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WELLNESS

ANNUAL REPORT 2018

## PERSONAL HEALTH

- Served **5,000** patients across four community clinics by providing immunizations, sexual health services, counseling for international travel, and education
- Administered the Ryan White Part A Program which affords services for **3,100** people living with HIV/AIDS in northeast Ohio
- Connected **300** uninsured women with services for breast and cervical cancer
- Distributed **1,100** naloxone kits to first responders, including local police and fire departments, to prevent opioid overdoses

## FAMILIES & CHILDREN

- Utilized grant funding to address lead poisoning hazards in more than **2,000** homes, contributing to a **92%** reduction in local childhood lead poisoning over the past 20 years
- Provided dental sealant services to **600** elementary-age students in **11** school districts
- Assisted **120** childcare sites in addressing obesity, reaching **6,700** children five years old and younger
- Distributed free cribs to **1,025** families in support of preventing sleep-related infant deaths
- Delivered newborn home-visiting services to **1,500** at-risk families, connecting them with essential services and education
- Provided comprehensive teen pregnancy prevention education to **5,400** students in local middle and high schools

## TRACKING & PREVENTING ILLNESS & DISEASE

- Evaluated **2,800** cases of communicable disease
- Investigated **30** illness outbreaks
- Created reports to monitor cancer, childhood lead poisoning, influenza, and a range of maternal and child health issues

To learn more about the programs and services we offer, visit [www.ccbh.net](http://www.ccbh.net).

# IMMUNIZATIONS

## CCBH IMMUNIZATION CLINICS

We serve all ages and income levels

Expanded affordable vaccine programs for uninsured children and adults

Travel clinic services provided by an infectious disease doctor

Immunizations available for Hepatitis A, measles, mumps and [more](#)  
Lead Poisoning and Tuberculosis (TB) testing

Community flu clinics

Collaborations with long-term care facilities

Partner with refugee organizations

Satellite clinics in Lakewood, Warrensville Heights and Westlake



Recent immunization efforts have included:

- Expanding programs for uninsured children and adults to receive affordable vaccines for preventive health, as well as school and occupational requirements
- Expanding the travel clinic hours in 2018 due to the high volume of appointment requests from Cuyahoga County citizens
- Serving as the main referral center for Rabies vaccine series completion following the initial emergency room evaluation and reporting

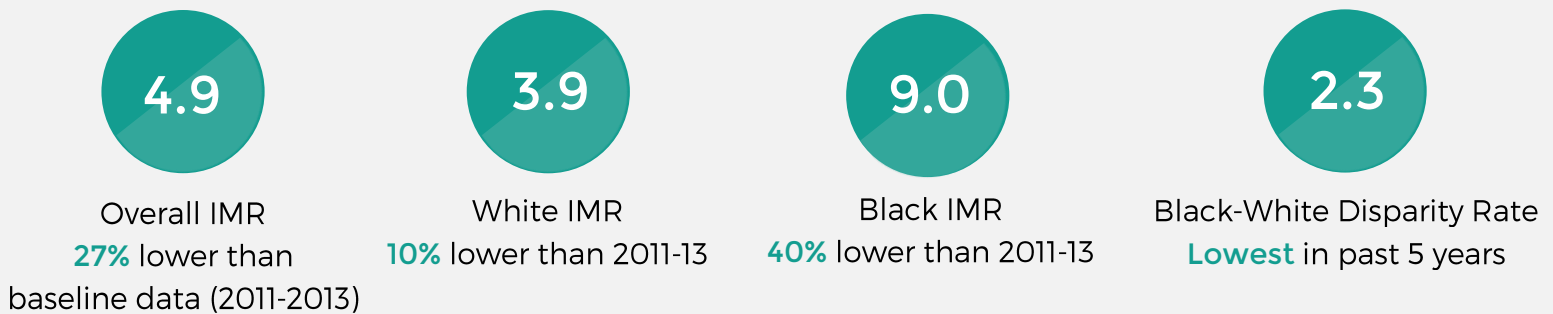


# INFANT MORTALITY

**Infant mortality** is any death to a baby before they reach their first birthday.

An infant mortality rate (IMR) is calculated by dividing the total number of infant deaths by the total number of live births per 1,000 live births.

## 2018 Preliminary IMR in CCBH Jurisdiction (Not Including CLE)



The leading causes of infant death include: prematurity (babies born too early), birth defects and sleep related deaths. We are working with community partners to address these causes.

CCBH is a co-lead of the Cleveland-Cuyahoga Ohio Equity Institute that worked with community members in the 44128 zip code to help reduce infant mortality by almost **70%** in the past two years.

CCBH is also partnering with the First Year Cleveland initiative on several action teams to reduce racial disparities and eliminate sleep related deaths.





# TOBACCO 21



Tobacco use is the leading cause of preventable death in the U.S.



