

# North Dakota Department of Health Community Health Section Data Sources As of February 2011

All Divisions				
Data Source	Contents of Data Source	Where Housed/ Web Site	Contact Person	Most Recent Year Available
Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS)	North Dakota adult health behaviors	CDC <a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/brfss/</a>  ND Department of Health <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/brfss/">http://www.ndhealth.gov/brfss/</a>	Melissa Parsons ND Department of Health 701.328.2787 <a href="mailto:mparsons@nd.gov">mparsons@nd.gov</a>	2009
Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS)	North Dakota youth health behaviors	CDC <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/yrbs/index.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/yrbs/index.htm</a>  ND Department of Public Instruction <a href="http://www.dpi.state.nd.us/health/YRBS/index.shtm">http://www.dpi.state.nd.us/health/YRBS/index.shtm</a>	Gail Schauer ND Department of Public Instruction 701.328.2265 <a href="mailto:gschauer@nd.gov">gschauer@nd.gov</a>	2009
Vital Records	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Birth Records</li> <li>• Death Records</li> <li>• Marriages</li> <li>• Divorces</li> <li>• Fetal deaths</li> <li>• ITOP (Induced Terminations of Pregnancy).</li> </ul>	ND Department of Health Division of Vital Records <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/vital/">http://www.ndhealth.gov/vital/</a>	Darin Meschke Division of Vital Records ND Department of Health 701.328.2360 <a href="mailto:dmeschke@nd.gov">dmeschke@nd.gov</a>	2009
Healthy People 2010	Data from multiple sources for the HP2010 objectives	ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/healthypeople2010/">http://www.ndhealth.gov/healthypeople2010/</a>	Kathy Moum Division of Nutrition & Physical Activity ND Department of Health 701.328.1983 <a href="mailto:kmoum@nd.gov">kmoum@nd.gov</a>	2009
MedStat Health Claims Database	All Medicaid claims data	ND Department of Human Services—Medical Services	Kathy Moum Division of Nutrition & Physical Activity ND Department of Health 701.328.1983 <a href="mailto:kmoum@nd.gov">kmoum@nd.gov</a>	2009

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Medicare Claims Data	All Medicare claims data sets – 2003 & 2008	ND Department of Health – Division of Chronic Disease	Kathy Moum Division of Chronic Disease ND Department of Health 701.328.1983 <a href="mailto:kmoum@nd.gov">kmoum@nd.gov</a>	2008

**Other divisions also use data sources listed by division.**

Division of Cancer Prevention and Control				
Data Source	Contents of Data Source	Where Housed/ Website	Contact Person	Most Recent Year Available
North Dakota Cancer Registry	Database of all newly diagnosed cancers on ND residents	ND Department of Health – Division of Cancer Prevention and Control  <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/cancerregistry">http://www.ndhealth.gov/cancerregistry</a>	Marlys Knell ND Department of Health – Division of Cancer Prevention and Control 701.328.2333 <a href="mailto:mknell@nd.gov">mknell@nd.gov</a>	2008
Women's Way (ND Breast & Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program)	Database of minimum data elements including screening location, patient demographics, screening results, diagnostic procedures, and treatment information.	ND Department of Health – Division of Cancer Prevention and Control	Ann Lunde ND Department of Health – Division of Cancer Prevention and Control 701.328.2333 <a href="mailto:alunde@nd.gov">alunde@nd.gov</a>	2010
State funded colorectal cancer screening pilot project 2008-2009	Patient demographics (deidentified data), screening results, diagnostic procedures and treatment info.	ND Department of Health – Division of Cancer Prevention and Control	Joyce Sayler NDDoH – Division of Cancer Prevention and Control 701.328.2596 <a href="mailto:jsayler@nd.gov">jsayler@nd.gov</a>	2008-2009

**Division of Family Health**

<b>Data Source</b>	<b>Contents of Data Source</b>	<b>Where Housed/ Website</b>	<b>Contact Person</b>	<b>Most Recent Year Available</b>
Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS)	Data on pregnancy, risks and infant health	ND Department of Health Report can be found at: <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/CH/Publications.asp?ProgramID=107">http://www.ndhealth.gov/CH/Publications.asp?ProgramID=107</a>	Kim Mertz ND Department of Health 701.328.4534 <a href="mailto:kmertz@nd.gov">kmertz@nd.gov</a>	2002 data in a report from December 2004
North Dakota Birth Defects Monitoring System (NDBDMS)	ND birth defects	ND Department of Health, Children's Special Health Services Report can be found at: <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/cshs/docs/birth-defects-report.pdf">http://www.ndhealth.gov/cshs/docs/birth-defects-report.pdf</a>	Kim Mertz ND Department of Health 701.328.4534 <a href="mailto:kmertz@nd.gov">kmertz@nd.gov</a>	2002
School Health Education Profiles (SHEP)	Health education, health policies and programs in schools	ND Department of Public Instruction <a href="http://www.dpi.state.nd.us/health/educprof/index.shtm">http://www.dpi.state.nd.us/health/educprof/index.shtm</a>	ND Department of Public Instruction	2010

