

# DPS Monthly Highlights

## Sedgwick County Division of Public Services

### July 2019 Departmental Highlights Report

#### Department on Aging

Options Counseling	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2016	349	339	375	354	506	384	317	395	297	343	319	381	4,359	363
2017	439	403	465	375	421	403	309	368	303	281	281	241	4,289	357
2018	347	347	367	541	396	344	361	361	252	432	333	342	4,423	369
2019	404	352	368	396	364	247	262						2,393	342
Information & Referral Assistance (I&RA)	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2016	3,298	3,182	3,177	3,595	3,595	3,761	3,483	4,935	4,210	3,063	1,977	2,964	41,240	3,437
2017	3,702	3,160	3,678	3,141	3,555	4,118	3,618	4,037	3,481	4,114	4,114	2,737	43,455	3,621
2018	3,314	2,161	3,117	2,021	3,134	3,258	3,035	3,299	2,794	3,793	3,054	2,433	35,413	2,951
2019	2,984	2,668	2,767	2,718	2,716	2,691	3,015						19,559	2,794
Medicaid Waiver Assessment	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2016	433	464	461	481	443	488	519	577	520	503	422	504	5,815	485
2017	531	483	628	548	548	565	443	569	552	494	543	613	6,517	543
2018	633	601	608	619	589	511	581	563	453	622	457	493	6,730	561
2019	581	495	561	566	542	474	540						3,759	537
Home Delivered Meals, Mill Levy	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2016	3,348	3,208	3,411	3,082	3,273	3,230	3,569	4,128	3,613	3,802	3,765	4,203	42,632	3,553
2017	3,540	3,294	3,865	3,491	4,026	4,125	3,320	4,147	3,467	3,954	4,115	3,850	45,194	3,766
2018	3,948	3,468	3,887	3,800	4,113	3,664	3,819	4,147	3,312	3,962	3,371	3,516	45,007	3,751
2019	3,590	3,444	3,596	3,563	3,567	3,380	3,974						25,114	3,588
Sedgwick County Transportation (SCT)	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2016	1,277	1,533	1,486	1,385	1,463	1,531	1,450	1,006	1,600	1,551	1,487	1,323	17,092	1,424
2017	1,434	1,459	1,625	1,547	1,584	1,652	1,540	1,717	2,169	1,617	1,395	1,280	19,019	1,585
2018	1,330	1,217	1,250	1,497	1,486	1,392	1,466	1,382	1,541	1,434	1,338	1,097	16,430	1,369
2019	1,274	1,161	1,266	1,277	1,320	1,446	1,536						9,280	1,326

- In July, the Director presented to the Butler and Harvey County Board of County Commissioners (BoCC) the 2020 Fiscal Year Area Plan on Aging for approval and authorization for the Sedgwick County Chairman to sign for the Central Plains Area Agency on Aging (CPAAA).
- The Director and Director of Information and Community Services attended the National Association of Area Agencies on Aging (n4a) 44<sup>th</sup> annual conference in New Orleans, Louisiana. Central Plains Area Agency on Aging (CPAAA) received an n4a *Aging Innovations Award*, the highest honor presented to member agencies, for the Mobile Farmers' Market project; and an *Aging Achievements Award* for innovative partnerships developed to increase Congregate Meal usage. The programs were recognized for development and implementation of cutting-edge approaches able to meet the needs of a rapidly changing landscape supporting older adults and people with disabilities.
- Central Plains Area Agency on Aging (CPAAA) was recognized for our established home repair and modification program serving individuals in rural communities enabling older adults and individuals with a disability to remain at home. The Minor Home Repair



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Program Coordinator was invited to the 44<sup>th</sup> annual n4a conference as a panelist and presenter to discuss innovations in home modification service delivery, challenges and opportunities for the aging network. Since the conference, the Program Coordinator was contacted by the Administration for Community Living in Washington D.C. to discuss grant funding opportunities that would expand home modification services to rural populations.

