

Caldwell County Health Department

Annual Report

2018

PROMOTE, PROTECT AND IMPROVE
THE HEALTH OF OUR COMMUNITY



1041 Likes on 

92 Followers on 



19 billboards for our Public Health marketing campaign, along with Infant Mortality Reduction Grant funds.

12 commercials and interviews with Foothills Radio Group each month, discussing our services.

Facebook top post: 25,416 people reached, 706 reactions, 371 shares
Top posts included information related to Animal Control Rabies Vaccine Clinic, Flu Activity, Immunizations, and Food Safety

2018 Patient Visits

- Adult Health—2249
- Child Health/Health Check— 507
- Family Planning— 1850
- Immunizations— 1884
- Maternal Health— 2084

Animal Adoptions



Total Animal Adoptions 397
Total Sent to Rescues 238
Total Reclaimed by Owner 163

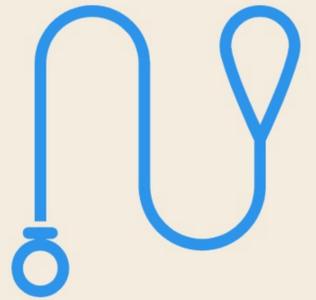
Fundraising Committee

- Jan/Feb: Donated over **200 lbs of food** to local food pantries.
- Mar/April: **Snacks, Juice boxes and laundry detergent** were collected for Ronald McDonald House of Charlotte.
- May/June: **Hygiene items and paper products** for our local Shelter Home.
- July/August: **Coloring/Activity books** for Levine's Children's Hospital.
- Sept/Oct: Fundraisers for the Wig Bank, **\$400**
- Nov/Dec: **Toys** collected for DSS.

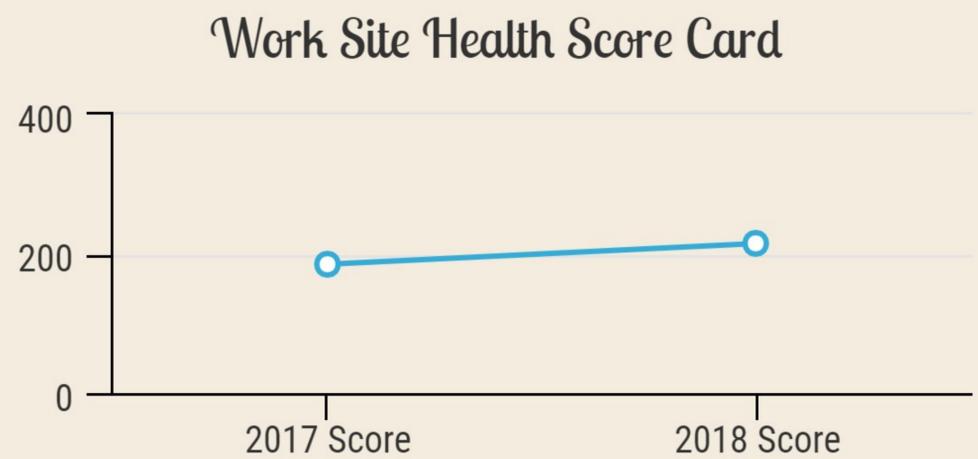
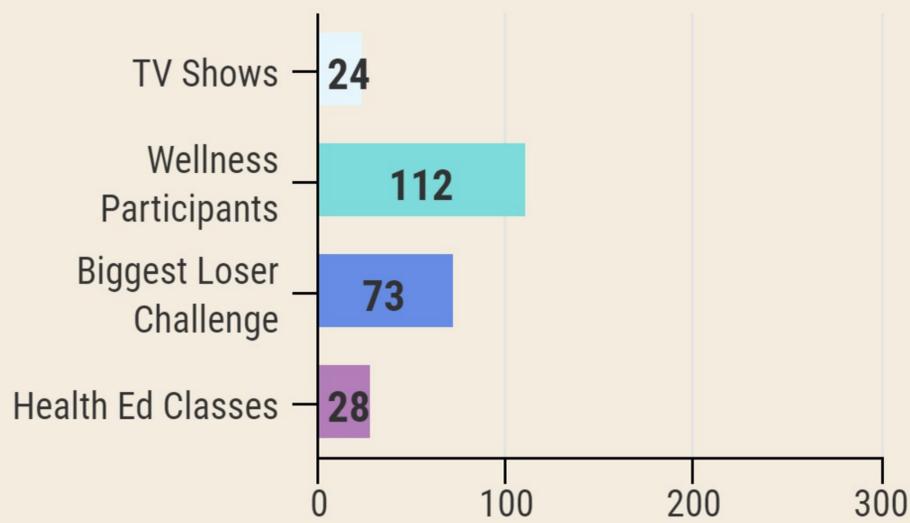


Clinic, Lab, Women and Children's Health Services

- 😊 Annual Flu Drive Through Held in October, gave over **140 flu shots**
- 😊 Maternal Health saw **250 new patients**
- 😊 Quarterly Childbirth Educational Days
- 😊 CC4C: **600 children** received case management services from an RN
- 😊 **100% immunization rate** at CCHD for 2 year olds
- 😊 Participated in several community events and festivals (Blackberry Festival, Downtown Lenoir Christmas Parade, Molasses Festival)



Health Promotion



CCHD is the lead agency for Caldwell County Safe Kids. In 2018, we participated in 7 events, educating parents on car seat safety and kids on injury prevention. Safe Kids also partnered with Smart Start to provide car seats to families in need.

CCHD Community Engagement Committee participate in 10 Community Events during the year. **CCHD** promotes employee wellness through the Positive Pulse Program. In 2018, over 100 county employees participated in some way. There were 4 employee challenges held and over 12 different wellness events



Women, Infants, Children (WIC)

-E-wic cards given in April and seen great success

-Clients can do online nutrition education.

-Started reminder class and participation has grown by 10%!

WIC Staff participated in:

4 Staff Breastfeeding Training's

3 Childbirth Education Classes

3 Community Events

571 Facebook Followers

624 Radio Spots



Environmental Health



- 196 septic systems installed
- 73 applications for wells
- 70 investigated complaints
- 30 wells completed
- 362 applications for septic systems
- 100% completed routine inspections

Dental

Provided screenings and education in several local day cares.

Obtained Community Health Grant to provide **adult dental services** through Helping Hands Clinic, West Caldwell Health Council, and CCHD Maternity Clinic.

Hired a third dental assistant and completed a 4th operatory through Community Health Grant.



