

Viral Hepatitis Program

Who we are and how we impact Tennessee:

TDH incorporates our values into the work we do each day to achieve our mission, live our vision and address our two strategic priorities of prevention and access.

Mission

Protect, promote, and improve the health and prosperity of people in Tennessee.

Vision

- Healthy People
- Healthy Communities
- Healthy Tennessee

Our Values

- Collaboration
- Excellence
- Integrity
- Compassion
- Respect
- Health Equity

Strategic Priorities

Prevention:

- Support Local Leadership
- Decrease Youth Obesity
- Decrease Tobacco Use
- Decrease Substance Misuse
- Prevent and Mitigate Adverse Childhood Experiences

Access:

- Optimize Internal Clinical Efficiency
- Improve External Primary Care Access
- Leverage Innovation
- Expand Partnerships

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The Viral Hepatitis Program within the Tennessee Department of Health has programmatic oversight over Tennessee's viral hepatitis surveillance, prevention, clinical, and community outreach activities statewide. This position provides mission-critical support to the Viral Hepatitis Program and the responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Provide statistical and analytical support for CDC's Surveillance for Emerging Threats to Mothers and Babies Network (SET-NET) for hepatitis C and COVID-19 infections.
- Perform quality assurance and quality improvement on hepatitis B and hepatitis C data within the National Electronic Disease Surveillance System (NEDSS) Base System (NBS).
- Perform data normalization and syndromic surveillance on hepatitis B virus and hepatitis C virus data within NBS.
- Perform viral hepatitis grant duties as assigned, including contributing to grant writing.
- Develop slides and conduct presentations on programmatic activities to internal and external partners.
- Work in collaboration with viral hepatitis field staff, other programs within the Tennessee Department of Health, and federal partners.
- Participate in cluster or outbreak investigations within the Tennessee Department of Health.

All activities are intended to improve statewide viral hepatitis surveillance efforts. Interested candidates should demonstrate critical and systems thinking skills to solve problems and innovate. This position may require some in-state and out-of-state travel.