- The Director of Mobility and Mill Levy Services, acting in the capacity as a member of the Wichita/Sedgwick County Access Advisory Board, attended the July 24<sup>th</sup> City of Wichita Council meeting to witness the Mayor’s Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Proclamation.
- The National Association of Area Agencies on Aging (n4a) honors forty-eight (48) innovative programs that have successfully helped older adults in communities continue to live in their homes and communities for as long as possible. The n4a presented 32 *Aging Achievement Awards* and 16 *Aging Innovations Awards* to programs at the annual conference and trade show. The highest-scoring *Innovations* award recipients receive a cash award. First place *Innovations* award winner was Central Plains Area Agency on Aging (CPAAA) for the Mobile Farmers’ Market project, increasing access of fresh produce, herbs and honey to older adults, individuals with a disability and seniors.

**COMCARE**

Crisis Observation Unit	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2015	1	30	89	101	112	123	121	122	88	91	84	95	1057	88
2016	100	91	99	85	93	102	104	80	94	87	86	75	1096	91
2017	83	65	90	82	82	86	96	98	80	83	68	63	976	81
2018	78	70	70	81	77	63	76	89	84	90	77	75	930	78
2019	86	60	81	90	74	70	77						538	77
Children's Crisis Unit	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2015	5	13	5	9	12	8	7	6	3	6	9	8	91	8
2016	8	9	12	8	5	10	2	3	1	0	0	0	58	5
2017	0	0	7	6	5	3	1	4	6	5	6	4	47	4
2018	7	3	6	8	2	2	0	4	3	1	2	1	39	3
2019	3	2	1	4	3	5	0						18	3
Sobering Unit	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2015	N/A	10	56	25	30	43	22	45	22	22	35	28	338	31
2016	27	26	37	28	30	39	20	32	32	36	40	32	379	32
2017	51	40	64	36	30	45	42	42	29	38	25	26	468	39
2018	33	28	32	25	27	37	32	26	34	22	25	20	341	28
2019	28	19	26	27	65	76	78						319	46
Detox Unit	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2015	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20	49	43	54	64	58	54	69	411	51
2016	61	65	57	68	61	57	49	45	65	79	86	69	762	64
2017	84	79	92	85	89	99	121	113	96	98	94	94	1171	98
2018	99	95	89	100	102	84	114	110	98	92	92	92	1167	97
2019	76	71	81	105	111	91	83						618	88
Crisis Stabilization Unit	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2018	30	19	22	17	23	13	22	22	21	20	19	14	242	20
2019	17	16	14	14	16	17	19						113	
Morris Place Clients	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL	AVG
2018	1	4	3	3	3	3	2	5	1	2	1	2	30	
2019	2	2	3	5	5	5	11						33	



**SCDDO**

Total Individuals Eligible	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2019	2534	2530	2540	2549	2543	2547	2554						2545
2018	2525	2514	2517	2520	2523	2529	2543	2543	2544	2532	2533	2535	2530
2017	2566	2565	2559	2542	2543	2544	2547	2553	2556	2556	2516	2520	2547
Individuals Waiting for Services	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2019	935	932	946	955	946	952	954						946
2018	949	916	919	924	918	866	904	928	930	932	937	936	922
2017	984	980	970	932	934	902	906	978	981	958	937	942	950
Options Counseling Transactions	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2019	36	83	66	74	60	52	68						63
2018	106	70	65	70	60	99	94	53	56	73	39	39	69
2017	48	36	72	53	70	80	48	77	62	107	95	101	71
Intakes Completed	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2019	11	7	11	9	15	4	4						9
2018	16	9	10	9	7	8	11	17	8	10	10	6	10
2017	6	6	11	7	12	7	13	13	11	13	11	13	10
Functional Assessments Completed	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	AVG
2019	164	138	155	148	136	162	169						153
2018	163	135	154	148	168	149	150	163	163	166	165	162	157
2017	220	150	193	223	174	186	207	207	216	226	179	198	198

