Looking for Services?

Does someone in your family need help signing up for health insurance or finding a health care provider?

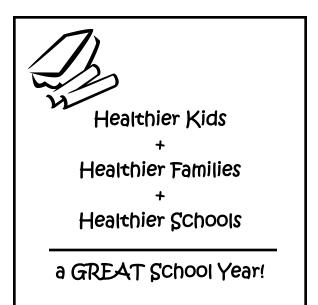
Does your child have a health issue that is affecting his or her ability to do their best at school?

Do you want your child to learn to make healthier choices about tobacco use, riding their bike, and what they eat?

Do you want to get more involved in the decisions about health in your neighborhood or child's school?

Do you need information about a particular illness or injury?







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In Your School

School-Linked Health Services Program

Connects Berkeley's public health programs with families and staff in elementary schools

Works to improve the physical health of children so they can learn and thrive

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Immunization Assistance Program

Helps make sure all children enrolled in school have received their shots, and families have the help they need to meet this requirement

Injury Prevention Program

Bicycle and Pedestrian Safety

- "Walk/Bike to School Day"
- "Mock City" (small scale city) workshop on traffic safety
- Bike Rodeo, an annual bike safety event in the park for the whole family
 - Classroom workshops and free/ reduced cost bike helmets

Oral Health Program

Provides free dental screenings and sealants in all Berkeley Elementary Schools in partnership with Alameda County (grades 2 and 5)

Tobacco Prevention Program

Classroom

• Works with BUSD to design workshops to be given by teen educators

Afterschool

- Smokefree puppet making (grades K-2)
 - "Tobacco Jeopardy" (grades 3-5)
 - "Berkeley's Smokefree Idol" (grades



In Your Community

Public Health Clinic 830 University Avenue 981-5350

- Immunizations (shots)
- TB testing and treatment
- Family planning, HIV testing, sexually transmitted infections testing and treatment
- WIC (Women, Infants and Children)
 Program for nutrition and breastfeeding services
- **El Centro**, services to help Spanishspeaking families apply for health insurance

Lead Poisoning Prevention Program

- Information and referrals for testing children for lead
- Referrals to test homes for lead hazards and make them lead-safe

Eat Better, Move More Campaign

- Fun healthy eating workshops with fresh produce samples, taste tests, and cooking classes
- Helpful tips and support to become and stay active



In Your Home

Nurse of the Day Phone Line

Telephone information and referrals for your health concerns. Staffed by a Public Health Nurse Monday - Friday, 8-I2 and I-5.



981-5300

Public Health Nursing Home Visits

Home-based services such as:

- coordinating your health care
- newborn checks and breastfeeding help
- teaching about illnesses and the spread of disease

