



JACKSON
COUNTY
PUBLIC
HEALTH

Public Health Emergency Preparedness



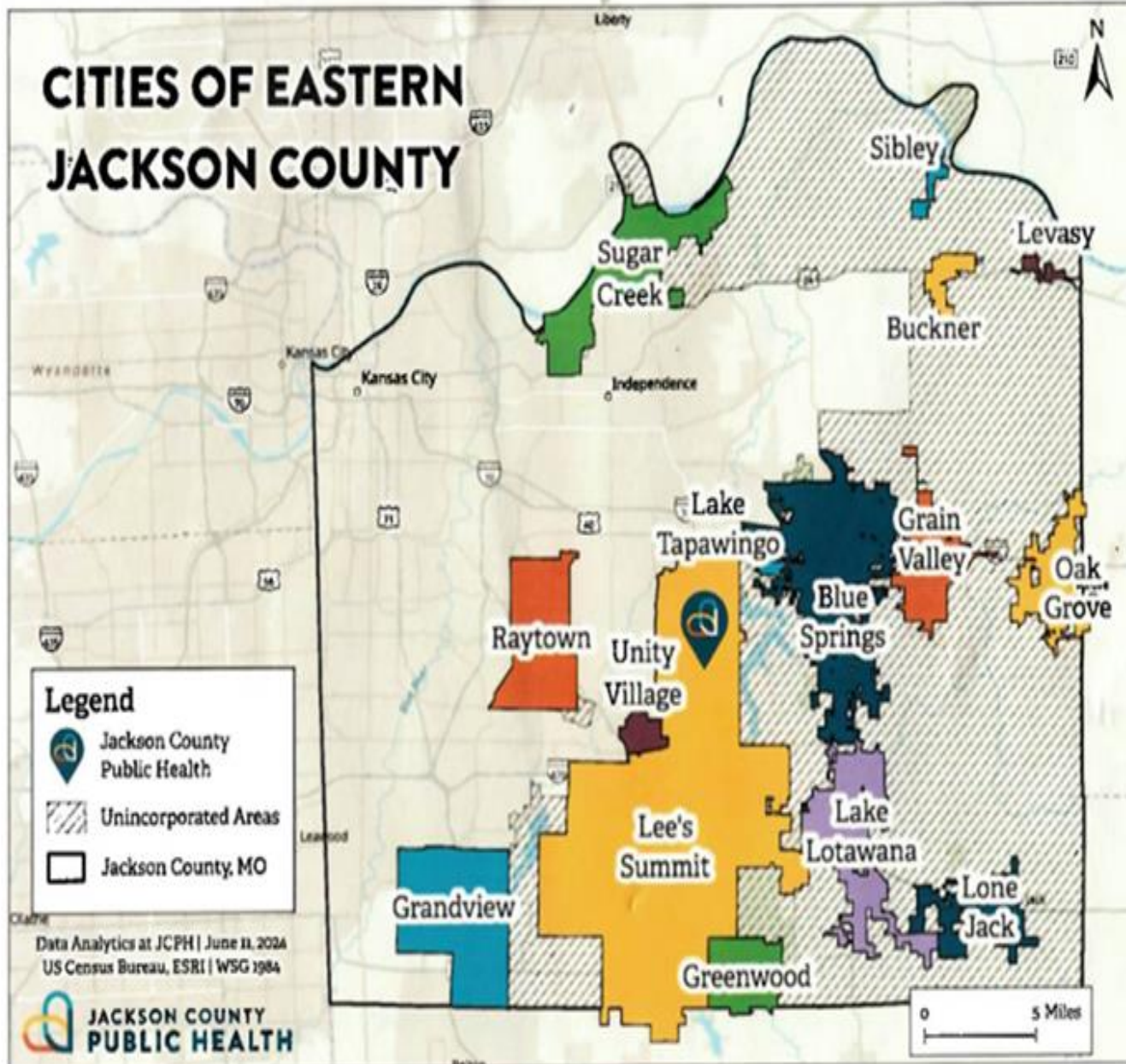
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Public Health Emergency Preparedness

- Build capabilities against public health threats, including:
 - Infectious diseases –
 - Cyclospora
 - Natural disasters –
 - Wyandotte County storm response
 - Biological, chemical, nuclear and radiological events
- Done through partnerships

