Darke County General Health District

Jordan Francis, MPH, Health Commissioner

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THE DARKE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH ESTABLISHES FEES FOR THE FOLLOWING SERVICES: AUTHORIZED BY SENATE BILL 136 AND HOUSE BILL 700 AND SECTION 3709.09 OF THE OHIO REVISED CODE

December 9, 2025 **TO BE EFFECTIVE: JANUARY 1, 2026**

State & Lab fees are not set by the local health department, are in addition to local fees, & are subject to change at any time.

FOOD SERVICE/ FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS

COMMERCIAL	**LOCAL**	**+**	**STATE**	**=**	**TOTAL FEE**
I (LESS THAN 25,000 SQ. FT.)	$297.98	+	$28.00	=	$325.98
II	$337.10	+	$28.00	=	$365.10
III	$654.82	+	$28.00	=	$682.82
IV	$833.24	+	$28.00	=	$861.24
I (GREATER THAN 25,000 SQ. FT.)	$435.70	+	$28.00	=	$463.70
II	$459.18	+	$28.00	=	$487.18
III	$1,656.48	+	$28.00	=	$1,684.48
IV	$1,756.64	+	$28.00	=	$1,784.64
NON-COMMERCIAL					
I (LESS THAN 25,000 SQ. FT.)	$148.99	+	$14.00	=	$162.99
II	$168.55	+	$14.00	=	$182.55
III	$327.41	+	$14.00	=	$341.41
IV	$416.62	+	$14.00	=	$430.62
I (GREATER THAN 25,000 SQ. FT.)	$217.85	+	$14.00	=	$231.85
II	$229.59	+	$14.00	=	$243.59
III	$828.24	+	$14.00	=	$842.24
IV	$878.32	+	$14.00	=	$892.32

MOBILE FOOD SERVICE OPERATION (FS0) / MOBILE RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT (RFE)

High Risk Mobile FSO/ High Risk Mobile RFE	$161.80	+	$28.00	=	$189.80
Low Risk Mobile FSO/ Low Risk Mobile RFE	$80.90	+	$28.00	=	$108.90

TEMPORARY FOOD SERVICE/ RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT

Each day event	$18.68
Non commerical - may require proof of 501(c)(3), each day	$9.34

A temporary food service license may be issued for one occurrence and one location to operate no more than a total of 5 days and no more than 10 licenses a year.

VENDING

Each location	$10.48	+	$6.00	=	$16.48

To be increased by Consumer Price Index (CPI) annually until fee reaches maximum cost per cost analysis.

There is a mandatory penalty fee of 25% of the renewal fees for operating a food service operation or a retail food establishment without a license after the deadline. (Chapter 3717 of the Ohio Revised Code)

*****Some food facilities may require a water sample of a private water well**

Plan review fee is 30% of the local license fee based on risk level

FOOD PROTECTION COURSES:

Level One Certification in food Protection Training Course:	$25.00 per person
Level Two Certification in Food Protection Training Course:	$150.00 per person
Level Two Exam only:	$50 per person

Note: If on private water well, water sample will be required.

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HOME SEWAGE TREATMENT	LOCAL	+	STATE	=	TOTAL FEE
Site Reviews:					
Site review application for a new HSTS or GWRS	$375.00	+	$0.00	=	$375.00
Site review for existing or replacement HSTS **After 1st visit	$60.00		$0.00	=	$60.00
Installation Permits:					
Permit for the new installation or replacement of an HSTS & GWRS	$490.00	+	$74.00	=	$564.00
Permit for the alteration of an existing HSTS & GWRS	$340.00	+	$35.00	=	$375.00

*FEE IS DOUBLED IF WORK IS STARTED BEFORE SITE APPROVAL OR BEFORE PERMIT ISSUANCE ON ALL SEWAGE INSPECTIONS
*NOTE: FOR SFOSTS, THE EPA MUST CONTACT THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA)

Operation & Maintenance (O & M) :

Operation Permit Fee:					
Operation permit for 1st year no matter the system type	$5.00	+	$0.00	=	$5.00
Operation permit fee for all systems also those with a service contract, ex: NPDES	$15.00	+	$0.00	=	$15.00
Operation Inspection Fee:					
Conventional, soil based (example: septic tank with leach bed) (5 year permit to be billed on inspecting year for next 5 year period)	$110.00	+	$0.00	=	$110.00
Dry wells & Sand filters: (3 year permit to be billed on inspecting year for next 3 year period)	$125.00	+	$0.00	=	$125.00
Aeration, mound, or other mechanical system (2 year permit to be billed on inspecting year for next 2 year period)	$85.00	+	$0.00	=	$85.00
Vacant Home Septic Monitoring	$10.00	+	$0.00	=	$10.00
O&M Late fee					25%
Each additional re-inspection (as authorized by ORC 3718.02 and OAC 3701-29-09)	$60.00	+	$0.00	=	$60.00

The operation permit fee for experimental systems will be based upon the type of system and the number of inspections necessary to complete the operation permitting requirements or a service contract may be required.