**Division of Chronic Disease**

<b>Data Source</b>	<b>Contents of Data Source</b>	<b>Where Housed/ Web Site</b>	<b>Contact Person</b>	<b>Most Recent Year Available</b>
Youth Tobacco Survey (YTS)	Youth tobacco behaviors	ND Department of Health	Clint Boots Division of Chronic Disease ND Department of Health 701.328.4566 <a href="mailto:cboots@nd.gov">cboots@nd.gov</a>	2009
Cigarette and tobacco tax collections	Annual and monthly statements of tobacco tax collections	ND State Tax Department	Office of the State Tax Commissioner ND State Tax Department 701.328.3470 <a href="mailto:cig-tobaccotax@state.nd.us">cig-tobaccotax@state.nd.us</a>	2010
Adult Tobacco Survey	Adult tobacco behaviors and attitudes	ND Department of Health	Clint Boots Division of Chronic Disease ND Department of Health 701.328.4566 <a href="mailto:cboots@nd.gov">cboots@nd.gov</a>	2010
North Dakota Second Hand Smoke Study	Measures beliefs and attitudes on second hand smoke.	ND Department of Health	Clint Boots Division of Chronic Disease ND Department of Health 701.328.4566 <a href="mailto:cboots@nd.gov">cboots@nd.gov</a>	2010
Blue Cross/Blue Shield Claims	MediQHome – Summary reports provided to DoH Diabetes Prevention and Control Program and Heart Disease and Stroke Prevention Program	Blue Cross/Blue Shield of North Dakota	Kathy Moum Division of Chronic Disease ND Department of Health 701.328.1983 <a href="mailto:kmoum@nd.gov">kmoum@nd.gov</a>	2009

**Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity**

<b>Data Source</b>	<b>Contents of Data Source</b>	<b>Where Housed/ Website</b>	<b>Contact Person</b>	<b>Most Recent Year Available</b>
CDC Pediatric Nutrition Surveillance System	ND and National WIC children data including ND county and regional data on breastfeeding, height, weight and hemoglobin. Also includes multi-year trends	ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity  <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/wic/publications.asp?ProgramID=93">www.ndhealth.gov/wic/publications.asp?ProgramID=93</a>	Colleen Pearce ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity 701.328.2496 <a href="mailto:cpearce@nd.gov">cpearce@nd.gov</a>	2009
CDC Pregnancy Nutrition Surveillance System	ND and National WIC pregnancy and outcome data including smoking and alcohol use, age, education, poverty level, weight gain, etc.	ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity  <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/wic/publications.asp?ProgramID=93">www.ndhealth.gov/wic/publications.asp?ProgramID=93</a>	Colleen Pearce ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity 701.328.2496 <a href="mailto:cpearce@nd.gov">cpearce@nd.gov</a>	2009
Infant feeding method by County	Infant feeding method (bottle-fed, breastfed, etc.) by count and percentage for each County	ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity  <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/nutrition/publications.asp?ProgramID=92">www.ndhealth.gov/nutrition/publications.asp?ProgramID=92</a>	Colleen Pearce ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity 701.328.2496 <a href="mailto:cpearce@nd.gov">cpearce@nd.gov</a>	2009
Breastfeeding percentage by hospital of birth	The percent of infants breast-feeding or formula fed by birth hospital	ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity  <a href="http://www.ndhealth.gov/nutrition/publications.asp?ProgramID=92">www.ndhealth.gov/nutrition/publications.asp?ProgramID=92</a>	Colleen Pearce ND Department of Health – Division of Nutrition and Physical Activity 701.328.2496 <a href="mailto:cpearce@nd.gov">cpearce@nd.gov</a>	2008