Emergency Preparedness



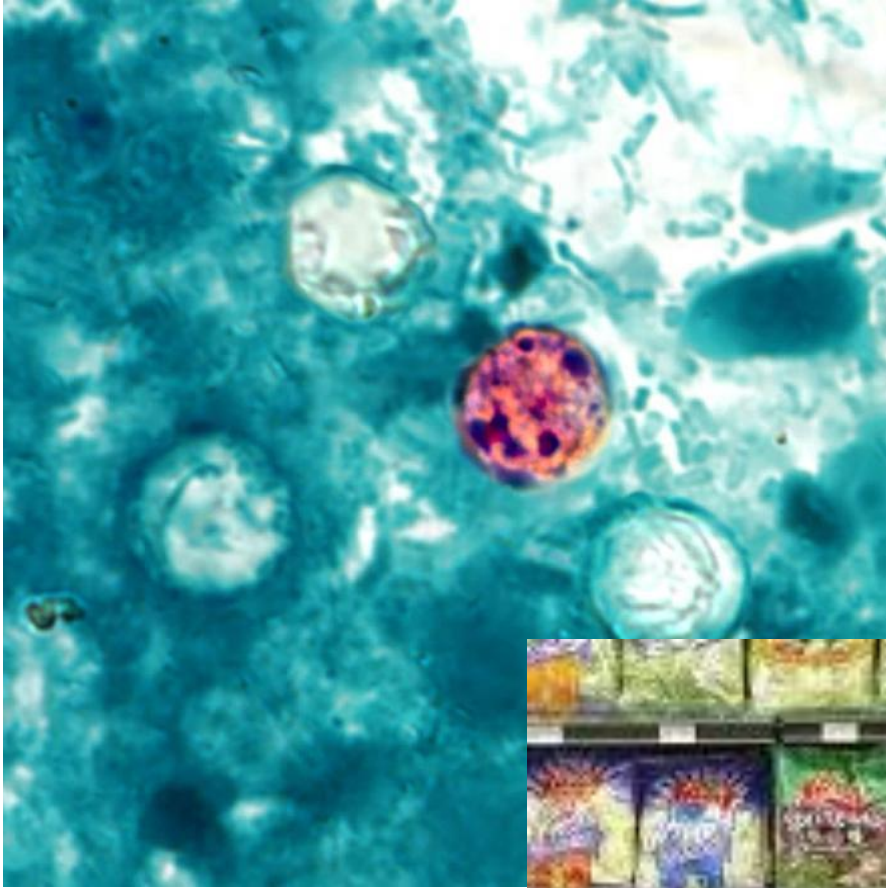
01. Emergency Preparedness Outreach

- CYCLOSPORA OUTBREAK
- WORLD CUP
- PREPAREDNESS MASCOT
- WYANDOTTE COUNTY STORM RESPONSE
- PODS/VACCINATION CLINICS

02. JCPH Plans

- EXERCISES
- TRAININGS
- CAPABILITIES

Cyclospora Response: JCPH



- **Cases: 11,458**
 - **EJC Cases: 280+**
- **Hospitalizations: 495**
- **States: 20**
- **June 14 - August 15, 2026**

INITIATIVES

Give it the Red Card

- 2 YEARS OF PLANNING
- RED CARDS
- YOUTUBE VIDEOS
- NALOXONE
- ON CALL STAFF
- DISEASE & WASTEWATER SURVEILLANCE
- PARTNERSHIPS
 - MARC
 - COAD
 - HEALTH CARE COALITION

