

# Suffolk County Department of Health Services

## Directory of Resources



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The Mission of the Suffolk County Department of Health Services is to promote wellness and protect the public's health and environment.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES**

3500 Sunrise Highway, Building 200, Suite 124  
P.O. Box 9006, Great River, NY 11739-9006, (631) 854-0000

### **DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH (631) 854-0333**

Endeavors to protect and improve the health of the general public by monitoring the health of the community, detecting and investigating health problems and hazards, educating the public about health issues and developing plans and enforcing laws to protect the health of the general public.

Public Health Hotline (631) 787-2200

After Hours and Weekend Emergency (631) 852-4820

- ◇ Communicable Disease Control and Reporting (including Lyme Disease, West Nile Virus and Rabies Post-Exposure Treatment Information) (631) 854-0333
- ◇ Adult Immunization (631) 854-0333
- ◇ Rabies/Animal Bites (631) 852-5900
- ◇ Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) Reporting and Investigation (631) 854-0364
- ◇ HIV Partner Notifications (631) 854-0364
- ◇ Public Health Emergency Preparedness Planning (631) 854-0333
- ◇ Inspection and Permitting of Food Establishments (631) 852-5999
- ◇ Plan Review of Food Establishments (631) 852-5873
- ◇ Food Manager's Course (631) 852-5997
- ◇ Body Piercing or Tattoos (631) 852-5950
- ◇ Daycare/Summer Camps, Temporary Residences (hotels/motels/campgrounds) (631) 852-5900
- ◇ Tenant Complaints (heat/water/electricity) (631) 852-5900
- ◇ Sewage, Garbage, Rodent and Nuisance Complaints (631) 852-5900
- ◇ Mosquito Issues – DPW, Vector Control (631) 852-4270

### **DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY (631) 852-5800**

Conducts comprehensive programs that protect county residents against adverse environmental factors, while preserving and enhancing the generally high quality of the Suffolk County environment.

- ◇ Monitoring and Inspections of Beaches (631) 852-5760
- ◇ Public Pools – Installation and Code Compliance (631) 854-2501
- ◇ Peconic Estuary Program (631) 852-5750
- ◇ Private Well Testing and/or Public Water Information (631) 852-5810
- ◇ Water Supply and Wastewater Permits for New Construction (631) 852-5700
- ◇ Industrial Inspections and Hazardous Materials Storage (631) 854-2501

### **DIVISION OF SERVICES FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL NEEDS (631) 853-3130**

The mission of the Children with Special Health Care Needs/Physically Handicapped Children's

Program is to assure access to care for children with special health care needs and their families.

The program serves to link children and their families to appropriate health and related services and to offer financial help to families based upon the county's available funds.

- ◇ Early Intervention Program – ages birth to three years of age (631) 853-3100
- ◇ Preschool Program – ages three years to five years (631) 853-2298
- ◇ Children with Special Health Care Needs – up to 21 years of age (631) 853-8350

### **DIVISION OF COMMUNITY MENTAL HYGIENE SERVICES (631) 853-8500**

Provides information, services and referrals to persons with alcohol and substance abuse problems, mental illness, mental retardation and developmental disabilities.

- ◇ Single Point of Access for Children with Behavioral Health needs 631-853-8513
- ◇ Single Point of Access for Adult Case Management 631-853-2995
- ◇ Single Point of Access for Adult Housing for persons with Mental Illness 631-231-3562
- ◇ Assisted Outpatient Treatment Program (AOT) 631-853-6205
- ◇ Mental Health Clinics: Appointments 631-854-2555
  - Brentwood Mental Health Clinic 631-853-3700
  - Farmingville Mental Health Clinic 631-854-2552
  - Riverhead Mental Health Clinic 631-852-1440
- ◇ Methadone Maintenance Program
  - Eastern intake 631-852-2680
  - Western intake 631-853-7373

### **DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES (631) 852-5080**

Responsible for general operational administration and oversight of Suffolk County's emergency medical services system, education & training of basic and advanced life support providers and educational faculty, and planning/ preparedness for large scale emergencies.

