primary) Hypertension (I10)		
	Myopia, Bilateral (H5213)		
TOP 5 DIAGNOSIS	Opioid Dependence, Uncomplicated (F1120)		
	Other Long Term (Current) Drug Therapy (Z79899)		
	Generalized Anxiety Disorder (F411)		
	Office Outpatient Est Low 20 Min (99213)		
	Office Outpatient Est Mod 30 Min (99214)		
TOP 5 PROCEDURES	Comprehensive Metabolic Panel (80053)		
	Routine Venipuncture (36415)		
	Complete Cbc W/Auto Diff Wbc (85025)		
Children	In Whitley County there are 8,523 children enrolled in Medicaid.		
TOP 5 MEDICATIONS	Amoxicillin		
	Brompheniramine-Pseudoephed-Dm		
	Ondansetron ODT		
	Ibuprofen		
	Cetirizine HCL		
TOP 5 DIAGNOSES	Encounter For Routine Child Health Examination Without Abnormal Findings (Z00129)		
	Acute Upper Respiratory Infection, Unspecified (J069)		
	Acute Pharyngitis, Unspecified (J029)		
	Streptococcal Pharyngitis (J020)		
	Hypermetropia, Bilateral (H5203)		
TOP 5 PROCEDURES	Office Outpatient Est Low 20 Min (99213)		
	Strep A Assay W/Optic (87880)		
	Dental Prophylaxis Child (D1120)		
	Topical Fluoride Varnish (D1206)		
	Comprehensve Oral Evaluation (D0150)		

Medicaid numbers included in this report are considered preliminary and subject to change as updated data becomes available.



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Health Services

Funding to Whitley County Health Department: \$2,212,307

During fiscal year 2024, in Whitley county there were 34 people enrolled in Quit Now Kentucky (no-cost tobacco quitline), QUIT Now Kentucky provided 3,947 coaching sessions across the Commonwealth.



Your county has 1,278 participants who received benefits totaling \$1,483,153.

There are 9 WIC-approved grocers in Whitley County.

Between the start of the HIV Epidemic (1982) and June 2024, there were 47 diagnosed cases of HIV in your county. (NOTE: 2023 and 2024 data is considered preliminary)

Facilities in Whitley County Adult Day Health 2 1 **Ambulatory Surgical Center** 0 Family Care Home Freestanding or Mobile Technology 0 Home Health Agency 1 0 Hospice Hospital 0 Intermediate Care Facility - LIC 0 **Nursing Facility** 0 5 Nursing Home 1 Personal Care Home Private Duty Nursing 0 Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facility 0

Free Cancer Screenings

Provided by the Kentucky Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening Program

Breast Screenings

Cervical Screenings

Kentucky Prescription Assistance Program (KPAP)

KPAP helped 50 patients in Whitley with 157 prescriptions to save a total of \$1,163,827 in prescription costs.

Office for Children with Special Health Care Needs Clinics

Children Served	116
Provider Visits	184
Telehealth Visits	14

There were 493 newborn hearing screenings.

91 participants



164 participants



Division of Family Resource and Youth Services Centers (FRYSC)

Whitley County received \$665,138 in funding for 3 school district(s). The total student enrollment for schools served by FRYSC was 7,880, and 65% of these students were eligible for free or reduced school lunch. Donations and volunteer time totaled \$668,212. Additional grants totaled \$9,961.

Whitley County received \$1,051,660 from the Child Care Assistance Program issuance, supporting up to 292 providers a year.

The Division of Child Support Enforcement served 2,471 children, collecting \$2,209,400 in current and past due child support, during fiscal year 2024. The agency established 2,300 orders.

There were 91 children cared for by foster families, 79 of whom received a combined per-diem totaling \$7,094.

38% of children in foster care had a goal of adoption. 61% had a goal other than adoption (e.g. reunification).

12 child(ren) adopted



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Behavioral Health Services

Kentucky All Schedule Prescription Electronic Reporting (KASPER)

According to KASPER data, 12,003 unique patients residing in your county received a pharmaceutical controlled substance. Opioid analgesics accounted for 52,397 of the 113,811 total controlled prescriptions dispensed.

Residents of your county received these prescriptions from 2,187 prescribers and 329 dispenser DEA numbers.

Syringe Services Programs Whitley County Health Department		
HIV Tests	327	
Naloxone Dispensed	1,606	
Referred for Treatment	24	
Total Number of Visits	2,132	
Unique Patients	341	

Whitley County is served by the Cumberland River Community Mental Health Center. Cumberland River received \$6,306,135 in fiscal year 2024.

Cumberland River served 10,682 individuals in their region in fiscal year 2024.



Whitley is located in the Cumberland River region. This region received \$1,978,335 in Kentucky Overdose Response Effort (KORE) funding for fiscal year 2024.

Public Protection Services

The Office of the Ombudsman responded to 890 constituent contacts in fiscal year 2024 in your county.

The Office of Inspector General completed 454 background checks for children & elderly services in Whitley county fiscal year 2024.

The purpose of this report is to provide insight into the utilization and reach of programs offered by the Cabinet for Health and Family Services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky and each individual county. All data reported are fiscal year 2023 unless otherwise noted. Blank boxes indicate that no data was available for a program. Any questions regarding the information shown here should be submitted to Josh Hardesty, Executive Director, CHFS Office of Legislative and Regulatory Affairs.

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