



Champaign County Community Assessment

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Physical Boundaries

Towns that fall within champaign county lines: Bondville, Broadlands, Champaign, Dewey, Fisher, Foosland, Gifford, Homer, Ivesdale, Longview, Ludlow, Mahomet, Ogden, Penfield, Pesotum, Philo, Rantoul, Royal, Sandours, Saint Joseph, Savoy, Seymour, Sidney, Thomasboro, Tolono, and Urbana.

- **Champaign County State's Attorney:** Julia Rietz.
- **Environmental & Public health:** Amy Roberts.
- **Disaster coordination:** John Dwyer.
- **FCC/ aviation:** John Dwyer.
- **Drug & Alcohol court:** Lori Hansen.
- Probation court: Michael Williams.
- **Circuit clerk:** Susan Mcgrath.
- **Administrator:** Darlene Kloeppe.
- **Council members:** Jacob Paul, Jim Goss, Jodi Wolken, Diane Michaels, Aaron Esry, Stanley Harper, Brad Passalaqua, Jim Mcguire, Leah Taylor, Samantha Carter, Jenny Lokshin, Lorraine Cowart, Mary King, Chris Stohr, Steve Summers, Jennifer Straub, Emily Rodriquez.

Key stakeholders in the county seat

- **Executive director:** Darlene Kloeppe.
- **County chair:** Kyle Patterson.
- **University of Illinois**
- **Carle Foundation Hospital**
- **OSF Heart of Mary**
- **Willard Airport**
- **Police / Fire Departments**



Where is the Champaign County Courthouse?



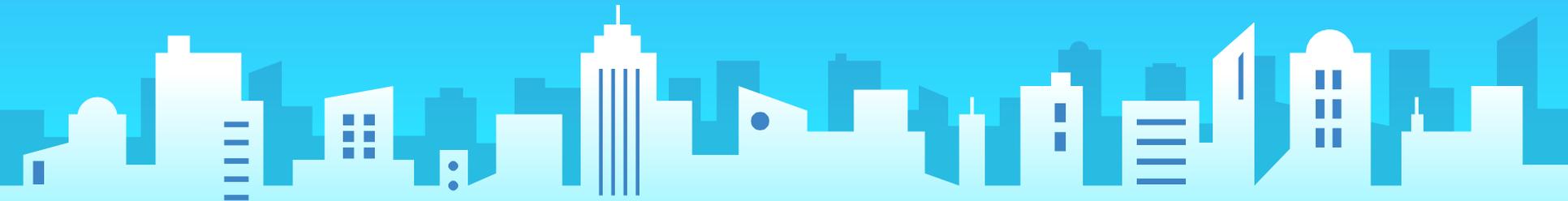
- Champaign county was originally part of Vermillion county. The county seat was named after Champaign, Ohio, and Urbana. Ohio was the homeplace of the legislator who sponsored the champaign county bill in 1833.
- 101 East Main street, Urbana, Il, 61801

Champaign County Community-- over time

Champaign county has changed drastically over time. What started tall prairie grasses in 1822 has grown into a thriving community. In 1868 Illinois industrial university was established where agriculture and industrial classes were taught. Over the years, more classes and subjects were added. As time went on, businesses continued to grow, and railroad/transportation systems, schools, and parks. The assembly hall was established as well as Parkland college. Today, Champaign county is large. Between the number of schools, restaurants, job opportunities, and the university (which continues to grow), we are now known as "little Chicago."

Champaign County's Future

- **OSF Heart of Mary and Carle Foundation hospital still continue to grow and clinics are being built all around Champaign county.**
- **New hotels are being built → in addition to apartment buildings.**
- **Agriculture continues to grow & thrive.**
- **There are plans for public transportation to grow.**
- **They are also focusing on tourism (potential wineries and stores).**



Symbolic community indicator: State farm center



The state farm center is a symbolic landmark that many people identify with this town!

Population & Racial Breakdown

- **Population Density:** 3,915 people per square mile
- **Age & Gender Distribution**
 - o **Persons under 5:** 5.4%
 - o **Persons under 18:** 18.7%
 - o **Persons 65 and older:** 13.3%
 - o **Female:** 50.3%
 - o **Male:** 49.7%
- **Marital Status:** 40% of adults or 69.0 thousand residents.
- **Racial and Ethnic Distribution**
 - o **White:** 71.8%
 - o **African American:** 13.8%
 - o **Asian:** 10.9%
 - o **American Indian:** 0.4%
 - o **Native Hawaiian:** 0.1%
 - o **Two or more Races:** 3.0%
 - o **Hispanic:** 6.3%



Housing Authority of Champaign County

- **“Create quality living environment as a foundation for individuals to achieve their full potential”**
- **Located at 2008 N. Market Street, Champaign**
- **Established in 1939**
- **Participates & works with Section 8 Housing Choice Voucher, Moving to Work, Veteran Affairs Supportive Housing, Section 8 Project-Based Voucher, Rental Assistance, and Homeownership programs**
- **Offer permanent housing, transitional housing, supportive services, safe haven 24-hour shelter, utility cost reimbursement, job training, etc**



