## **Emergency Response and Preparedness**

Age Requirements No Age Requirement Available 24/7

No

Intake Process

Most services require an appointment, please call ahead.

**Report Problems** 

Call the Agency

Self Refer

Yes

Lynchburg City Health Department

https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/central-virginia/

Main

(434) 477-5900

307 Alleghany Avenue 24501 VA United States

Monday: 8:15 am-4:45 pm Tuesday: 8:15 am-4:45 pm

Wednesday: 8:15 am-4:45 pm Thursday: 8:15 am-4:45 pm Friday: 8:15 am-4:45 pm

Saturday: Closed Sunday: Closed

Languages Spoken

English

The Lynchburg City Health Department has an Office of Emergency Preparedness (OEP) which is in place to effectively respond to any emergency impacting public health through preparation, collaboration, education, and rapid intervention. Emergency Preparedness and Response involves state, regional, and local emergency response partners working together to enhance readiness response for

all hazards, including bioterrorism, infectious disease outbreaks, and other public health emergencies.

In addition to Emergency Preparedness, the health department also offers Epidemiology services. Our Epidemiologist works with partners and applies epidemiological principles to infectious diseases affecting the citizens in healthcare settings and the community, with the mission of improving patient-level outcomes and protecting the population.

In collaboration with the Virginia Department of Health's Division of Surveillance and Investigation (DSI), we provide surveillance, investigation, and follow-up of communicable diseases that are reportable by medical providers and laboratories.

## This includes:

- Community outreach, education, and in-service training
- Sexually transmitted disease (STD) treatment, counseling, and referral
- Childhood and adult immunizations, counseling, and referral

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