

Communicable Disease Testing and Prevention

Age Requirements

No Age Requirement

Available 24/7

No

Other Eligibility Criteria

Resident of Portsmouth

Family

No

Intake Process

Most services require an appointment, please call ahead.

Provider Refer

No

Report Problems

Call the Agency

Self Refer

Yes

Portsmouth City Health Department

<http://www.vdh.virginia.gov/lhd/portsmouth/>

<https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/portsmouth/communicable-disease/>

<https://www.facebook.com/VDHgov>

Main

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Monday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Tuesday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Wednesday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Thursday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Friday: 8:00 am-4:30 pm

Saturday: Closed

Sunday: Closed

Fee Structure

Fee Range

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Sliding Scale Fee

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Call for Information

Payment Method(s)

Private Pay

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Private Insurance

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Medicaid

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Medicare

Languages Spoken

English

The Portsmouth Health Department's Communicable Disease program works to lower the chance of illness and death from infectious diseases in the community. The staff consists of trained physicians, nurses, and epidemiologists. This department receives reports of communicable diseases from local physicians, hospitals, clinics, and laboratories. These reports are investigated to prevent and contain the spread of diseases and monitor trends.

Communicable diseases can include influenza (seasonal and pandemic), Lyme disease, rabies, West Nile virus, whooping cough, MRSA, and more. The staff gather information, provide counseling and education to clients with reportable diseases, and investigate outbreaks in the community.

Service Area(s)

Portsmouth City

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