- **39 affordable apartment properties**
- **2,834 low-income apartments**
- **1,307 housing units with rental assistance**
- **5,210 people on the waitlist for all combined resources**

Housing in Champaign County

- **Mix of new and older homes**
- **Many “older” homes built between 1880-1950**
- **\$46,495 is the median household income**
- **\$814 median rent**
- **79,912 households in the county**
- **52.13% of renters are overburdened**
- **Making less than \$2,713/month = overburdened**
- **22 mobile home parks in Champaign**
- **Variety of apartments (student, senior, general, low-income)**
- **Champaign County Regional Planning Commission offers emergency shelter for homeless**
- **Ownership versus Rentals:**
 - **Mortgage payment typically lower than rent**
 - **Can have pets (ownership)**
 - **Decide who can live in home (ownership)**
 - **More privacy (ownership)**
 - **Additional costs such as taxes, home repairs, etc (ownership)**



Champaign County Statistics

- **Births 2020: 2,017**
- **Fetal Deaths 2020: 13**
- **Infant Mortality Rate 2019: 9.4**
- **Total Deaths: 1,515**
- **Leading causes of death:**
 - **Heart disease (328)**
 - **Cancer (280)**
 - **Accidents/injuries (113)**
 - **COVID-19 (66)**
- **COVID-19 Immunization Rate as of 11/11/21**
 - **117,389 fully vaccinated (55.90%)**
 - **146,743 with at least one dose (69.88%)**



Values and Beliefs

- Champaign county has many religious services that includes a Church of Scientology, four Jewish temples, Hindu and muslim temples, countless Christianity based churches, and places of worship for Buddhism followers.
- The appearance of the churches vary depending on the areas they are located. For example, The St. John's Catholic Newman Center near the campus area of town is well kept and preserved. The Meadowbrook Community Church on S. Duncan road is also well kept and updated. There are abandoned churches within the community.



Museums & Fraternal Organizations

- There are many places for culture and arts in Champaign such as the AMC movie theater, Springer Cultural Center, Virginia Theatre, Giertz Gallery of Art, and SoDo Theatre.
- Champaign also has multiple museums such as the Krannert Art Museum, Spurlock Museum, Champaign County Historical Museum, Orpheum Children's Science Museum, Sousa Archives, and more.
- There is a VFW Post 5520 in Champaign. There is the Champaign Rotary club as well. Champaign is a college town that has college fraternities such as Sigma Alpha Mu, Alpha Sigma Phi, Sigma Phi Delta, and Beta Theta Pi.



Physical Environment

- **The air quality** in differs throughout the year. As of this time, the air quality is good.
- The **water quality** is excellent. A report from Illinois American Water (2020) states the water in Champaign county have met all water quality standards.
- **Climate in Champaign county:** It depends on the season. It ranges from a very cold winters, warm to hot summers and quite frequent thunderstorms.
- **Terrain:** Champaign County is situated on a large and very flat plateau and divide between the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers.
- **Recent Community-Wide Disasters**
 - No community wide disasters have been noted in Champaign County except COVID 19
- **Disaster Preparedness Planning (where does this occur)**
 - Champaign County Emergency Management Agency
 - The disaster prepared planning in Champaign county involves the fire department, police, EMS, hospital, and health department.

Emergency Management Agency

- Located at 1905 E. Main Street, Urbana
- Director and Deputy Director is in charge of emergency management and planning throughout the county
- Works with all municipalities and townships
- Trainings held throughout the county
 - Willard airport
 - Various UIUC labs on campus
 - HAZMAT and biohazard drills held at Memorial Stadium
 - University of Illinois Fire Service Institute
 - Parkland College
 - Oil plant
 - The Red Cross



Physical Environment: Symbolic Indicator



Health Department



Illinois American Water Co



**Water Department:
Champaign County
Soil & Water**

Physical Environment



Dilapidated buildings

Round barn built in 1914

Lincoln building built in 1916

Old architectures

Transportation

- ◻ Champaign-urbana acquires all forms of transportation, including bus, Amtrak train, taxis, ubers, Lyft, and bikes. Many community members also walk and have cars. There is also an airport in Savoy. There do not seem to be any transportation issues. People drive cars, walk, and take the bus a fair amount. The bus service (MTD) is currently free of charge due to covid. However, before covid, it was \$1 to ride. The roads and highways are under a lot of construction. The University of Illinois is constantly growing, so I saw construction in the downtown area.
- ◻ Willard airport is in Savoy (5.7 miles away from champaign).
- ◻ Bus stations are all around Champaign-Urbana.
- ◻ The Amtrak train station is located at 45 E University Ave, Champaign, IL.



