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Serving the
People of
Lucas County
Since 1960.



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Lucas County Public Health

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**HOME CARE
AIDE SERVICE**

Available to all residents of Lucas
County based on individual need.
Provided by trained, experienced,
certified personnel.

Services offered Include:

Essential shopping
Housekeeping
Meal Preparation
Respite for caregivers
Money management
Consumer education
Family management
Personal cares as part of
a plan of service

**Fees are determined according to a
sliding fee scale based on ability to
pay.**

**Lucas County
Public Health**
Home Care is



Where the Heart is

The Professional, preferred,
personalized home care agency.

(641)774-4312

Our Philosophy...

The Lucas County Public Health is dedicated to the belief that every citizen within the boundaries of Lucas County is entitled to quality health care regardless of age, sex, race, religion, or economic status.

Our Goals...

- To help elderly people stay as independent in their own home as long as possible.
- To help new mothers in need of help with newborn babies.
- To educate the community

Services We Offer Include...

- Skilled nursing visits in the home under the direction of a physician.
- Health promotion activities/visits: including new mom/baby visits
- Education in the home or class
- Communicable disease follow-up
- Homemaker Services
- Home Care Aide/Personal Care Services
- Health maintenance; such as medication set-up
- Tobacco/Nicotine Education
- Fall Prevention Classes
- Diabetes Prevention Classes

Mission Statement...

We strive to promote optimal health for individuals and families in Lucas County through Public Health Educations, prevention of disease and injury, and respond to Public Health challenges.

Vision Statement...

Protecting and improving the health of Lucas County.

We Offer Affordable Health Care...

A sliding fee scale based on an individual's income is used to determine the fee for the nursing and/or home care aide visits.

Our Clinics...

- Blood pressure clinics- walk-in's welcome
- Immunization clinics
- Flu clinics

Our nurses also work with the schools within the county doing height and weights, immunization updates and health education.

Lucas County Public Health

Has been in operation for more than fifty years, with a professed goal of quality health care. There are presently two registered nurses on staff.

The Public Health Nurses have continually worked with other agencies such as the Iowa Department of Public Health, Iowa Department of Human Services, Mental Health Center, South Central Iowa Community Action Program, Head Start, Lucas County Health Center and local physicians as well as those throughout the state of Iowa.

The Public Health Nurse

Is a willing, knowledgeable and assertive client advocate and caregiver, and approachable, concerned advisor, a sensitized observer, a manager and an agent of change.

The nurse maintains, promotes and restores health through caring, coordination and collaboration with other health professionals in both an interdependent and independent role.