- During the month of July, Sedgwick County Developmental Disability Organization (SCDDO) Quality Assurance Staff completed 10 day and 8 residential program visits.
- Dee Nighswonger, SCDDO Director, met with Aging and Disability Services & Programs Commissioner Amy Penrod and her staff in Topeka to discuss some of the innovative and collaborative ways SCDDO is working to assist provider agencies with their workforce issues. In particular, Dee discussed the DSPaths program SCDDO is working with Ohio Association of Direct Support Professions to replicate in Sedgwick County. DSPaths exposes high school students to the field of direct support through an integrated classroom and internship program with the goal for students to obtain employment in the direct support field upon graduation. In part, the meeting focused on understanding the necessary steps to get the DSPaths certification to be an officially recognized credential through the Kansas Department of Education.
- The Sedgwick County Business Leadership Network Is now Disability: IN Greater Wichita. The name change is part of a new organizational rebranding effort at the national level. Disability: IN Greater Wichita is an affiliate of the national Disability: IN organization, the leading nonprofit resource for business disability inclusion worldwide. While the name has changed, Disability: IN Greater Wichita remains committed to collaborate with purpose to promote the full inclusion of people with disabilities, to inspire accessible innovation for all and to foster cultures of inclusion.
- In July Disability: IN Greater Wichita hosted a lunch and learn session on “Mindfulness in the Workplace.” Sherilyn Dalke, LCPC, led the workshop which focused on how



mindfulness is a way of reprogramming the mind to think in a healthier, less stressful way. Employees using mindfulness skills are more likely to have positive relationships with colleagues and respond to stress more adaptively. Participants were giving mindfulness-based tools to use at home or work to combat feelings of stress.

- With the goal of spurring engagement and educating affiliates on all the innovative projects the SCDDO is involved in, Dee Nighswonger initiated meetings with affiliates in July. To date, Dee has met with 10 of the 50 affiliated agencies in the SCDDO provider network.

### **Health Department\***

- Community Health Advocates (CHAs):
  - In July, four volunteers, two Sedgwick County staff, and a PHP intern shared health care materials and information in five venues – the City of Wichita Way-To-Work Youth Program, the KS School Nurse Conference, the Law Enforcement Training Center, the Sedgwick County 2019 Fair in Cheney and the annual Convoy of Hope (COH) community event. The COH event took place simultaneously in two locations – McAdams Park and Bethel Life Church. CHAs helped distribute health care information, food, shoes, and school supplies to hundreds of residents at the McAdams’ location.
  - There have been 2,070 encounters since January 2019.
- Epidemiology:
  - On July 2, Epidemiology staff trained 25 new law enforcement recruits on infectious diseases.
  - On July 16, Epidemiology staff presented “Communicable Diseases and the Local Health Department’s Role” at the 2019 Kansas School Nurses Conference to 50 school nurses. The presentation included information about what school nurses should report during disease investigations and who needs to be excluded per Kansas regulations.
- Immunizations: Convoy of Hope is an event that offers the community a collaborative effort of services such as vaccinations, health screenings, haircuts, free groceries, and other resources. On Saturday July 20<sup>th</sup>, Convoy of Hope Wichita Community Event provided services at both McAdams Park and Bethel Live Center. Sedgwick County Immunization Staff and Fiscal Associates administered immunizations at both locations. A total of 144 vaccinations were administered to 84 patients, in addition to 17 patients receiving medical counseling. Immunization staff also held School Located Vaccination Clinics (SLVC) at Coleman Middle School, Jardine STEM and Career Explorations, and Truesdell Middle School during the month of July.

\*Please see attached Sedgwick County Health Department Reports.