Transportation

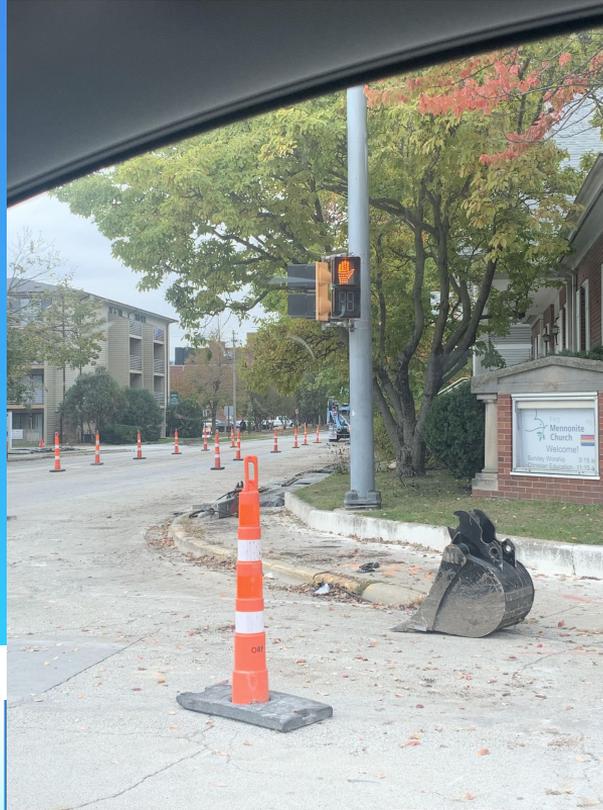


Willard airport



Amtrak train terminal

Roads and Highways



Economy

Occupational categories for Champaign include law firms, restaurants, bars, hospitals, hotels, car dealerships, farm equipment shops, factories, trade companies, and schools.

Significant employment opportunities include Plastipak, OSF, Parkland College, Kraft/Heinz, Busey Bank, Carle, University of Illinois, Unit 4 school district, Christie Clinic, and FedEx. These opportunities are clustered together within approximately 20 min of each other.

The nearest unemployment offices include the Department of Health Services and Illinois Work Net in Champaign. DHS helps citizens in buying food, healthcare, cash assistance, community supports, and medicare savings. Illinois Work Net helps the community in help finding jobs, preparing for a career, help find work support such as financial aid/child care, and helping citizens file for unemployment.

The percentage of unemployed persons in Champaign county includes a 4.1% rate and 12,500 citizens.

The unemployment state rate is 6.8%, and 422,000 citizens,

The Median Household income is \$52,787

Per capita income includes \$30,578

The poverty level is now at 19.9% at Middle Class

Economy



Shopping Opportunities

- **Many shopping malls, pharmacies, and shops for household goods, food, and clothing are located around Champaign County, especially Champaign and Urbana**
- **Low-income options are available**
 - **Salvation army** □ 2212 N. Market St. Champaign IL
 - **Goodwill** □ 912 W. Anthony Dr. Champaign IL; 1201 Savoy Plaza Ln, Savoy, IL
- **There are few empty storefronts in Marketplace mall. Lincoln Square Mall has only few shops open.**
- **Three restaurants received citations from the health department**
- **one restaurants been closed by the health department → Oct. 2021**

Shopping Opportunities



Shopping Opportunities



Industry and Business

Lumber, Building Materials, Home Improvement

- Hudman Lumber
- Alexander Lumber Co.
- Menard's
- Lowe's
- Master Woodwork Co.
- Patton Lumber Company
- Kirchner Building Center

Plumbers, Heating & Air

- HovelN Heating & Cooling Inc.
- Warner Plumbing
- ABC Heating & Air Conditioning Inc.



Factories

- Plastipak Packaging Inc.
- Kraft
- Central Illinois Manufacturing Co.
- Clifford-Jacobs Forging Co.
- Depke Welding Supplies

Industry and Business

Banks

- Over 47 Banking options
- PNC
- Busey
- Bank Champaign
- Illini Credit Union

UPS

- Numerous locations and dropboxes in CU
- Mahomet
- Rantoul
- Savoy
- St. Joseph



Hotels

- 4,500 hotel rooms in Champaign County
- Hilton Garden Inn
- Home2 Suites
- Illini Union Hotel
- Hyatt
- Comfort Suites
- Baymont Inn & Suites

Industry and Business

Restaurants & Bars

- Voted Midwest Living's Greatest Midwest Food Town
- Chain Restaurants
- Downtown
- Diners
- Food Trucks
- Alto Vineyards Winery
- Dive Bars
- Clubs



Recreational Opportunities



- There are roughly 20 parks within Champaign, multiple of these include playgrounds. Champaign also has 19 fitness gyms. Clubs for children include the boys and girls club, YMCA club opportunities, and after school programs. Champaign also has Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of America near Parkland College
- There are recreation centers such as Leonhard Recreation Center, U of I Campus Recreation, and the recreation center on Peabody Dr. Champaign also has senior centers, clubs, and other activities for their community members.

Public safety: where are they located and what is available?

