

Boise County Health Coalition



The Boise County Health Coalition (BCHC) was founded in 2021 with the goal of improving the overall health and well-being of the Boise County community. The coalition brings together members from diverse backgrounds and various areas within the county, creating a broad and inclusive network of individuals dedicated to supporting the health needs of all residents. The BCHC meets monthly to collaborate, share resources, and work towards its mission of enhancing both physical and mental health across the region.

Mission: To provide physical and mental health resources that support all people and families in the Boise County community.

Vision: To build a volunteer network of all community members, young and old, based on healthy relationships, trust, and connection.

Central District Health, the local health department serving Ada, Elmore, Boise, and Valley Counties currently offers backbone support. They employ a coalition coordinator who is responsible for moving the coalition goals forward.

2024-2025 BCHC Action Plan Priorities

- 1** Improve access to medical and mental health services for all Boise County residents.
- 2** Improve affordable housing solutions in Boise County.

Questions?

Contact the Boise County Health Coalition Coordinator:
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Impact Report

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January 1, 2025 - December 31, 2025

Major Accomplishment #1

Hosted Two Successful Wellness Health Fairs



- Cruisin' into Wellness Fair (Horseshoe Bend) occurred Sept 6th, 2025, and reached approximately 125 participants! Activities included wellness vendor booths, provider meet and greets, and raffle prizes!
- Wellness Way Health Resource Fair (Idaho City) occurred on October 4th, 2025, and reached approximately 60 participants! Activities included health and wellness vendors, smoothie demos, a documentary screening, Mega Brain inflatable display and free health checks!

Major Accomplishment #2

Opened A Primary Care Clinic in Idaho City



- In October of 2025, Central District Health partnered with Idaho City School to open a clinic space onsite for community members to be seen for primary care or urgent care needs.
- The CDH Idaho City clinic is open on the first and third Wednesdays of the month and can see patients for a variety of appointments ranging from wellness checkups to sports physicals.

Other Notable Accomplishments

- A partnership with Idaho Outreach Medicine was developed and is promoted to provide mobile services to Medicare patients in Boise County.
- Charlie Health contracted with Garden Valley School to provide virtual mental health services for students and families.
- The WICHHC Community Health Needs Assessment gathered 148 responses from Boise County residents to inform region-wide community health priorities.
- Collaboration between Wee Ones Wardrobe and East Boise County EMS District resulted in a community closet space in Idaho City where families can access resources.
- CDH partnered with the Basin Library to host a 6 week Cooking Matters for Families.
- CDH and the Horseshoe Bend School Nurse partnered to provide youth vaping prevention curriculum in Horseshoe Bend Schools.



Looking Ahead: 2026 Priorities

- Tackle barriers for safe, affordable housing needs.
- Organize health resource fairs in Garden Valley, Horseshoe Bend, and Idaho City.
- Grow partnerships and collaboration among existing and new community partners.



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