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## Selected Activities Workload Report

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Activity	Program	July 2019	July 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018	Annual Totals			Reason for Variance 2018-2019
						2018	2017	2016	
Clinical Encounters <sup>1</sup>	Children's Dental Clinic – on-site services	47	24	630	560	933	958	1,045	Increased efforts to work with internal programs, Healthy Babies (HB) and WIC, as well as external partners, USD 299 and area FQHCs, to identify eligible patients.
	Children's Dental Clinic – off-site screenings <sup>2</sup>	21	16	5,782	4,732	18,920	17,744	15,777	JRF/JDF screenings in the summer fluctuate.
	Early Detection Works <sup>3</sup>	23	18	145	146	232	430	430	Enrollment numbers can fluctuate for no known reason.
	Family Planning	494	420	3,247	3,372	5,250	5,445	5,438	Monthly increase was due to additional Male FP services offered to Male STI clients.
	Healthy Babies	763	587	4,884	3,772	6,030	6,053	7,268	SCHD program procedure change instituted in January increased the number of home visits to better serve clients, especially those at high risk.
	Immunizations & Health Screenings	1,163	1,073	5,839	6,287	13,303	11,075	12,614	
	Maternal Child Health Care Coordination (MCHCC)	95	71	477	487	1,424	932	835	MCHCC is affected by FP and/or STI.
	Sexually Transmitted Infections Clinic	240	195	1,578	1,484	2,510	2,600	3,020	Monthly increase was due to increase in positive cases of STIs and subsequent follow-up treatment.
	Tuberculosis Control	210	157	1,178	1,258	1,986	3,033	3,050	Increase in active TB cases in 2019 increased clinic visits for treatment
Women, Infants, & Children (WIC)	3,983	4,040	29,469	26,841	92,301	101,927	105,349	July caseload 2019. Enrollment numbers can fluctuate month to month.	
Unduplicated Clients <sup>4</sup>	Children's Dental Clinic	43	24	292	271	320	335	334	Monthly increase reflects increased efforts to work with WIC and HB programs on patient referrals to Children's Dental Clinic.
	Early Detection Works <sup>3</sup>	23	18	142	136	209	397	410	
	Family Planning	468	413	2,130	2,335	2,879	2,971	2,905	
	Healthy Babies Program – Primary Parent	435	398	657	560	1,255	1,000	1,000	Increase in clients in 2019 due to ongoing recruitment events.
	Immunizations & Health Screenings	1,110	942	4,666	4,779	9,956	8,337	8,940	
	Maternal Child Health Care Coordination (MCHCC)	95	71	477	487	1,392	881	800	
	Sexually Transmitted Infections Clinic	220	181	1,242	1,200	1,858	1,993	2,262	
	Tuberculosis Control	58	73	188	198	355	357	363	The number of people with positive tests (active and latent TB cases) fluctuates from month to month.

<sup>1</sup> Clinical Encounters are documented face-to-face or over-the-phone contact between a SCHD client and a SCHD healthcare provider/practitioner for the purpose of providing healthcare service or assessing client health status.

<sup>2</sup> Off-site dental screenings are performed at Sedgwick County schools, health fairs and the Sedgwick County Juvenile Detention facility.

<sup>3</sup> Early Detection Works is a program that provides breast & cervical cancer screening for women who qualify.

<sup>4</sup> Unduplicated clients are the number of clients served. Each client is counted once during the reporting timeframe.

