

# **Environmental Health Services**

Bexley

Q4 Reporting Period: October 1 to December 31, 2024

## **Community Environmental Health**

**Rabies Control** – 161 exposure events were reported to Franklin County Public Health during the fourth quarter of 2024. The following five animal exposures were investigated in Bexley between October 1, 2024, to December 31, 2024, and are listed in the table below.

Date	Species	Breed	Quarantine Status
10/20/2024	Dog	American Staffordshire Terrier	Released
10/24/2024	Dog	Mixed	Released
11/07/2024	Dog	Mixed	Released
11/11/2024	Dog	Blue Heeler	Released
12/29/2024	Dog	Beagle	Released

### Public Swimming Pools –

Franklin County Public Health currently has 396 licensed recreational water facilities. There are 9 licensed pools, spas, or special use pools in Bexley. The licensing year is from June 1, 2024, to May 31, 2025. Standard pool inspections will be conducted at least twice per licensing year. Pool inventory inspections are conducted once per year. Inventory inspections document pool equipment including pool pumps, filters, chemical feeders, drain covers, and other facility specific equipment. Two inspections were conducted during this quarter at the locations listed below:

Date	Facility	Inspection Type
11/04/2024	Dedger-Rose Jones Natatorium	Standard
12/03/2024	Columbus School for Girls	Standard

### Body Art –

Franklin County Public Health currently has 98 body art facilities. The licensing period is from January 1, 2024, through December 31, 2024. Body art includes traditional tattoo and body piercing, but it also includes permanent make-up or reconstructive procedures such as microblading, micro-needling, scalp micropigmentation, and scar camouflage. FCPH licenses two body art businesses in Bexley, both of which perform permanent makeup and/or reconstructive procedures. FCPH inspects body art facilities at least once during the licensing period. One standard inspection and one consultation were conducted during this quarter and are listed below.

Date	Facility
12/3/2024	The Browtique
12/12/2024	The Browtique



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### Food Safety and School Health

One new facility was opened.

Total Licensed Food Facilities			
Mobile	FSO/RFE	Vending	Schools
3	52	0	6

Inspections ConductedStandard20Follow-Up1Complaint0Consultation2Schools6Foodborne3

Complaints:

Date	Facility	Complaint	Status

#### Plumbing and Medical Gas

The following inspections were conducted during this time period.

Туре	Inspections
Residential	59
Commercial	8
Medical Gas	0

#### Sustainability

Public Health Nuisance Complaints-Connected with Bexley Code Enforcement (Matt) to see if there was any additional assistance FCPH could provide regarding the Boiler issue at Bexley House.

Respectfully Submitted by: Sarah Jensen; Assistant Health Commissioner & Environmental Health Director-01/10/2025