Champaign

- **Police department:** 82 E University Ave, Champaign, IL 61820
- **Fire department:** 3911 Windsor Rd, Champaign, IL 61822

Urbana

- **Police department:** 400 S Vine St, Urbana, IL 61801
- **Fire Department:** 400 S Vine St, Urbana, IL 61801

Carle arrow ambulance: 210 E University Ave # A,
Champaign, IL 61820

OSF PRO ambulance: 408 S Neil St, Champaign, IL 61820

Post office: *the post office pictured* 415 N Dunlap Ave,
Savoy, IL 61874



Public safety

- **Champaign public library:** 200 W Green St, Champaign, IL 61820
- **Urbana & Champaign Sanitary District Northeast Plant:** 1100 E University Ave, Urbana, IL 61802
- **Champaign city hall:** 102 N Neil St # 1, Champaign, IL 61820
- **Illinois American Water:** 1406 Cardinal Ct, Urbana, IL 61801
- **Champaign county courthouse:** 101 E Main St, Urbana, IL 61801
- **Champaign county Jail:** 502 S Lierman Ave, Urbana, IL 61802-- over 308 inmates can be placed here.
- **Jurisdiction for EMS, police, & fire?** Champaign county is large. Every town included has their own “police & fire”. Champaign can stay in champaign and respond to Urbana. They can also respond to nearby towns (Savoy).
- **Highest crime for the county seat and the county? Theft (2,215 in 2021) physical violence (830 in 2021).**
- **Safety concerns include gun violence, domestic abuse, and theft.**

Public safety

Champaign county courthouse

Carle arrow ambulance

Champaign county jail



City Hall Interview:

Champaign County Mental Health Board Study Session

Agenda Virtual

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Princess Anne...
Regina Crider Julian Rappaport

Recording

ILLINOIS CHILDREN'S HEALTHCARE FOUNDATION

The ALLIANCE

- ILCHF was created in December 2002
- Approximately \$125 million established Illinois' only private foundation focused solely on the health needs of children across the state
- The Foundation awarded its first grants in December of 2004
- In 2009, ILCHF launched its Children's Mental Health Initiative

 Illinois Children's Healthcare Foundation

<https://ilchf.org/>

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Champaign County Police

- Champaign Police Department
- Champaign County Sheriff's Office
- University of Illinois Police Department
- Urbana Police Department
- Illinois State Police
- Rantoul Police Department
- Thomasboro Village Police Department
- Tolono Village Police Department
- Village of Mahomet Police Department
- Ogden Police Department
- Homer Police Department
- Fisher Police Department
- Philo Village Police Department



Interview with Officer Paige Bennet

- **Urbana Police Department at 400 S. Vine Street**
- **Enforce laws within Urbana city limits**
- **Urbana Fire Department also stays within the city limits**
- **EMS: Arrow and Pro Ambulance are stationed in Champaign but respond anywhere in Champaign county**
- **Theft is the highest reported crime in Urbana**
- **Various safety concerns**
 - **Large increase in gun violence**
 - **Increase in violent crimes including homicides, robberies, and home invasions**
- **Officer Bennet grew up in Champaign County and still lives here today**
- **“Unpredictable behavior in Champaign County has always been a safety concern within law enforcement and the uptick in people possessing guns on the street and the relationship between community and law enforcement has made things more difficult for everyone.” - Officer Bennet**



2019 Urbana & Champaign Statistics per 100,000:

- **Violent crime: 726**
- **Murder: 2.3**
- **Rape: 79**
- **Aggravated assault: 546**
- **Property Crime: 2,514**
- **Theft & Burglary: 2,388**
- **Arson: 7.6**

Champaign County Sheriff's Office

- **Dustin D. Heuerman, County Sheriff**
- **Located at 204 E. Main Street, Urbana**
- **Provide law enforcement for 50,000 residents in Champaign County**
- **54 officers on staff**
- **Provide security to the county Courthouse**
- **Courthouse K-9, Leo, for explosives detection**
- **Emergency Management Agency**
- **Corrections Division has two sites:**
 - **Downtown Jail across from Courthouse**
 - **Satellite Jail**



Champaign County Satellite Jail

- Located at 502 S. Lierman Avenue, Urbana
- All arrestees are taken for booking
- May remain there until court date
- Can house up to 182 inmates
- Around 80-90 staff consisting of a Corrections Captain, 3 lieutenants, 60 correctional officers, various support staff, a doctor, RNs, LPNs, and mental health professionals
- In 2019, they processed 15 inmates/day, released 14/day
- Monitor 200 Electronic Home Detention inmates/year



Schools

- **Total Public School Districts: 19**
- **Total Public Schools: 58**
- **Total Higher Education: 2**
- **Total Private: 25**
- **Languages Spoken: English and Spanish**



