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Child and Adolescent Health**Programs****Adolescent Health**

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Dataset Purpose: No mandate

Birth Defects Registry Surveillance System (BDRSS)

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Dataset Purpose: To monitor the births of children with defects for changes in incidence or other unusual patterns suggesting preventable causes. Data are collected under the Mississippi Birth Defects Registry Law.

Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program (CLPPP)

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Dataset Purpose: To collect blood lead testing data for children 6 years of age and younger tested in the State of Mississippi. Data are collected under the Mississippi Reportable Diseases and Conditions Law.

Children's Medical Program/Children with Special Healthcare Needs

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Dataset Purpose: Database on patients enrolled in the program. The program is based on income levels and health service needs for children up to age 21.

Early Intervention/Newborn Hearing/EHDI

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Data Contact: Tony Williams (601) 576-7427
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Dataset Purpose: Information collected on children enrolled and referred to the program. Surveillance entails children hearing screening results and what type of medical services they receive, payment sources, etc.

Newborn Screening

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Dataset Purpose: To collect demographics and results of newborn testings/screenings.

Dental Health

Programs

Oral Health

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Dataset Purpose: Data is collected to monitor the burden of oral disease, use of the oral health care delivery system, and the status of community water fluoridation on a state level.

Community Water Flouridation

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Dataset Purpose: Using the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention;s Water Fluouridation Reporting System, data is collected and assessed to determine the quantity and quality of water fluoridation in Mississippi.

Health Data and Research

Programs

Mississippi Asthma Surveillance System (MASS)

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Dataset Purpose: To assess hospital visit rates due to asthma.

Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS)

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Dataset Purpose: To assess the health and risk behaviors of Mississippi mothers before, during, and after pregnancy.

Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS)

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Dataset Purpose: To assess and monitor tobacco use, unhealthy dietary behaviors, inadequate physical activity, alcohol use, drug use, sexual behaviors and unintentional injuries and violence among Mississippi youth.

Preventive Health**Programs****Cardiovascular Disease**

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Dataset Purpose: To collect data on cardiovascular disease prevalence and mortality.

Cancer Control

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Dataset Purpose: To collect data on cancer prevalence and mortality.

Diabetes

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Dataset Purpose: To collect data on diabetes prevalence.

Injury/Violence Prevention

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Dataset Purpose: To collect data on fatal and nonfatal injury prevalence and mortality.

Tobacco Control

Programs

Youth Tobacco Survey (YTS)

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Dataset Purpose: To assess prevalence, attitudes, and behaviors with regards to tobacco use among youth in public/private middle schools and public/private high schools.

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

Programs

WIC Enrollment and Participation

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Dataset Purpose: To determine the number of potentially-eligible WIC participants who are enrolled in and participate in the program. Each year, the Food and Nutrition Service, Department of Agriculture, requires that this data be submitted as part of Mississippi's State Plan.

Women's Health

Programs

Breast and Cervical Cancer Program

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Dataset Purpose: To assess the prevalence of breast and cervical cancer among women ages 45-64.

Domestic Violence (including Family Violence & Rape)

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Dataset Purpose: To assess the number of individuals affected by domestic and family violence and rape.

Family Planning

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Dataset Purpose: To submit annual reports regarding family planning for the state.

Maternity and Perinatal High Risk Management (PHRM)

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Data Contact: Deborah Lake (601) 576-7856
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Dataset Purpose: To assess high or at risk maternity and infants for extensive care and resources.