Fresno County Department of Public Health

Core Purpose

To promote, preserve and protect the well-being of the community and to ensure the optimal health of the public.

Vision

The Fresno County Department of Public Health is the recognized leader in addressing the public health needs through: employee integrity, dedication, knowledge and expertise; exemplary service to our diverse community; and effective community partnerships.

Mission

The mission of Fresno County Department of Public Health is the promotion, preservation and protection of the community’s health.

We accomplish this through identifying community health needs, assuring the availability of quality health services and providing effective leadership in developing public health policies.

We are committed to working in partnership with our communities to eliminate health disparities.

Values

We hold the following values in the Department of Public Health:

- **Accountability**: Acceptance of ownership and responsibility of actions.
- **Adaptability**: Responsiveness to ever-changing needs.
- **Creativity**: Thinking in innovative ways.
- **Integrity**: Demonstration of consistent, credible character and honesty.
- **Mutual Respect**: Acknowledgment of individual differences and demonstration of patience and acceptance.
- **Professionalism**: Knowledge, competence, discipline and commitment.
- **Teamwork**: Coordination of effort for collective efficiency and effectiveness.

Dedicated to Public Health