The cost to our economy is approximately **\$300 billion.**



Of all adult smokers began smoking before the **age of 21.**

In 2017, the City of Euclid made a strong move to support youth tobacco prevention by becoming the first city in the CCBH jurisdiction to pass **Tobacco 21** legislation.

Euclid City Councilperson and Ward 3 Resident Taneika Hill was frustrated to see young people in her ward emerge from gas stations and corner stores with Black and Milds and mini-cigars.

**“We owe it to our youth to create a healthy environment and protect them from dangers that they may not see.”**



Our **Creating Healthy Communities (CHC)** program worked closely with the City of Euclid and diverse stakeholders to develop an actionable and sustainable plan. The coalition included Euclid Mayor Kirsten Holzheimer Gail, Euclid City Council members, Euclid Police Department, Euclid business owners, Euclid High School students, and the Preventing Tobacco Addiction Foundation.

Following revisions with Euclid's law department, this collaboration ultimately resulted in the passage of a local ordinance designed to protect the interests of thousands of 18-21 year olds and also the 48,000 residents of Euclid.

The success of the Tobacco 21 program in Euclid has catalyzed similar efforts in other cities including Brooklyn, Cleveland Heights, Lakewood and University Heights.

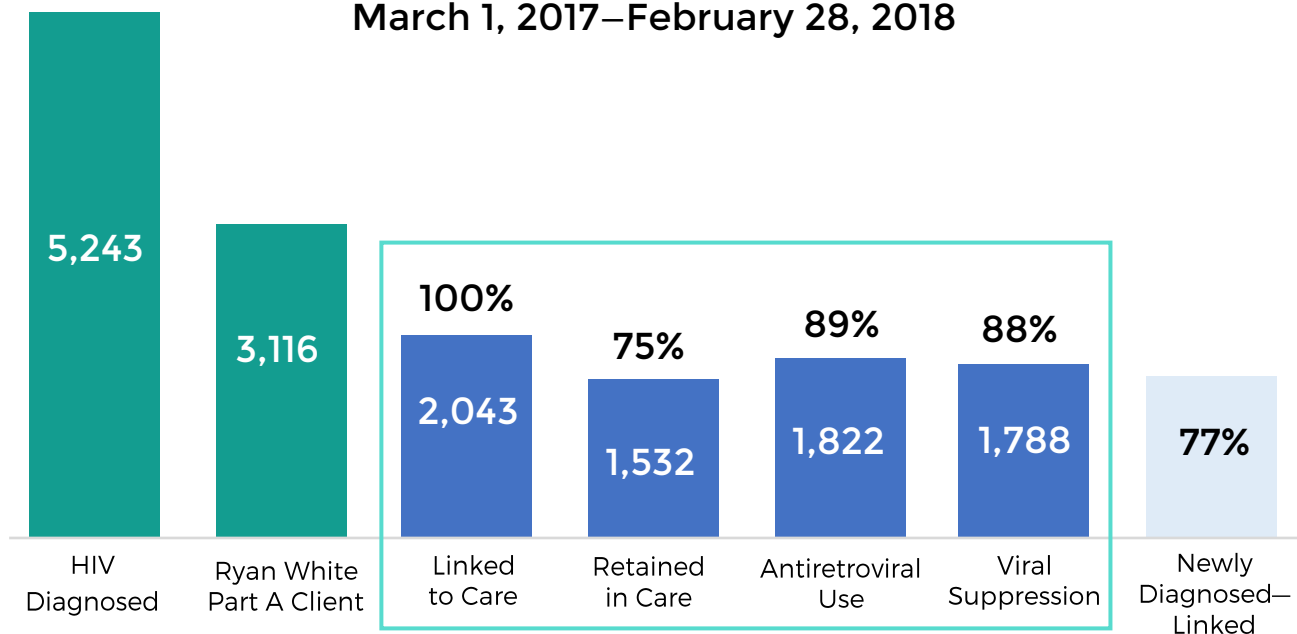
The [Ryan White HIV/AIDS Part A program](#) provides HIV-related services for those who do not have sufficient health care coverage or financial resources for coping with HIV. CCBH serves as the Administrator of the Cleveland Transitional Grant Area (TGA) which serves Cuyahoga, Ashtabula, Geauga, Lake, Lorain, and Medina counties.

The mission of the [Cuyahoga Regional HIV Health Services Ryan White Planning Council](#) is to plan for the comprehensive delivery of HIV/AIDS services and allocation of resources for the TGA. The goal of the Planning Council is to identify HIV positive individuals, see that they are linked into care, stay in care and to improve their health outcomes.

A primary objective of care is to keep a person's viral load suppressed using antiretroviral therapy. People living with HIV can feel confident that if they have an undetectable viral load and take their medications as prescribed, they will not pass on HIV to sexual partners.