For existing septic evaluations for home sale, landsplit- NO CHANGES will be made on the O&M program, including discount on fee &/or changes to the monitoring period. However, if warranted, we can reduce the cost of the inspection. For example, if the O&M has been completed within the last year by a Sanitarian, we can reduce the cost of the application fee by removing the septic evaluation fee. Note: H/O will still need to have the tank pumped if it has been over a year since that was completed.

Special Service Inspections:

Special Service Sewage Only Inspection (Home Sales/ room edition/ refinance)	$310.00	+	$0.00	=	$310.00
Sewage Inspection for Land split	$420.00	+	$0.00	=	$420.00
Survey Review for Land split	$150.00	+	$0.00	=	$150.00
Registrations:					
Installer Registration	$200.00	+	$0.00	=	$200.00
Homeowner (owner occupied) Installer Registration:	$50.00	+	$0.00		$50.00
Service Provider Registration	$200.00	+	$0.00	=	$200.00
Homeowner (owner occupied) Service Provider Registration:	$50.00	+	$0.00		$50.00
Septic Hauler Registration	$200.00	+	$0.00	=	$200.00
Plus permit fee for EACH additional truck	$12.00	+	$0.00	=	$12.00
Scavenger site evaluation	$100.00	+	$0.00	=	$100.00
Miscellaneous					
Abandonment of a HSTS or GWRS	$0.00	+	$0.00	=	$0.00
Site visit for a variance under OAC 3701-29-18	$60.00	+	$0.00	=	$60.00
Special device, Product review, Experimental, New	$500.00	+	$0.00	=	$500.00

For sample collection there is a $60 collection fee plus lab fees

PRIVATE WATER SYSTEMS (PWS)	Application fee	State fee	+	Water test	=	TOTAL FEE
Single Family	$435.00	$94.00	+	$47.45	=	$576.45
(Cisterns, springs, hauled water storage tanks do not get charged the $20 ODNR Fee)						
Non-Single Family	$445.00	$94.00	+	$47.45	=	$586.45
(Ponds, Cisterns, springs, hauled water storage tanks do not get charged the $20 ODNR Fee)						
Test Well	$130.00	$94.00	+	$47.45	=	$271.45
Pond (Single Family Dwelling)	$350.00	$74.00	+	$47.45	=	$471.45
Converstion of a well not previously used as a PWS						
Single Family	$176.00	$94.00	+	$47.45	=	$317.45
Non-Single Family	$186.00	$94.00	+	$47.45	=	$327.45

Alteration	Application fee	State fee	+	Water test	=	TOTAL FEE
Single Family	$229.00	$0.00	+	$47.45	=	$276.45
Non-Single Family	$239.00	$0.00	+	$47.45	=	$286.45

SEALING OF PWS	Application fee	State fee	=	TOTAL FEE
Single Family	$145.00	$0.00	=	$145.00
Non-Single Family	$155.00	$0.00	=	$155.00

VARIANCE REQUEST (site visit)	$60.00	$0.00	=	$60.00

PWS CONTRACTOR INSPECTION FEE	$175.00

WATER SAMPLE FEES						
Bacteria water sample (Collection Fee + Lab)		$113.00	+	$47.45	=	$160.45
Nitrate (Collection fee + Lab)		$113.00	+	$47.45	=	$160.45
Other Samples (Collection fee + Lab)						

** NOTE: Water sample lab fees may change or vary depending on lab and testing.

Water Hauler Registration Fee:	$200.00
Each additional truck:	$15
Hauling water prior to registration & inspection	**25% of Registration Fee**
Hauling water from an unapproved water source to a PWS by a registered or unregistered contractor	$200

Food Package Plant Inspection Program	Fee
2 inspections per year	$400.00

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION	LOCAL	+	STATE	=	TOTAL FEE
Truck inspection fee	$25.00	+	$0.00	=	$25.00

RECREATION CAMP - RV COMBINED PARK/ CAMP

Combined Park/ Camp	LOCAL + amount for each over 50			+	STATE	=	TOTAL FEE	
0-50 sites	$465.00	plus	$0.00	+	$110.00	=	$575.00	
50+ sites	$465.00	plus	$0.56	+	$110.00	=	$575.56	Minimum
	Increase							
Temporary Camp/ Park								
0-50 sites	$58.00	plus	$0.00	+	$0.00	=	$58.00	Per event
50+ sites	$58.00	plus	$0.05	+	$0.00	=	$58.05	Minimum

A temporary park/ camp license may be issued for one occurrence and one location to operate no more than a total of 7 consecutive days and a maximum of 21 days per year.