Activity	Program	July 2019	July 2018	YTD 2019	YTD 2018	Annual Totals			Reason for Variance
						2018	2017	2016	
Laboratory Tests <sup>5</sup>	Tests sent out and performed in-house on SCHED clients	1,547	1,306	10,513	10,919	17,617	18,784	21,676	Increase in testing is directly related to increase in clinic encounters.
	Tests performed as contracted reference laboratory for clinics other than SCHED	290	324	2,172	2,235	3,939	3,267	3,014	
New Investigations <sup>6</sup>	Animal Control – All	173	375	1,560	2,297	3,547	2,168	2,040	Service calls fluctuate from month to month. Staff vacations and trainings decreased dead animal pick-ups.
	Animal Control – Animal bite	2	6	13	30	42	54	34	Reports fluctuate month to month
	Epidemiology	81	120	669	809	1,223	1,346	1,294	Reports of disease fluctuate from month to month. More elevated blood lead cases were reported to SCHED in 2018 compared to 2019.
	Sexually Transmitted Infection (STI) Control	60	56	433	529	893	1,542	1,273	Personnel changes and protocol limitations initiated by KDHE decrease overall numbers. Assignment area is 8 counties in 2019, reduced from 57 counties in 2018 by KDHE due to statewide reorganization.
	Tuberculosis (TB) Control	13	5	85	71	137	163	169	Increase in active cases in 2019 increase the number of investigations.
Client Contacts <sup>7</sup>	Epidemiology	369	466	2,871	2,895	6,050	7,453	5,978	Reports of disease fluctuate from month to month.
	Sexually Transmitted Infection Control <sup>8</sup>	45	45	237	368	556	693	NA <sup>11</sup>	Personnel changes and protocol limitations initiated by KDHE decrease overall numbers. Assignment area is 8 counties in 2019, reduced from 57 counties in 2018 by KDHE due to statewide reorganization.
	Women, Infants, & Children (WIC)	3,859	3,708	29,424	27,728	46,611	53,665	NA	
Outreach Events <sup>9</sup>	Animal Control	0	2	2	5	9	7	7	Outreach events fluctuate month to month
	Children's Dental Clinic	0	2	3	4	18,662	NA	NA	Outreach events fluctuate month to month
	Community Health Advocates	5	3	18	28	30	51	53	Outreach events fluctuate from month to month. Advocates distributed health care information, food, shoes, and school supplies to hundreds of residents at the McAdams Convoy of Hope location.
	Healthy Babies	0	4	8	14	21	8	NA	Outreach events fluctuate from month to month.
Outreach Contacts <sup>10</sup>	Community Health Advocates	989	61	2,070	1,155	1,691	4,668	3,811	Outreach contacts fluctuate from month to month.
	Healthy Babies	0	12	134	154	420	198	NA	Outreach contacts fluctuate from month to month.

<sup>5</sup> Number of laboratory tests performed by SCHED laboratory, sent out to reference laboratories, and performed by SCHED programs.

<sup>6</sup> Number of field service calls (Animal Control) and total investigations of notifiable diseases (Epidemiology, STI Control and TB Control).

<sup>7</sup> Client contacts are the number of phone calls, faxes, emails and in-person consultation to clients or health partners regarding health education or disease investigation and control about clients. Client contacts are provided by SCHED staff that are not healthcare providers/practitioners or are not for the purpose of providing a healthcare service or assessing clinical health status.

<sup>8</sup> In-clinic consultation counts only.

<sup>9</sup> Outreach events are presentations to health partners/community groups and booths at community fairs/other events for the purpose of educating about health-related topics.

<sup>10</sup> Outreach contacts are the number of people who attended outreach events that are presentations, trainings, or other events where attendance is accurately calculated.

<sup>11</sup> "NA" indicates data points that were not being tracked for that year.

