Public Health in Philadelphia

Children up-to-date on immunizations 19-35 months of age

- 2000: 45%
- 2013: 80%

Breastfeeding mothers

More than two-thirds (67%) of new moms breastfeed their babies

Elevated blood lead levels in children, 0-5 years of age

2%

Teens who smoke, 9th-12th grade

The percentage has been cut in half since 2001 (from 16% to 8%)

Children exposed to secondhand smoke at home

- 2004: 28%
- 2014/15: 14%

Air quality in Philadelphia

Almost half of all days in Philadelphia (47%) have good air quality

Source: 2015 Community Health Assessment, Philadelphia Department of Public Health