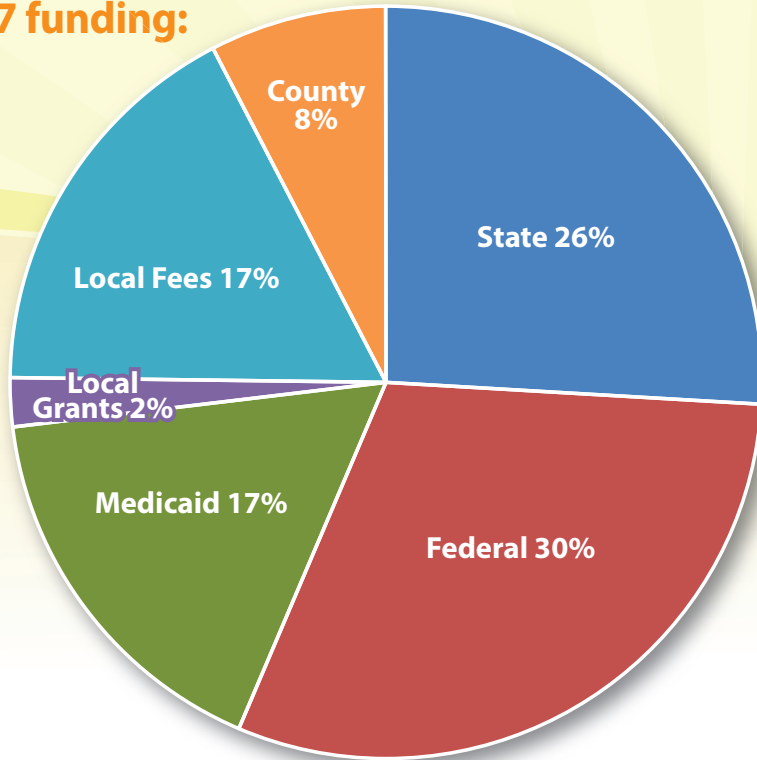


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\$16,637,291**



# 2017 Annual Report

**Florida Department of  
Health in Volusia County**



## Services provided in FY 16/17\*



953,862  
services provided



83,401  
clients served

Ten percent more clients were served during FY 16/17 compared to the previous year.

\*July 1, 2016 – June 30, 2017.



## Focus for 2017 = Partnerships

Working together to improve the health of the Volusia County community.

Thanks to our partners who fund public health in Volusia County.

The 2017 - 2019 Strategic Plan is online at [volusiahealth.com/planning](http://volusiahealth.com/planning).

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**To protect, promote and improve the health of all people in Florida through integrated state, county and community efforts.**

# 2017 Accomplishments

## Excellence in preparedness

The Department of Health (DOH) in Volusia County has been recognized by the National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO) for its ability to plan for, respond to, and recover from public health emergencies. DOH-Volusia joins a cohort of more than 450 local health departments across the country that have been distinguished for excellence in preparedness through Project Public Health Ready – a unique partnership between NACCHO and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).



## Tobacco-free ballpark

DOH-Volusia worked with staff at the historic Jackie Robinson Ballpark in Daytona Beach to create a tobacco free policy that prohibits tobacco use in the ballpark, including electronic devices. To help exemplify a healthy environment and create a positive model for youth, the policy applies to all Daytona Tortugas staff, players and fans.

## New Smyrna Beach services

Southeast Volusia residents now have improved access to DOH services. This year, DOH resumed many services in its New Smyrna Beach location and now offers child and adult immunizations, travel immunizations, family planning, pregnancy testing as well as testing and treatment for sexually transmitted diseases. Environmental health services and the Women, Infants and Children (WIC) program also are on site.



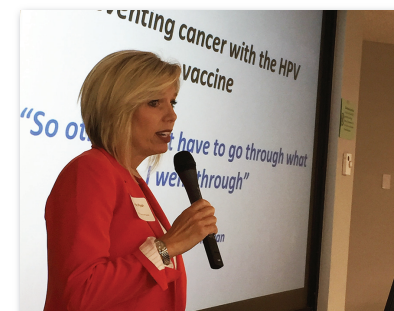
## Community access

To increase client access to services, DOH-Volusia continues to open community-based locations. In 2017, the department began providing services at Bethune-Cookman University and at The Chiles Academy, both in Daytona Beach. DOH-Volusia has been offering community-based services for several years. For example, the WIC program assists families at a Northwest Volusia federally qualified health center. Dental staff also have offered school-based services to more than 50,000 students since 2013.



## HPV summit

Nearly 70 providers and health educators attended an HPV summit in March in Daytona Beach. Hosted by DOH-Volusia, speakers from the CDC and the University of South Florida joined a cancer survivor and private practitioner to share information on HPV-related cancer, vaccine efficacy, provider and parental communication and the personal effects of the disease.



## Summer camp outreach

There's more to summer camp than field trips and games in the gym. In 2017, 34 summer campers received dental care at the Alonzo 'Babe' James Community Center in New Smyrna Beach. They also participated in an eight-week summer nutrition series offered by DOH-Volusia and the University of Florida Family Nutrition Program.

