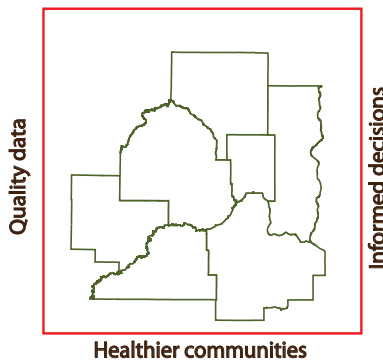


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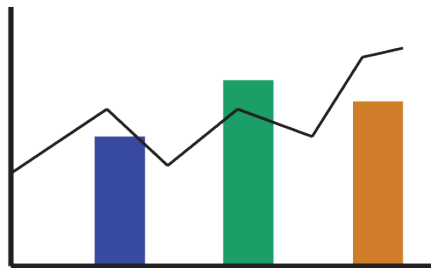
MPHAN's mission is to provide

- regionally-coordinated data,
- technical expertise, and
- leadership

to guide effective decision making to improve community health.



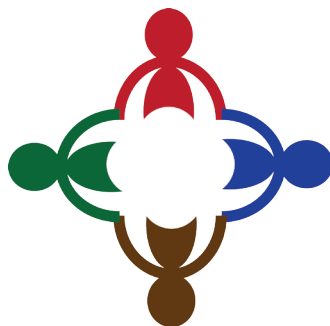
## Public Health Indicators



MPHAN monitors key indicators on the health of residents in the 7-county metro area and presents those indicators in clear and understandable formats.

While some of the data for the indicators comes from State of Minnesota agencies and other regional sources, primary data administered by MPHAN members, such as the 2014 Metro SHAPE (Survey of the Health of All the Population and the Environment) are used extensively.

## Develop Relationships

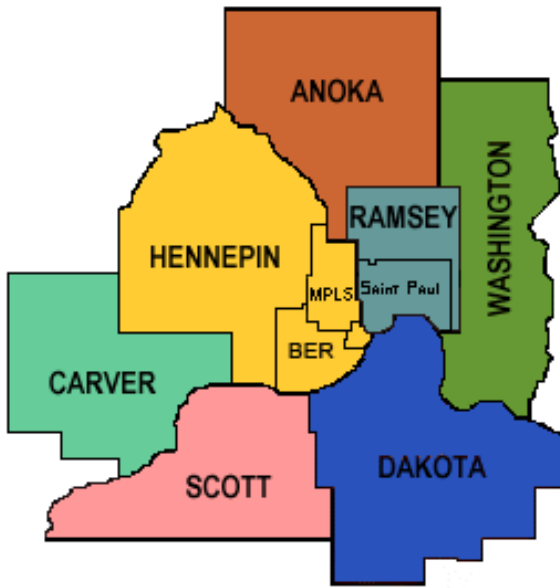


MPHAN meetings and lab sessions allow public health analysts from the participating agencies develop a strong working relationship with their peers at the other agencies. The members work together on the use of consistent best-practices methodologies and approaches to data which allows for higher quality data and analysis across the entire metro area.

MPHAN strives to develop and maintain good working relationships with other agencies and organizations which have a role in public health data for the seven-county metro area.

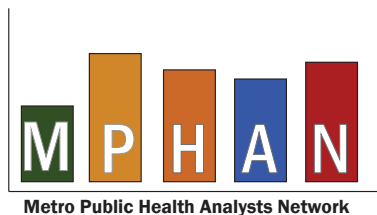
MPHAN has individuals meet and present at its monthly meeting to both stay current on datasets that are available to help monitor the health of the residents, but also to present with one voice concerns the members have regarding those datasets.





Participating agencies include the following:

- Anoka County Community Health and Environmental Services
- Bloomington Public Health
- Carver County Public Health Division
- Dakota County Public Health Department
- Hennepin County Human Services and Public Health Department
- Minneapolis Department of Health and Family Support
- Saint Paul - Ramsey County Public Health
- Scott County Public Health
- Washington County Department of Public Health and Environment



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