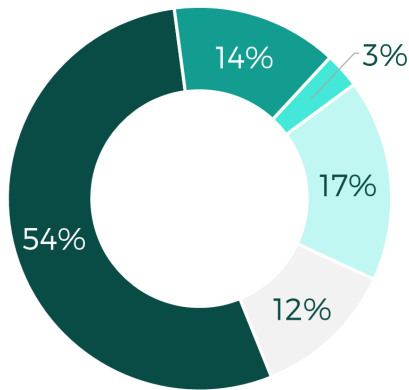
A [report released by the Health Resources and Services Administration \(HRSA\)](#) showed that participants in the Ryan White program were virally suppressed at a rate of **86%** during 2017, compared to the national average of 59.8%.

## FY2017 Cleveland TGA Care Continuum March 1, 2017–February 28, 2018

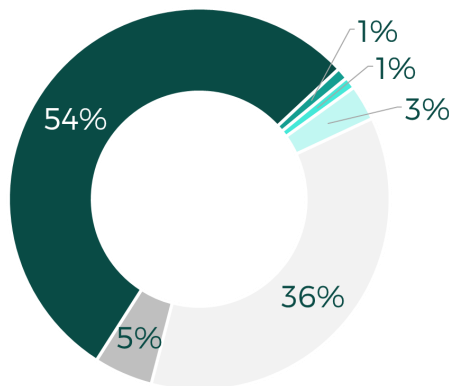


The HIV Care Continuum is the series of steps a person with HIV takes from initial diagnosis through successful treatment. Learn more about the [Cleveland TGA Continuum](#) [here](#).

# FINANCIAL OVERVIEW



City, Village, & Township	\$3,789,919
Federal, State & Local Funds	16,359,166
Licenses, Permits & Fees	4,139,335
Charges for Services	1,025,074
Other Receipts	5,031,725
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<b>\$30,345,219</b>



Personal Services	\$12,063,237
Services & Charges	1,870,611
Grants & Subcontracts for Services	18,391,913
Supplies & Materials	409,306
Debt Services	278,467
Capital Outlays	908,691
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$33,922,225</b>

## FUNDERS

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
 City of Cleveland Department of Public Health  
 City of East Cleveland  
 Center for Community Solutions  
 Cleveland Foundation  
 Cuyahoga County Health and Human Services  
 Cuyahoga County Department of Sustainability  
 Cuyahoga County Solid Waste Management District  
 Department of Administrative Services  
 Health Comp Foundation  
 Mt. Sinai Health Care Foundation  
 National Network of Public Health Institute  
 Nemours Foundation  
 Nestle Foundation  
 Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District

Office of the Cuyahoga County Executive  
 Ohio Department of Education  
 Ohio Department of Health  
 Ohio Department of Transportation  
 Ohio Environment Protection Agency  
 Robert Wood Foundation  
 Starting Point  
 Summit County Health District  
 Tufts College  
 United Way of Greater Cleveland  
 U.S. Department of Health and Human Services  
 U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development  
 The cities, townships and villages of Cuyahoga County

# LEADERSHIP

## CCBH LEADERSHIP TEAM

**Health Commissioner:** Terry Allan

**Chief Financial Officer:** Judy Wirsching

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**Epidemiology, Surveillance & Informatics:**  
Chris Kippes

**Legal Counsel:** Thomas O'Donnell, Esq.

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**Prevention & Wellness:** Claire Boettler, Romona  
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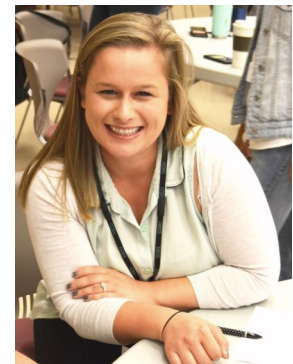
**Medical Director:** Heidi Gullett, MD, MPH

## BOARD MEMBERS



Doug Wang; Debbie Moss, Esq.; Gregory Hall, M.D.;  
Sherrie Dixon Williams, M.D.; James T. Gatt  
Learn more about our Board members [here](#).

**43** Programs & Services Offered | **156** Employees | Population of **863,000** Served





## COMMUNITIES SERVED

Bay Village	Garfield Heights	Oakwood Village
Beachwood	Gates Mills	Olmsted Falls
Bedford	Glenwillow	Olmsted Township
Bedford Heights	Highland Heights	Orange Village
Bentleyville	Highland Hills	Parma
Berea	Hunting Valley	Parma Heights
Bratenahl	Independence	Pepper Pike
Brecksville	Lakewood	Richmond Heights
Broadview Heights	Linndale	Rocky River
Brooklyn	Lyndhurst	Seven Hills
Brooklyn Heights	Maple Heights	Shaker Heights
Brook Park	Mayfield Heights	Solon
Chagrin Falls Township	Mayfield Village	South Euclid
Chagrin Falls Village	Middleburg Heights	Strongsville
Cleveland Heights	Moreland Hills	University Heights
Cuyahoga Heights	Newburgh Heights	Valley View
East Cleveland	North Olmsted	Walton Hills
Euclid	North Randall	Warrensville Heights
Fairview Park	North Royalton	Westlake
		Woodmere

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