**Sedgwick County Health Department**

**Selected Kansas Notifiable Disease Conditions**

**Quarterly Report - Number of Cases by Date of Onset or Surrogate Date <sup>a</sup>**

	2019		2018		2017		2016	
	Apr-June	YTD	Apr-June	YTD	Apr-June	YTD	Apr-June	YTD
<b>Bloodborne Transmission</b>								
Hepatitis B, chronic <sup>b</sup>	1	1	6	9	1	5	4	12
Hepatitis C, chronic <sup>b</sup>	50	112	72	119	49	97	43	151
<b>Foodborne and Waterborne Transmission</b>								
Campylobacteriosis <sup>c</sup>	18	24	38	48	22	32	27	39
Giardiasis <sup>c</sup>	3	7	5	8	4	10	2	7
Salmonellosis <sup>c</sup>	2	9	25	37	15	21	17	23
<b>Respiratory/Droplet Transmission</b>								
Pertussis <sup>c</sup>	6	9	11	25	8	22	3	9
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> , invasive disease <sup>b</sup>	16	38	22	52	21	59	14	34
Tuberculosis, active disease <sup>d</sup>	3	6	1	3	4	5	1	2
Tuberculosis infection <sup>e</sup>	23	41	26	50	34	67	30	61
Varicella (chickenpox) <sup>c</sup>	9	18	18	33	13	26	8	25
<b>Vector-Borne Transmission</b>								
Lyme disease <sup>c</sup>	0	0	0	0	3	3	1	3
Rocky Mountain spotted fever <sup>c</sup>	3	3	6	6	7	9	4	4
West Nile virus, neuroinvasive <sup>c</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
West Nile virus, non-neuroinvasive <sup>c</sup>	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

<sup>a</sup>. **Selected reported notifiable conditions are listed in this table which shows the number of confirmed and probable cases in Sedgwick County.**

**Case numbers are subject to change.** The table shows the number of cases in Sedgwick County, by month of onset or surrogate date, which are completed and which meet the probable and/or confirmed case definitions used by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). CDC case definitions are available at <http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/00047449.htm>. Data reported are likely an underestimate of the actual number of cases in the community due to incomplete disease reporting and strict, standardized public health case definitions. The numbers in this table do not include all investigations.

b. Confirmed cases are reported for this disease.

c. Probable and confirmed cases are reported for this disease.

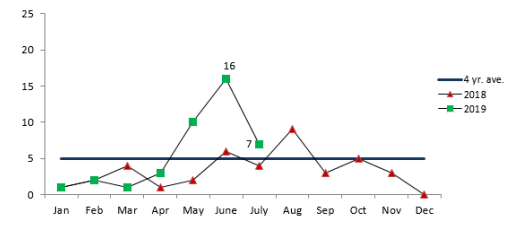
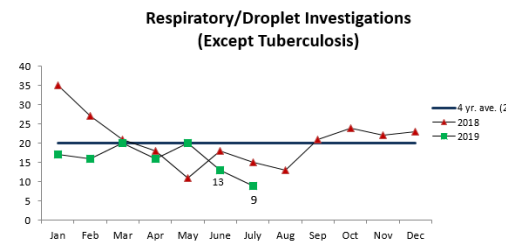
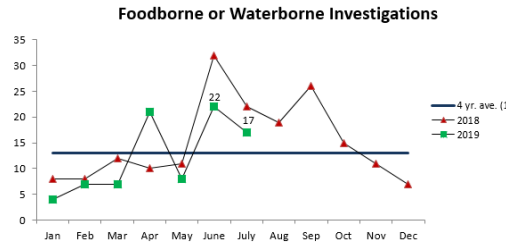
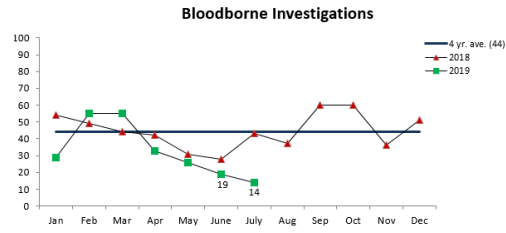
d. Actual case determination for tuberculosis disease is not made until the end of each year, and the number reported on this table may not match the number of clients the health department has treated as tuberculosis cases.

e. This number represents new LTBI cases that were seen in the Sedgwick County TB clinic and evaluated for treatment. Neither CDC nor the Kansas Department of Health and Environment track the number of people with tuberculosis infection (screen test positive and undergoing treatment but no active disease).