### **DIVISION OF PREVENTIVE MEDICINE (631) 853-3032**

Created to help educate Suffolk County residents and the provider community, enabling them to make well-informed decisions about lifestyle habits involving diet, exercise, smoking, etc. which determine their overall health and wellbeing.

- ◇ Office of Health Education and Tobacco Enforcement (631) 853-3162  
Enforcement of state/local tobacco control laws, including clean indoor air laws.
- ◇ Health education programs in schools and the community. (631) 853-3162
  - Prevention/Cessation of Tobacco Use
  - Nutrition and Physical Activity
  - HIV/AIDS and STI/STD Educational Programs
  - STI/STD Information Hotline (631) 853-3147
- ◇ Falls Prevention Programs (631)853-3089  
Programs dedicated to reducing the risk of falls in the older adults.
  - Stepping-On – 7 week workshop, 2 hours per session
  - Staying Independent for Life – 1 two-hour seminar
- ◇ Bureau of Public Health Nursing (631) 854-0310  
Certified Home Health Agency - in-home nursing and rehabilitative services for those who require home visits.

### **DIVISION OF MINORITY HEALTH (631) 854-0378**

Strives to improve health outcomes and eliminate existing health disparities in minority populations through educational programs and promotions in collaboration with a variety of community organizations.

### **DIVISION OF PATIENT CARE SERVICES (631) 854-0200**

This division assists vulnerable residents in accessing needed health care services and provides education, case management and referrals through its programs.

- ◇ Patient Advocate Unit (631) 854-0337
- ◇ Programs for Women and Children
  - Immunization Action Program, Preschool Immunizations (631) 854-0222
  - Services for Women, Infants and Children (WIC), Nutrition Counseling and Food Checks (631) 853-3014
  - Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Program – (631) 854-0212
  - Maternal & Infant Community Health Collaborative (MICHC) (631) 854-4030
- ◇ Tuberculosis Control - Bureau of Chest Diseases (631) 854-2195
- ◇ Health Centers – See last page for location and contact information.

## Suffolk County Health Centers

Suffolk County operates two and is affiliated with seven community health centers located in neighborhoods located throughout the county. These health centers provide primary and preventive health care services for adults and children, prenatal care, and some other services, such as WIC and Family Planning. Medicare, Medicaid and some insurance is accepted, as well as self-pay on a sliding fee scale.

Brentwood - The Suffolk County Brentwood Family Health Center  
1869 Brentwood Road, Brentwood, NY 11717: Appointments (631) 439-1551

Riverhead - The Suffolk County Health Center at Riverhead  
County Center, 300 Center Drive, Riverhead, NY 11901: (631) 852-1800:  
Appointments (631) 439-1551

Amityville - HRHCare Maxine S. Postal Tri-Community Health Center  
1080 Sunrise Highway, Amityville, NY 11701; (631) 716-9026: Appointments (631) 716-9026

Greenlawn - The Dolan Family Health Center at Greenlawn  
284 Pulaski Road, Greenlawn, NY 11740: (631) 425-5250: Appointments (631) 425-5250

Coram - HRHCare Elsie Owens Health Center at Coram  
82 Middle Country Road, Coram, NY 11727: (631) 320-2220: Appointments (631)320-2220

Southampton - HRHCare Kraus Family Health Center of the Hamptons  
330 Meeting House Lane, Southampton, NY 11968: (631) 286-1008:  
Appointments (631) 286-1008) 268-1008

Patchogue - HRHCare The Health Center at Patchogue  
365 East Main Street, Patchogue, NY 11772: (631) 866-2030

Shirley - HRHCare Marilyn Shellabarger Health Center at Shirley  
550 Montauk Highway & Dorsett Place, Shirley, NY 11967: (631) 490-3040

Wyandanch - HRHCare Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Health Center  
1556 Straight Path, Wyandanch, NY 11798: (516) 214-8020

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