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Defiance County Health Department Changes in Services

Defiance, OH- Defiance County General Health District (DCGHD) is implementing a change in services which includes:

Community Health Services

- DCGHD will be resuming regular (*non-COVID-19*) immunization clinics in Hicksville, OH at the Hicksville Huber Opera House beginning May 25th from 1:00 – 4:00pm. The regular immunization clinic dates for 2021 are as follows:
 - May 25, June TBA, July 27, Aug 24, Sept 28, Oct 26, Nov 23, and Dec 21
- Car Seat Program: Clients have the option of completing the class portion in-person or virtually. For additional information, please call (419)784-3818 and ask to speak with a Public Health Nurse.
- Car Seat Checks: To schedule an appointment with one of our car seat technicians, call (419)784-3818 and ask to speak with a Public Health Nurse.
- Cribs for Kids Program: Clients have the option of completing the class portion in-person or virtually. For additional information, please call (419)784-3818 and ask to speak with a Public Health Nurse.
- Children with Medical Handicaps Program: Will continue without home visits.
- Lions Club Application: To schedule an appointment, call (19)784-3818 and ask to speak with a Public Health Nurse.
- The Matter of Balance and CPR classes continue to be suspended.

WIC

- If you are scheduled for a certification, re-certification, or health assessment appointment:
 - Do not come in to the office.
 - At the time of your appointment WIC staff will call you.
 - WIC staff will gather information, complete a diet assessment, and provide nutrition education over the phone.
 - You will then be scheduled for another time to come in and load the card.
- If you are scheduled for a nutrition education appointment:
 - Please report to the office at your scheduled appointment time with your ID and WIC card.

For more information, call the Health Department at 419-784-3818 or the WIC office at 419-782-7770.

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