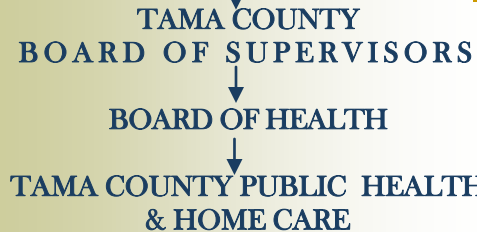


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Tama County Board of Health
129 West High Street
Toledo, IA 52342

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Registered Nurse On-Call*

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Translation Services Available

TAMA COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH & HOME CARE

Skilled Nursing Service

- Registered Nurses working closely with your physician to provide health care in your home
- Services include but not limited to:
 - Injections
 - Blood draws
 - Wound care
 - Diabetic teaching
 - Pre-filling insulin syringes
 - Medication management
 - Health teaching for clients & families
 - Tracheostomy care
 - IV Therapy
 - Private duty nursing
- Coordination of community resources to assist you at home
- Free evaluation of your health care needs

Homemaker-Home Health Aide Services

Certified Homemaker-Home Health Aides under the supervision of Registered Nurses assist with:

- Personal cares such as bathing, skin care, shampoos
- Meal planning, shopping and preparation
- Light housekeeping
- Home management and budgeting
- Respite care

Additional Services

- Physical Therapy
- Occupational Therapy
- Speech Therapy

Referrals can be made by hospitals, physicians, families, clients and agencies.

Medicare/Medicaid (Waiver)

Funding Sources

- Medicare, Medicaid (AmeriGroup & Iowa Total Care), Private Insurance, North East Iowa Area Agency on Aging, Veterans Administration, and Federal grants, private pay, and local tax dollars are potential resources to fund home care.
- A sliding fee scale is available.
- We process claim submissions for insurance and third party payers.

Donations and memorials are welcome.

“Quality, Affordable Service

Designed for All

Tama County Residents”

Community Services Provided

- Community Health Planning
- Health Education Programs
- Blood Pressure Clinics
- Maternal & Child Health Clinics
- Health Fairs
- Foot Clinics
- Communicable disease investigation, follow-up and prevention
- Prenatal and post-partum education
- Equipment Loan Closet

Public Health Emergency Preparedness

Tama County Public Health & Home Care is responsible for the development and implementation of a local public health emergency response plan and operating procedures in the event of a bioterrorism act. The potential for such an event anywhere in the United States has necessitated local public health agencies across the nation to partner with other emergency responders to prepare for a widespread bio-threat. Tama County Public Health & Home Care has a trained and competent staff to organize and operate a mass vaccination clinic, to implement disease control and prevention measures, to educate the public and to protect and maintain the health of the citizens of Tama County should our nation experience such an attack.