To protect, promote and improve the health of all people in Florida through integrated state, county and community efforts.
42,140 dental sealants
In fiscal year '18-19 ending June 30, the Department of Health in Volusia County (DOH-Volusia) provided more than 42,140 dental sealants to Volusia County children in school settings. Every $1 spent on dental sealants saves $2.38 in fillings by preventing decay. The department’s two school-based teams provide dental cleanings and dental sealants, if needed, fluoride treatments and dental hygiene supplies.

Improving access to services for clients
DOH-Volusia has improved access to services for clients by opening its doors to Volusia County Veterans Services and Human Services at the three DOH-Volusia locations. By co-locating DOH and County offices, the move enhances access to health services for Veterans and Human Services clients. The agency also is moving a large portion of its WIC, clinical and HIV services to a location in the heart of a Daytona Beach neighborhood that experiences poor health outcomes. Construction is wrapping up at the new Keech Street location to enable staff to start seeing clients in early 2020.

Community data source online
Community members and service agencies now can view interactive reports on current health conditions in Volusia County and submit topics for reports. In December, DOH-Volusia launched an interactive database at VolusiaHealth.com/data. The site also contains information about the Community Health Needs Assessment and progress on the Community Health Improvement Plan.
PrEP program gains momentum
Since DOH-Volusia began offering pre-exposure prophylaxis (PrEP) for the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) in late 2018, more than two dozen clients have enrolled in the program. PrEP is a once-daily pill that can reduce the chance of acquiring HIV in HIV-negative individuals. HIV is the virus that causes Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS).

Community Health Needs Assessment
DOH-Volusia took a leading role in developing the Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) for Volusia County. The agency worked collaboratively with governmental and nongovernmental partners, including Volusia County Government, AdventHealth, and Halifax Health. The 2019 CHNA is serving as the basis for the Community Health Improvement Plan to identify and implement strategies for action and establish accountability to ensure measurable improvement. The CHNA is online at VolusiaHealth.com/planning.
Services provided in FY 18/19*

996,996 services provided

82,131 clients served

*July 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019

Focus for 2020:
Completion of the 2020-2022 Community Health Improvement Plan

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