Public School Districts

Bellevue Community Unit School District 8	Champaign	18
Bellevue-Peru Regional Office of Education	Rantoul	2
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Bluffs Community Unit School District 1	Fisher	2
Bluffs Community Consolidated School District 100	Gifford	1
Broadlands Community Unit School District 8	Broadlands	3
Buffalo Community Consolidated School District 140	Ludlow	1
Calhoun Springs Community Unit School District 3	Mahomet	5
Carlin Community Consolidated School District 112	Ogden	1
Carlinville School District 142	Royal	2
Central City School District 117	Rantoul	5
Central Community Unit School District 103	Rantoul	1
Central Community Unit School District 103	Rantoul	3
Clayton Community Consolidated School District 108	Saint Joseph	2
Clayton Public Consolidated High School District 200	Saint Joseph	1
Conception Community Consolidated School District 140	Thomasboro	1
Conover Community Unit School District 2	Tolono	4
Conover Community Unit School District 2	Urbana	1
Conover School District 140		

Private Schools

School	City	Total Enrolled	Grade
Campus Middle School For Girls	Urbana	25	11-12
Canaan Academy	Urbana	45	2-10
Countryside School	Champaign	141	3-13
First School	Mahomet	83	2-3
Holy Cross Elementary School	Champaign	367	3-13
Judah Christian School	Champaign	587	2-17
Kindercare	Champaign	22	2-3
Kingswood School	Urbana	14	3-17
Montessori Habitat School	Champaign	61	2-11
Montessori School Of Champaign Urbana	Savoy	138	2-3
Next Generation School	Champaign	195	3-13
St John Lutheran School	Champaign	216	2-13
St Malachy School	Rantoul	181	2-13
St Matthew School	Champaign	460	3-13
St Thomas Elementary School	Philo	86	3-13
St Thomas More	Champaign	375	14-17
Swann Special Care Ctr-Elem/Secondary School	Champaign	32	1-12
University Primary School	Champaign	26	3-6

Unity West Elementary

•**Student's Enrolled: 420**

•**Staff Employed: 60**

•**Average Student Expense:**

•**\$145 enrollment**

•**\$100 supplies**

•**\$58 Lunch per month or \$8 reduced lunch**

•**National Average Student Expense: \$12,624**

•**5th highest amount per student among 37 other developed nations in the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD)**



Nurse Gateley

- **There is one nurse per school, and she takes care of 420 students and 60 staff members.**
- **She medicates ten students their scheduled medications and emergency medications if needed, such as an Epi-Pen. She has administered nebulizers and inhalers, but due to covid, she has only been administering inhalers.**
- **She managers her time well, but she knows students come first. She has regular students who come in for cough drops, use the bathroom, extra clothes, gym shoes, and mints. Students know she is a caring person and is always available to help.**
- **She collaborates with teachers to provide hearing and vision screenings for the students by sending down children in small groups from each class until it is all completed; this may take several days.**



Nurse Gateley's Food for Thought

After working in healthcare for 20 years, she has developed wisdom and experience of the needs of communities. She stated it would be an improvement in all schools to find a way to provide an increased percentage for reduced lunches at school. Within Unit 7 Schools, there is only a 30% reduced lunch rate for disadvantaged families. In her eyes, Tolono would benefit from more attraction of businesses and healthcare providers.

She has been able to confidently identify, plan, and meet the health needs of the community.

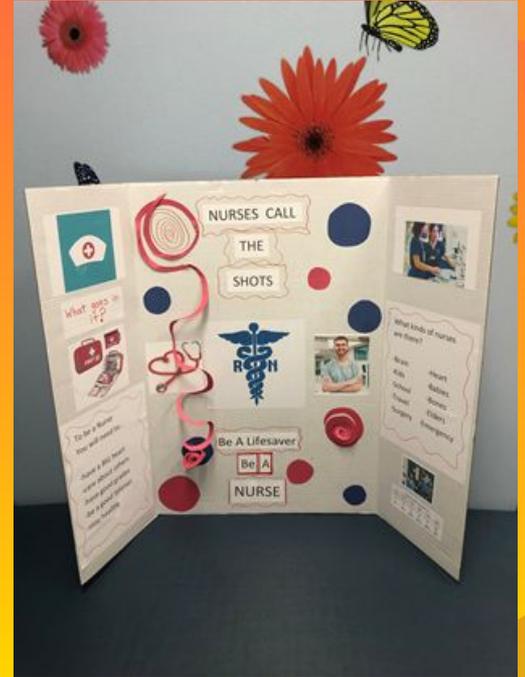
She has stated she does not feel safe in Champaign anymore. She recognizes there are too many shootings, robberies, and violence.

Tolono Resources:

The Giving Place (Provides free donated items)

Tolono Wire (community events, updates on community, garage sales, etc.)

When asking Nurse Gateley her thoughts on the community, she explained that violence and gun safety need teaching due to the increasing number of shootings and batteries to healthcare workers and police officers.



