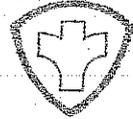


## Franklin County



Public Health  
Protect. Promote. Prevent.

## Cooperative Public Health Service

*The Town of Charlemont is receiving the following services from the Cooperative Public Health Service, Franklin County's new health district:*

- Response and investigation of housing complaints
- Inspection and permitting of the Red Rose and Oxbow Pools.
- Lead determinations and code enforcement.
- Food and temporary food inspections, including schools, restaurants, events, seasonal rafting services and bed and breakfast operations.
- Septic plan reviews, and witnessing of perc tests & septic inspections
- Review and permitting of private wells
- Improved public health protections for residents through updated private well regulations, food inspection policy, and septic regulations.
- New food safety supplies for all food service establishments in town.
- Completion of all mandated annual reports to the state Department of Public Health and Department of Environmental Protection
- Walk-in clinics in Conway and Deerfield Town Halls assisting residents of any member town with basic health screenings, assessment and monitoring of health conditions, medication information.
- Completion of all state-mandated infectious disease surveillance, reporting and case monitoring.
- Community flu vaccination clinic for elders, families, and children at the Hawlemont School scheduled for November 3 from 9-12:00, and home vaccination available to residents in need.
- Assistance to the Hawlemont Emergency Dispensing Sites Planning Group in using flu clinic to test emergency preparedness plans
- New outside consultant regulations for large and/or controversial projects
- Individual meetings for Charlemont residents to create medication management plans.
- Mercury thermometer and sharps disposal and container exchange (collaboration with the Franklin County Solid Waste Mgmt. District).
- Leveraging additional assistance to residents through GCC and UMass Nursing students.
- Public health information for town website.

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