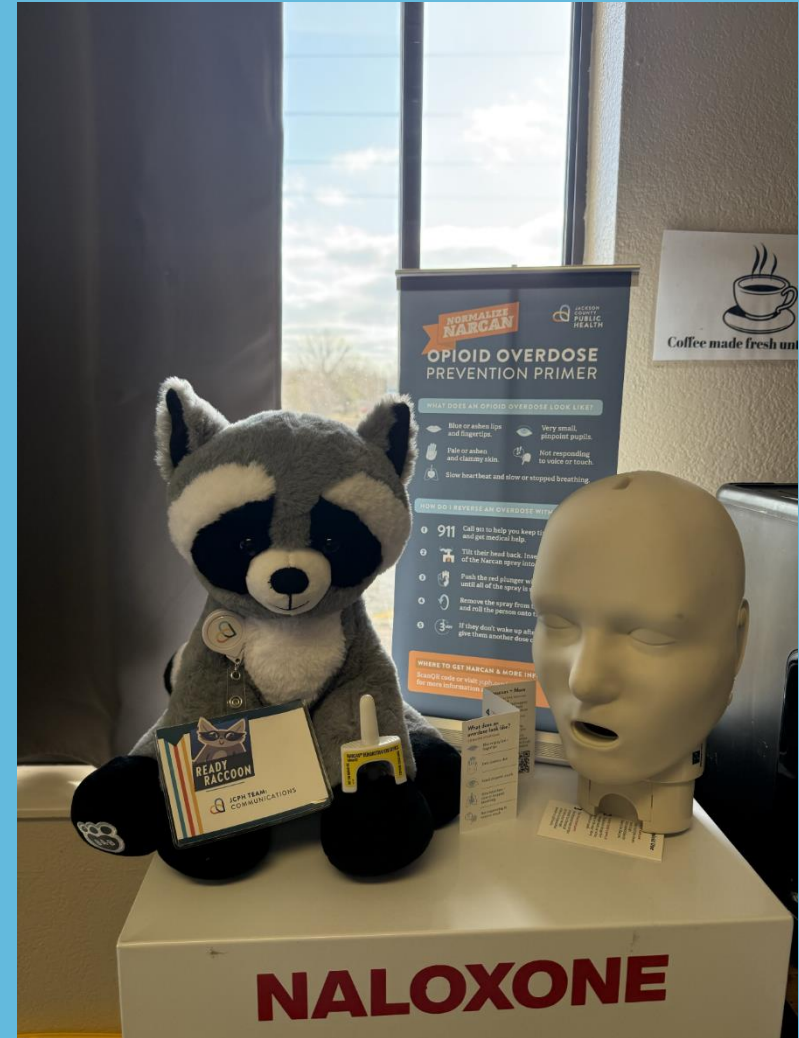
- Sick? Stay home!
- Tossing trash? Don't miss the goal!
- Staying outside? Don't skip water or sunscreen.
- Don't wait. Get ahead on vaccinations.
- Don't guess. Know your STI status.
- Never use alone. Friends carry naloxone.



World Cup Emergency Preparedness



Preparedness Mascot: Meet Ready



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- Debut in September, 2024
- Used to encourage preparedness in online and in person audiences
- @JacksoncountypH

OUTREACH —
COAD Wyandotte County Storm



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COAD Resource Center 8/29

Wyandotte County families turn to disaster resource center for help after devastating storms



Photo by: Brian I. Iton



41 WEEKDAYS
KSHB 4:30-7AM

Start Your Day with KSHB 41

ADVERTISEMENT

MULTI-AGENCY RESOURCE CENTER

RECEIVE FREE DISASTER RELIEF SERVICES!

SERVICES INCLUDE:

- FEEDING ASSISTANCE
- DEBRIS REMOVAL
- RECOVERY RESOURCES

DATES: SATURDAY, AUGUST 29TH

HOURS: 10AM - 4PM

LOCATION: KENSINGTON GYMNASIUM
(2900 STATE AVENUE)

ORGANIZED BY KANSAS CITY REGIONAL COMMUNITY
ORGANIZATIONS ACTIVE IN DISASTERS



Point of Dispensing (POD)

- Does anyone remember COVID?
- Funded by the Cities Readiness Initiative (CRI)
 - **Goal:** To dispense to 100% of our population within 48 hours.
- Points of Dispensing for Medical Countermeasures
 - Open
 - Closed
 - Drive-thru