Next Step: Future Education

- **Military recruiters in Champaign and Urbana include National Guard, Navy, Army, and Marines**
- **Unity High School: 535 students enrolled**
- **Student-Teacher ratio 14:1**
- **84% Graduation Rate (below state median)**
- **Associates: 37.1 %**
- **Bachelors: 31.4%**
- **25% Families are economically disadvantaged**
- **College Readiness Index: 11.4/100**
- **340th in the state**
- **9,547th national**
- **University of Illinois (4 year)**
- **Parkland Community College (Associates)**
- **Transportation to schools include: walk, bus, bicycle, uber, car**
 - **Some apartment complexes offer shuttles to and from colleges**



Healthcare Opportunities

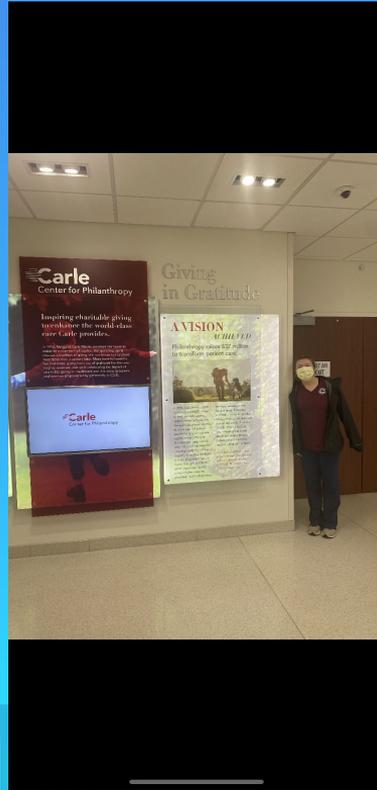
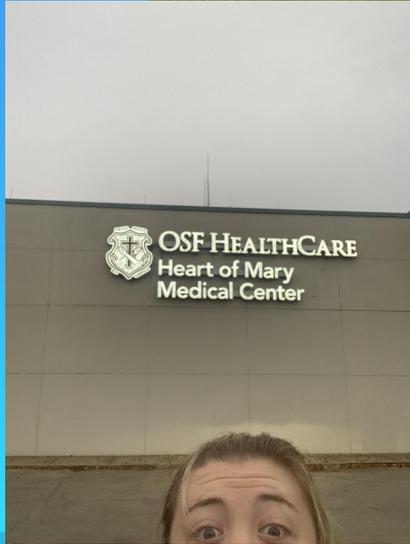
Champaign county healthcare opportunities include two major hospitals, public health department, a wide variety of clinics, courage connections (domestic abuse center), pregnancy resource center, family planning, and ALANON, AA, NA.

- **Geographic distribution of health care and social service? The two major hospitals (Carle hospital and OSF Heart of Mary) are within one mile. The clinics (both OSF and Carle) are distributed well throughout the champaign county. For example, a primary care OSF clinic is located in Savoy, Illinois, and Champaign/Urbana. Carle has clinics out on Windsor road, Rantoul, and other areas. Getting an appointment post covid can be challenging because clinics and doctor's offices are playing catch up; however, there is no lack of facilities for the opportunity.**
- **Types of services and resources available? Christie clinic, Campustown urgent care, two main hospitals, planned parenthood, OSF urgent care, Carle clinics (reproductive, family, pediatrics, etc), and OSF primary care clinic.**
- **Services continued: Champaign county regional planning commission provides support with rent, heating, and utility.**

Healthcare opportunities: social supports

- **Counseling and support services:** Champaign county is full of support and counseling. Rosecrance is a behavioral health center as well as the Pavillion. The University of Illinois and Parkland college offer counseling services.
- **Clothing:** Salt & light, goodwill, empty tomb, and the salvation army.
- **Food:** Eastern illinois foodbank, Daily bread soup kitchen, C-U at home, churches offer food banks, and the wesley food pantry.
- **Shelter:** C-U at home, Courage connection, United way of Champaign county, crisis nursery, and many churches.

Healthcare

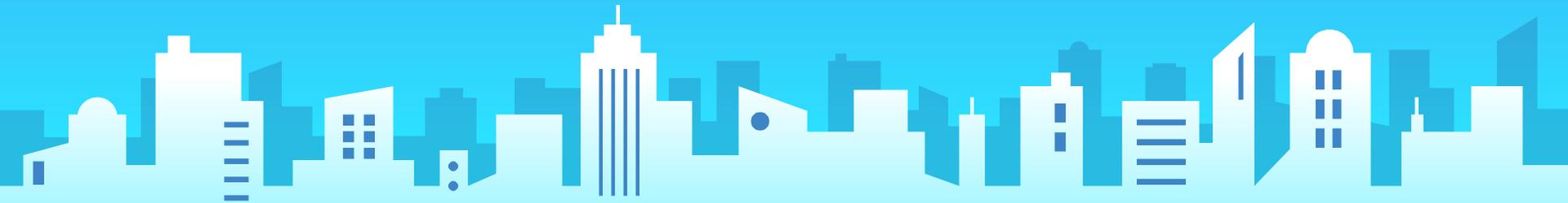


Stakeholder Interview: Business owner

- **What are the risks and hazards for the community? Strengths? Weaknesses? Suggestions for improvement? The risks and hazards of Champaign-Urbana is the violence. There has been way too much violence in this community-- especially lately. However, the community does have great services, job opportunities, and churches. Weaknesses: lack of cops, teachers, and gun violence. Suggestion for improvement: come together and work on these issues as a community.**
- **What would be the ideal change project? A project to change gun violence.**
- **Perception of level of safety in the community? Safety is good in some places... bad in others. "We can do better."**
- **Perception of personal health and the health of the community? There are a lot of healthcare options in this area. However, there is a lot of homelessness, drug addicts, and full nursing homes.**