### Division of Injury Prevention and Control

Data Source	Contents of Data Source	Where Housed/ Website	Contact Person	Most Recent Year Available
EMS Ambulance Run Reports	Patient demographics, cause, type of call, location, patient health info, EMS response info	Med-Media	Tom Nehring Division of Emergency Medical Services ND Department of Health 701.328.4728 <a href="mailto:trnehring@nd.gov">trnehring@nd.gov</a>	2008
Trauma Registry	Trauma cases treated in hospitals across the state. Patient demographics and extensive treatment information	Clinical Data Management, Denver, CO	Tom Nehring Division of Emergency Medical Services ND Department of Health 701.328.4728 <a href="mailto:trnehring@nd.gov">trnehring@nd.gov</a>	2008
ND Poison Center	Patient demographics, type of toxic agent, route of exposure, outcome on calls to the poison hotline from ND area code	Hennepin County Regional Poison Control Center, Hennepin Memorial Hospital, Minneapolis, MN	Diana Read Division of Injury Prevention and Control ND Department of Health 701.328.4537 <a href="mailto:dread@nd.gov">dread@nd.gov</a>	2008
Inpatient Hospital Injury Data	Patient demographics, diagnostic codes, external cause codes for patients hospitalized one day or more at St Alexius, MeritCare, Innovis, Altru and Trinity hospitals, CSN report on cost of injuries	Division of Injury Prevention and Control ND Department of Health	Diana Read Division of Injury Prevention and Control ND Department of Health 701.328.4537 <a href="mailto:dread@nd.gov">dread@nd.gov</a>	2001
Traffic Crash Data	Compilation of information from vehicle crash reports filed by law enforcement agencies (city, county, and state) and contains information on occupants, vehicle, crash events, restraint usage, alcohol and drug involvement, age, gender and contributing factors.	Traffic Safety Division ND Department of Transportation	Lynn Heinert Traffic Safety Division ND Department of Transportation 701.328.4352 <a href="mailto:lheinert@nd.gov">lheinert@nd.gov</a>	2008

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ND Council on Abused Women's Services	Victim based data compiled from 19 program sites across the state. Contains victim demographics, assailant and incident information	ND Council on Abused Women's Services	Janelle Moos ND Council on Abused Women's Services 701.255.6240 <a href="mailto:ndcaws@ndcaws.org">ndcaws@ndcaws.org</a>	2008
Child Fatality Review Panel	Child Deaths	ND Department of Human Services <a href="http://www.nd.gov/dhs/info/pubs/docs/cfs/2006-child-fatality-review-panel-bulletin.pdf">http://www.nd.gov/dhs/info/pubs/docs/cfs/2006-child-fatality-review-panel-bulletin.pdf</a>	Diana Read Division of Injury Prevention and Control ND Department of Health 701.328.4537 <a href="mailto:dread@nd.gov">dread@nd.gov</a>	2006

## Web Resources

Data Source	Contents of Data Source	Where Housed	Web Site	Most Recent Year Available
US Census	General Population Data: Gender, Age, Race	US Census Bureau	<a href="http://www.census.gov">www.census.gov</a>	2010
United States Renal Data System (USRDS)	Data on end-stage renal disease, kidney failure	United States Renal Data Systems Coordinating Center	<a href="http://www.usrds.org">www.usrds.org</a>	2009
Smoking-Attributable Mortality, Morbidity and Economic Costs (SAMMEC)	Allows user to estimate the health and health-related economic consequences of smoking to adults and infants.	CDC	<a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/sa/mmec/">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/sa/mmec/</a> Requires Log In	2001 (Some data is 2001 and some is 1998)
State Tobacco Activities Tracking and Evaluation System (STATE)	An electronic data warehouse containing up-to-date and historical state-level data on tobacco use prevention and control.	CDC	<a href="http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/stat/estystem">http://apps.nccd.cdc.gov/stat/estystem</a>	2004
Web-based Injury Statistics Query and Reporting System (WISQARS)	National and state injury mortality and morbidity data	CDC National Center for Injury Prevention and Control	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/injury/wisqars/index.html">http://www.cdc.gov/injury/wisqars/index.html</a>	2007
Women's Health Indicators Database	Online compilation of data sources for 10 areas of women's health: mortality, infectious/chronic disease, maternal health, violence and abuse, demographics, access to care, reproductive health, mental health, prevention.	Office on Women's Health – DHHS	<a href="http://www.healthstatus2010.com/owh/">http://www.healthstatus2010.com/owh/</a>	2008
DATA2010	The Healthy People 2010 database	CDC – National Center for Health Statistics	<a href="http://wonder.cdc.gov/data2010/">http://wonder.cdc.gov/data2010/</a>	2008
CDC Wonder	Provides a single point of access to a wide variety of reports and numeric public health data	CDC	<a href="http://wonder.cdc.gov/welcome.html">http://wonder.cdc.gov/welcome.html</a>	Varies