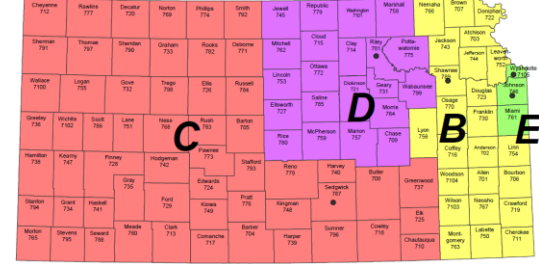
**Sedgwick County Division of Health**  
**Selected Kansas Notifiable Conditions**  
**Number of New Investigations by Date Investigation Started <sup>a</sup>.**

	2019 July	2018 July	2019 YTD	2018 YTD	4 Year Average Per Month
<b>Bloodborne Transmission</b>					
Hepatitis B, chronic	8	12	73	110	15
Hepatitis B, follow newborn of positive mom	1	1	14	16	2
Hepatitis C, chronic	5	31	139	166	28
<b>Foodborne and Waterborne Transmission</b>					
Campylobacteriosis	16	9	44	46	7
Shiga toxin-producing <i>Escherichia coli</i> <sup>b</sup>	0	7	25	18	2
Salmonellosis <sup>b</sup>	1	6	17	39	4
<b>Other Reportable Conditions</b>					
Elevated Blood Lead <sup>c</sup>	6	19	75	89	Not available <sup>c</sup>
<b>Respiratory/Droplet Transmission</b>					
Pertussis	2	8	25	39	7
<i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i> , invasive disease	4	3	48	51	5
Tuberculosis – new active, suspect, and TB disease	6	0	31	12	23 <sup>e</sup>
Varicella (chickenpox)	3	4	38	50	7
<b>Sexual Transmission<sup>d</sup></b>					
Syphilis <sup>f</sup>	NA <sup>h</sup>	31 <sup>g</sup>	NA <sup>h</sup>	363 <sup>g</sup>	86 <sup>e</sup>
HIV/AIDS <sup>f</sup>	NA <sup>h</sup>	25 <sup>g</sup>	NA <sup>h</sup>	166 <sup>g</sup>	26 <sup>e</sup>
<b>Vector-Borne Transmission</b>					
Lyme disease	2	0	13	8	2
Spotted fever rickettsiosis	5	4	25	11	2
West Nile virus, non-neuroinvasive	0	0	2	1	1

**Monthly Trends of the Selected Investigations Shown on the Table**



**Disease Intervention Specialist Assignment Areas**



**Sedgwick County Disease Intervention Specialists Investigate Sexually Transmitted Infections in the 57 Counties Shown in Red (C)**

<sup>a</sup> The most commonly reported notifiable conditions are listed in this table which shows the investigations performed by Sedgwick County staff (an indicator of workload and potential outbreaks). The numbers include suspect, probable and confirmed cases; people with positive screening tests; and contacts of cases.  
<sup>b</sup> Beginning January 2016, reports of salmonellosis or Shiga toxin-producing *E. coli* infection are investigated by KDHE and are shown on the table.  
<sup>c</sup> Beginning April 1, 2016, all elevated blood lead reports of  $\geq 5 \mu\text{g/dL}$  are investigated by SCDOH staff. From January 1, 2014 through March 31, 2016 elevated blood lead reports of  $\geq 10 \mu\text{g/dL}$  were investigated.  
<sup>d</sup> In cooperation with the Kansas Department of Health and Environment, Sedgwick County staff performs investigations of syphilis and HIV/AIDS in 57 Kansas counties. These data are shown in the table. Beginning January 2016, chlamydia and gonorrhea reports are investigated by KDHE ([http://www.kdheks.gov/sti\\_hiv/sti\\_reports.htm](http://www.kdheks.gov/sti_hiv/sti_reports.htm)).  
<sup>e</sup> Two year average per month.  
<sup>f</sup> Both 2016 and 2017 investigations are calculated using a new methodology (by date report created in case management system).  
<sup>g</sup> 2016 reflects Sedgwick County staff shortages and training of new investigators.  
<sup>h</sup> STD program was unable to provide data due to transition to new EpiTrax system.