Stakeholder interview: Business owner

- **Members perception of the ability of the community to identify, plan, and meet the health needs of the community (intra-community resources)? We struggle to solve issues within our community. Organizations like C-U at home are better at that though.**
- **Members perception of the future of the community? Eventually the community will get better and stronger.**
- **Do they live in the community? Yes.**



Public Health Department

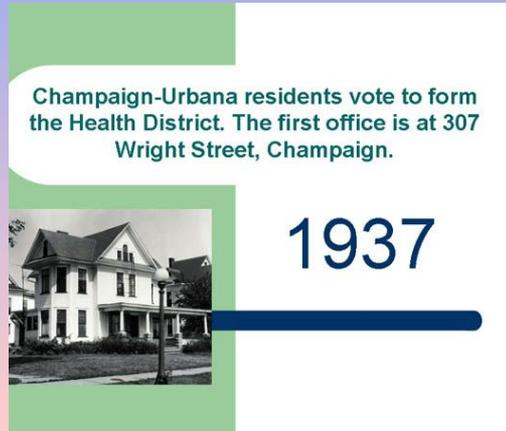
- Located at 201 W. Kenyon Road, Champaign, IL 61820
- Open Monday-Friday 8a-5p
- Sexual Health Clinic located on McKinley 809 S. 5th Street, Champaign
- Satellite location at 520 E. Avenue, Rantoul
- Administrator: Julie Pryde
- 120 employees
- Champaign County Public Health & Champaign-Urbana Public Health Department
- Three person Board of Health oversees CUPHD
- County Board of Health oversees the County Health Department
- Leadership team includes the Administrator, Deputy Administrator, Human Resources, and all directors from each division



Health Department: Persons of Contact

Whitney Greger, MPH, CHES

- Bachelors in Health Administration from Eastern Illinois University
- Received her Masters of Public Health from UIUC
- Working at CUPHD for 7 years
- Certified Health Education Specialist.



Jennifer Schroeder, LEHP

- Laboratory of Epidemiology and Public Health
- Bachelors in science in Public Health from Northern Illinois University
- Licensed Environmental Health Practitioner
- Working at CUPHD for 10 years

Maternal & Child Health, Teen & Adult Services, Wellness & Health Promotion

- Family Planning
- Family Case Management
- Child Vaccinations
- Breastfeeding Support
- School Physicals
- Obtain Birth Control
- Pregnancy Test
- Birth Certificates
- WIC
 - Provides food, information, & healthcare referrals for pregnant, postpartum, infants, & children up to age 5
- Smoking Complaints
- Implementing Smoke-Free policies
- E-Cigarette Policies
- Sex Education in Champaign area Schools
- STD & HIV Services
 - Testing
 - Needle Exchange
 - Prevention
 - Case Management
 - 12 years+ can seek services without adult permission
 - Payment depends on type of insurance BUT no one will be turned away
- Health Education
 - Team provides sexual health education for about 1,200 people/year
- Adolescent Health Program serves 75 clients/year
- Tobacco Prevention Program serves 50 youth/year

CUPHD Dental Program

- **Champaign Children & Teens Dental Clinic ages 0-18 years old**
- **Appointments Monday-Friday 7:30a-5:00p**
- **Emergency appointments available within 24 hours**
- **See 6,000 children every year**
- **2 yearly exams & cleanings**
- **Fluoride**
- **Dental sealants**
- **Repair decayed teeth**
- **School mobile clinics visit all public schools in Champaign, Savoy, & Urbana**
- **All students eligible**
- **No cost!**
- **2 full-time dentists**
- **5 full-time dental hygienists**
- **2 full-time dental assistants**
- **3 support staff**
- **March to June 2020 closed**
- **Only saw emergencies**
- **Dental staff delivered groceries & supplies to quarantined families, worked the COVID hotline, & conducted contact tracing**
- **Fully running in September 2020**

Programs for Vulnerable Populations

- **GREAT Start** - enhances parent-child relationships
- **HealthWorks** - provides advocacy & referrals to pregnant DCFS wards & their children
- **Milk Bank**
- **Summer Food Program** - kids 1-18 years old
 - 30,000 meals provided last summer
- **Opioid Overdose Prevention Program**
- **Smoke-Free Illinois Compliance**
- **Not Here**
- **Tobacco Prevention Coalition**
- **Teen Pregnancy Prevention Program**