OUTREACH – **Partnerships**

Must be located within Eastern Jackson County

Partners

Faith Based

Big Businesses

Community centers

Local Governments

Schools

Non-governmental Organizations

Long Term Care Facilities

Services

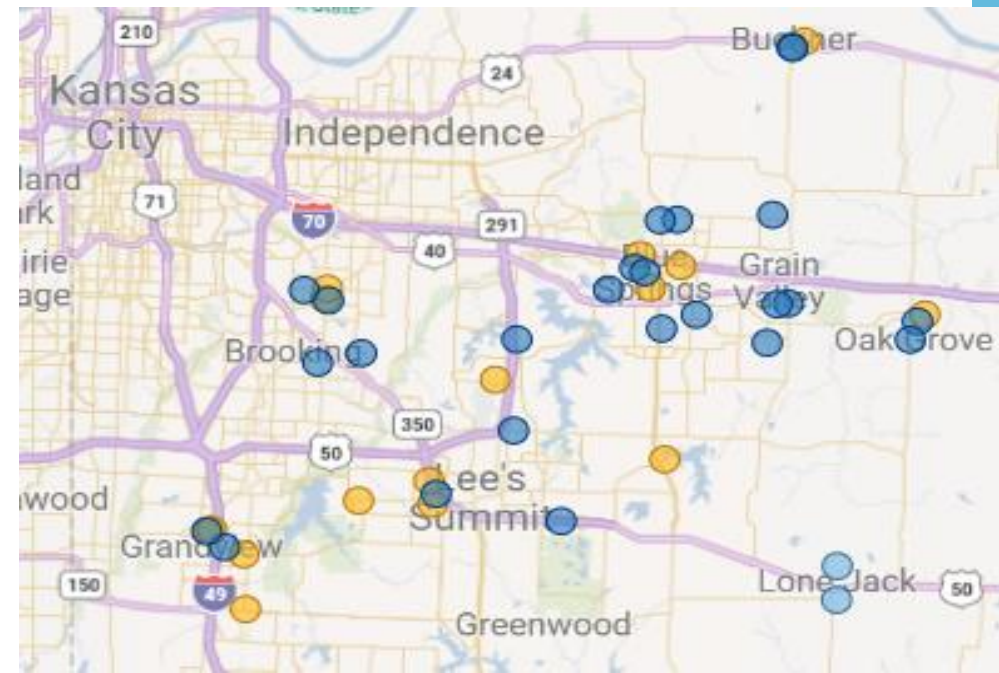
Becoming POD sites

Participation in exercises

Activation drills

Information on trainings & workshops

Emergency plan reviews



Partners

How do I become a partner?

1. Must be located in Eastern Jackson County
2. Contact any of our preparedness staff
3. Sign a Memorandum of Understanding



Your Role	Our Role
Allow JCPH access to your facility during an emergency	Pre-event planning for POD
Participate in regional trainings	Training and education
Provide 24/7 emergency contact information	Order, transport & allocate medications
Provide floor plans and general layouts	POD Operations

JCPH Plans

Exercises, Training, Supplies

Inventory

- Plans
 - Public Health Response Plan
 - Continuity of Operations Plan
 - Partner, Regional, and State Plans
- Exercises
 - Call Down Drills
 - Fall Vaccine Clinics
 - Table Top & Functional Exercises



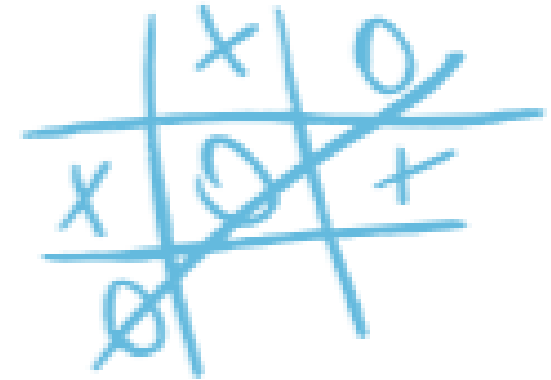
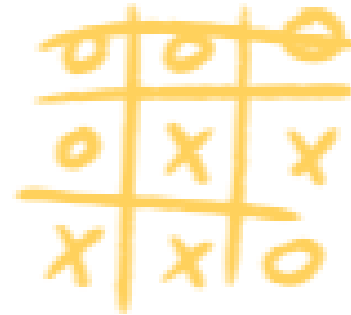
What's Next?

Drive Thru Clinic –

Raytown South High School

Friday, 10/23

Sign up at <https://jcph.org/>



Preparedness Month

Dates - September 1 - 30, 2026

Objective - Complete 3 tasks in a line.

Prizes - Show your completed challenges to Emergency Preparedness staff to win a weather radio, first aid kit, or special prize