



# DOH in Putnam County

Florida Department of Health  
2801 Kennedy Street  
Palatka, FL 32177  
386-326-3200



**Size:** Small  
**Number of FTEs:** 67  
**Approved Operating Budget:** \$4,502,881  
**Number of CHD Sites:** 4

## Demographics (2017)

Population – 73,464  
White – 80.5%  
Black – 16.3%  
Hispanic – 10.2%  
Male – 49.4%  
Female – 50.6%  
Median age – 44.5  
Under 5 years old – 5.8%  
People under 100% poverty – 20.3%  
Civilian labor force unemployed – 11.4%

## CHD Services #LiveWellPutnam

Dental Services  
Diabetes Prevention and Management  
Environmental Health  
Emergency Preparedness & Response  
Epidemiology  
Family Planning and Pregnancy Testing  
Florida Breast Cancer Program  
Florida Healthy Babies  
Healthy Weight  
Healthy Families Putnam  
HIV/AIDS (PrEP and nPEP)  
Immunizations  
Insulin Program  
School Health  
Sexually Transmitted Infections  
Spay and Neuter Voucher Program  
Tobacco Prevention/SWAT  
Tuberculosis  
Vital Statistics  
Violence Intervention Prevention Program  
Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)

## Administrator – Mary Garcia

386-326-3254 (o) or 386-937-0962 (m)

- Appointed 2013
- Master's in Business Administration from Emory University's Goizueta Business School and a bachelor's degree in zoology from Duke University (specializing in Immunology and Microbiology)

## Leadership Team

**Terrie Flaherty**, Business OPS Manager  
**Kena Foster**, Senior CHN Director  
**Carol Kazounis**, Community Health Services Director  
**Floyd Williams**, Environmental Health Mgr  
**Freda Lucena**, WIC Program Director  
**Cynthia D'Agostine**, Accreditation Coordinator / PIO  
**Caprice Welton**, HR Liaison  
**Joe Cobb**, PHP Planner

## Community Priorities (2017-2022)

Access to Care  
Chronic Diseases and Health Behaviors  
Quality of Life Concerns

## Current Issues

Insufficient Health Education  
Lack of Knowledge about Services  
Transportation  
Diabetes  
Cancer  
Addiction

## Data Sources

[Administrative Snapshot](#)  
[Florida CHARTs - Social and Economic Factors](#)

[October 2018](#) – Annual Budget  
[DOH-Putnam website](#)