Communicable Diseases 2020

- **Required to investigate diseases such as whooping cough, TB, hepatitis, and food/water illnesses**
- **10 Outbreaks**
 - **3 Foodborne**
 - **4 Norovirus**
 - **1 Enteric E. Coli**
 - **1 Influenza**
 - **1 Cyclosporiasis**

STD Statistics 2019

- **Chlamydia**
 - **1,907 cases - 909.4/100,000**
- **Gonorrhea**
 - **601 cases - 286.6/100,000**
- **Syphilis**
 - **18 cases - 8.6/100,000**
- **Risk reduction strategies include a comprehensive health program using evidence-based, medically accurate, & inclusive programming**
 - **Proper way to use condoms**
 - **Different forms of birth control**

Prevalent Diseases

- **Heart Disease**
- **Cancer**
- **Obesity**
- **Most common diseases in the United States**
- **Diabetes prevalence in C-U is 9.8%**
 - **National median 10.5%**
- **Obesity prevalence 30.8%**
 - **National median 35.5%**
- **C-U population without access to large grocery store is 22.6%**
 - **National median 21.6%**
 - **State median 19.4%**

Health Department - Environmental Health

CUPHD

- Opening & regulating food and drink establishments
 - All restaurants can be looked up on the CUPHD website (closures, inspection results, etc.)
 - Range from no hot water, food out of temperature, soiled floors, etc
- Permitting & regulating temporary food event permits
- Investigating food & food illness complaints
- Providing information & test kits for radon
- Reviewing & permitting sewage & private well permits
- Setting traps & testing mosquitoes for West Nile Virus
- Regulating tanning facilities
- Regulating body art facilities
- Referrals for plumbing, building inspectors, etc. not covered under CUPHD

Illinois Department of Public Health

- Home lead testing
- Pool regulations
- Other food such as wholesale

Lead Rates for Children 2017

- 15,953 children under 6 years old tested
- 99.2% <5 ug/dL
- 0.5% 5-9 ug/dL
- 0.3% >10 ug.dL

CUPHD & Disaster Planning

- **Works with hospitals, fires department, public safety, the Champaign Regional Health Care Coalition, and volunteers**
- **Emergency Preparedness Program**
- **Prepare for**
 - **Terrorist threats**
 - **Infectious diseases**
 - **Natural disasters**
 - **Other emergencies**
- **No recent community-wide disasters**
- **Notable activities include**
 - **Creating CUPHD COVID-19 Mass Vaccination Plan**
 - **Updating the CUPHD All-Hazards Plan**
 - **Performing N95 respirator fit-testing for staff members**

Animal Care Services

The nearest animal shelter is Champaign County Humane Society. It is an open door shelter, meaning that it takes in all animals no matter their situation. This also means that it is a kill shelter and has to euthanize animals in order to keep this status.



Trash Collection and Water

- There are multiple collection services, such as ABC Sanitary, Dale Levitt Disposal, Hayden Sanitary service, and Republic Services.
- Most of the garbage seen on trash day are in garbage cans with wheels.
- The county gets its water from Mahomet aquifer and then it is processed by American Water of Illinois.



Streets

The streets in Champaign vary. Many of the roads are scattered with potholes, and there is a lot of construction (University Avenue).



Communication

- **Emergency Broadcast Services**
 - **There are four broadcasting stations. WPCD, WBGL, Great News Radio, and WYXY.**
- **Postal Services**
 - **There are 11 United States Postal Service locations, two FedEx ship centers, and two UPS stores with various drop off locations.**
- **Local newspaper**
 - **Champaign has the News Gazette, Associated Press, Asian Campus Tribune, The Hub, and other newspaper agencies.**

Community as a Whole

- **There are many risks and hazards for this community. This community has areas without adequate grocery shopping which is a weakness for the people in this community. Other hazards include crowded roads with a lot of traffic. Other downfalls to the community include the location of their only hospitals being right next to each other instead of being spread out. Strengths of this community include an adequate transportation system, many opportunities for entertainment, a diverse restaurant population, many places to attend community events, and higher education opportunities.**
- **If your group were to complete a community change project on the county seat or the whole county, what would be the ideal change project? The ideal change project would be to improve the community's access to healthcare. The only emergency hospitals are within a mile of each other. Patients on the other end of town have a limited choice of healthcare. This puts patients without a vehicle at an inconvenience.**



Community as a Whole

- **Community members perception of level of safety in the community. Via community members, “Champaign county doesnt feel like a safe place to live right now.”**
- **Community members perception of personal health and the health of the community. Via community members, “The personal health and the health of the community varies. There are very active groups in Champaign but you also see many obese individuals and there is also a moderate homeless community. “**
- **Community members perception of the ability of the community to identify, plan, and meet the health needs of the community (intra-community resources). Via community members, “There are hospitals in champaign but access to these facilities are based on whether you have transportation to that part of town.”**
- **Citizen’s perception of the future of the community. Via community members, “Champaign could have a bright future but needs to get a hold on the homeless community and the increased rate of violence.”**





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