



# Richland Public Health

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Dear Parents and Guardians,

Richland Public Health is currently working hard at collecting data from residents of Richland County and we need your help. Every 4 years, we collect vital information about the health and wellbeing of **residents of all ages**. This assessment, known as the Community Health Assessment, will ask a series of questions about your physical and mental health as well as the activities you participate in. We will use the results of this assessment to form our Community Health Improvement Plan which tells us how we can improve the health, well-being, and quality of life for everyone in Richland County. It is important that everyone participate in this assessment so that we can get a clear, accurate assessment of the entire County. Your child(ren) received a special link to participate in the youth, ages 12-18, survey that is unique to your school. This unique link will allow us to get school specific data that will help each district identify any additional resources that may need. We are asking that you please encourage your child to participate in the assessment. In addition, we need hear from the you! The link to the adult (19+) and child (0-11) surveys can be found at [richlandhealth.org/livewell](http://richlandhealth.org/livewell). We appreciate you taking the time to complete this assessment for yourself and anyone in your household ages 0-11. If you have any questions or concerns about this assessment, please email [chps@richlandhealth.org](mailto:chps@richlandhealth.org) or call 419-774-4761.

In good health,

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