



STATE OF ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

Division of Public Health

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Free Programs for Better Health

Ready for change?

Alaska offers free programs for better health.

Find the program that's right for you or someone you know:

**ALASKANS HAVE LOST A
COMBINED 21,000 POUNDS!**

Lose weight

Lower blood sugar to manage diabetes

Lower blood pressure

Stop smoking, vaping or chewing

Be active with your children

Statewide, nearly THREE out of FOUR adults have at least one ongoing chronic disease, condition or related behavior.

<http://www.freshstart.alaska.gov>



Tuberculosis & Congenital Syphilis Increment



Increased Lab Capacity **2X**



INCREASED
Testing & Screening



\$2 MILLION in
Grant Awards



Nursing Recruitment & Retention Highlights

Outcomes

- Overall reduction from near 40 percent to 26 percent vacancy rate for Public Health Nursing
- Total of 21 new professionals
- Seven positions staffed in hard-to-fill rural/remote health centers

Next Steps

- Continue to collaborate with nursing schools
- Promote the rewarding career of public health nursing in Alaska
- Continue to strengthen internal process and work culture to ensure staff excel



State Overdose Response



NEW expanded data dashboard – connecting communities to their data



High Intensity Drug Trafficking Areas (HIDTA) partnership



Opioid Settlement Steering Committee

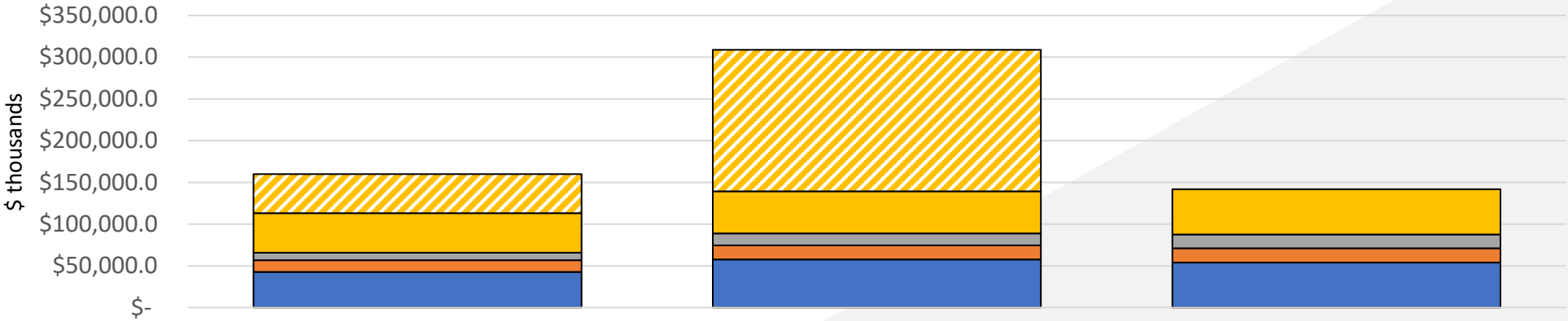


Public Health

Mission: To protect and promote the health of Alaskans.

Operating Budget and Position History (FY2023-FY2025)

Dollars in thousands

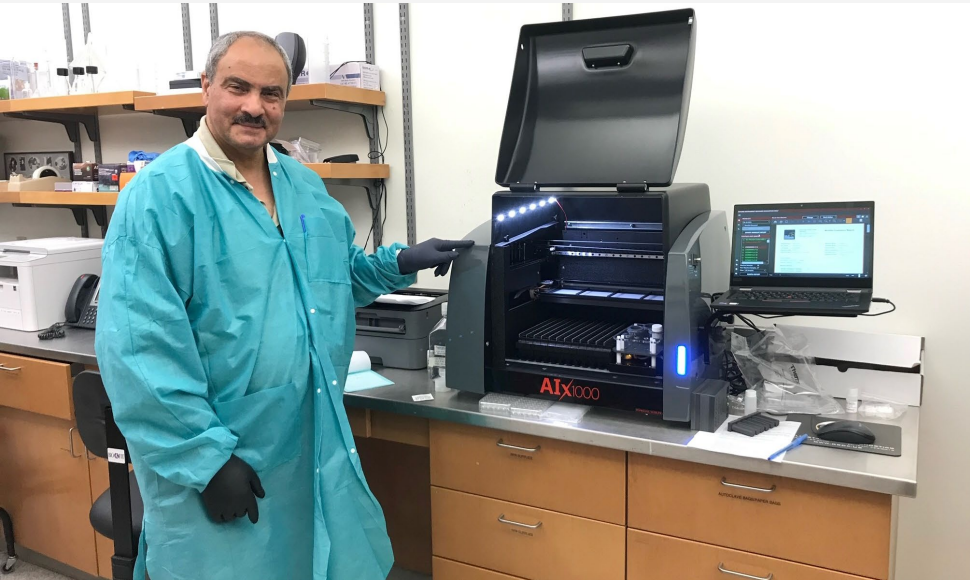


	FY2023 Actuals	FY2024 Management Plan	FY2025 Governor Amended
UGF	\$ 42,716.1	\$ 57,740.4	\$ 54,054.8
DGF	\$ 14,104.5	\$ 16,942.9	\$ 17,104.4
Other	\$ 9,067.1	\$ 14,329.8	\$ 16,545.3
Federal	\$ 47,338.3	\$ 50,286.3	\$ 54,241.7
Federal (COVID-19)	\$ 46,860.8	\$ 169,495.2	\$ -
Total	\$ 160,086.8	\$ 308,794.6	\$ 141,946.2

FY2025 Governor Amended Budget						
Component	UGF	DGF	Other	Federal	Grand Total	FT Postions
Nursing	\$ 25,442.5	\$ 654.2	\$ 5.0	\$ 6,713.7	\$ 32,815.4	154
Women, Children, and Family Health	\$ 2,956.0	\$ 1,810.2	\$ 2,028.4	\$ 9,425.4	\$ 16,220.0	42
Public Health Administrative Services	\$ 1,604.1	\$ -	\$ 25.8	\$ 1,769.8	\$ 3,399.7	20
Emergency Programs	\$ 2,535.6	\$ 785.4	\$ 7,001.4	\$ 7,713.0	\$ 18,035.4	30
Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion	\$ 5,865.3	\$ 8,535.7	\$ 3,050.8	\$ 10,479.4	\$ 27,931.2	44
Epidemiology	\$ 4,217.8	\$ 253.3	\$ 3,014.3	\$ 12,238.3	\$ 19,723.7	71
Bureau of Vital Statistics	\$ 25.9	\$ 3,660.5	\$ 384.4	\$ 1,827.5	\$ 5,898.3	33
Emergency Medical Services Grants	\$ 2,632.4	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 551.3	\$ 3,183.7	0
State Medical Examiner	\$ 3,891.7	\$ 20.0	\$ 25.0	\$ 268.6	\$ 4,205.3	19
Public Health Laboratories	\$ 4,883.5	\$ 1,385.1	\$ 1,010.2	\$ 3,254.7	\$ 10,533.5	43
Grand Total	\$ 54,054.8	\$ 17,104.4	\$ 16,545.3	\$ 54,241.7	\$ 141,946.2	456



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