SWIMMING POOL	LOCAL	+	STATE	=	TOTAL FEE
** First Initial Charge will be the highest fee whether pool, spa, or special use if additional exists					
Individual Public Swimming Pools	$384.25	+	$80.00	=	$464.25
Individual Public Spas	$328.30	+	$80.00	=	$408.30
Individual Special Use Pools	$660.50	+	$80.00	=	$740.50
All Governmental Pool, Spa, Special Use	$325.00	+	$80.00	=	$405.00
All Additional (located at same address)	$300.00	+	$55.00	=	$355.00
Note: Currently the State charges $80.00 on the first pool and $55.00 on the second pool.					
License transfer fee:	$100.00	+	$0.00	=	$100.00

Water Sampling fee: Laboratory costs as set by the laboratory

BATHING BEACH	LOCAL	+	Beach Grab	=	TOTAL FEE
Non-governmental	$178.50	+	$47.45	=	$225.95
Governmental	$175.00	+	$47.45	=	$222.45
Plan Review	$50.00			=	$50.00

One sample included; additional samples are set by laboratory and are subject to change.

COMBINED BODY ART OPERATIONS	
ALL PLAN REVIEWS - 30% OF TOTAL COST OF LICENSE	FEE
Combined Body Art (Tattoo & Body Piercing)	$380.00
Temporary Body Art License (Tattoo & Body Piercing)	$200.00

** Note: If on private water well, water sample will be required.

METROPOLITAN HOUSING:	
Water & Sewer	$100.00
Housing Inspection	$60.00
Home Day Care	$60.00

PLUMBING		LOCAL	+	STATE	=	TOTAL FEE
Plumbing Registration (plumbing bond at least $20,000)		$175.00	+	$0.00	=	$175.00
Journeyman		$40.00	+	$0.00	=	$40.00
Apprentice		$15.00	+	$0.00	=	$15.00
Sewer & Water Installer		$175.00	+	$0.00	=	$175.00
Appliance Installer		$175.00	+	$0.00	=	$175.00
Plumbing Permit	base fee +fixture fees	$70.00	+	$0.00	=	$70.00
Each fixture		$15.00	+	$0.00	=	$15.00
Backflow only		$30.00	+	$0.00	=	$30.00
Water Heater only		$30.00	+	$0.00	=	$30.00
Water Softener only		$30.00	+	$0.00	=	$30.00
Sump Pump		$30.00	+	$0.00	=	$30.00
Other Additional Component Inspection		$30.00	+	$0.00	=	$30.00
Gas Inspections		$30.00	+	$0.00	=	$30.00
Gutter and Downspouts		$30.00	+	$0.00	=	$30.00
Modular Home Plumbing permit		$110.00	+	$0.00	=	$110.00
Plan Review Residential		$25.00	+	$0.00	=	$25.00
Plan Review Commercial - 30% of permit, $45.00 minimum						
Plumbing permit extension fee		$60.00	+	$0.00	=	$60.00
2nd extension request for permits		$100.00	+	$0.00	=	$100.00
Sanitary Lateral (this fee subject to change depending on project)		$100.00	+	$0.00	=	$100.00

*note includes two inspections, additional is $60

There is a mandatory penalty fee of $75.00 or 25% of the permit fee whichever is greater for failure to obtain a plumbing permit prior to starting work.

RABIES SHIPPING COSTS: $27.00 *Subject to change at any time as costs fluctuate daily*

RABIES TESTING COST: Fee set by State Health Department and subject to change at anytime

RE-INSPECTION FEE FOR APPLICABLE PROGRAMS	$60.00
ADDITIONAL INSPECTION FEE	$60.00
INSPECTION FEE FOR PROGRAM NOT LISTED	$60.00

25% LATE FEE FOR ALL LATE/ DELINQUENT FEES FOR ALL PROGRAMS UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.
(This includes failure to apply for the necessary permits prior to starting work.)

Requests for information or copies: 10 cents per page (single sided) **15 cents per page (double sided)**

$35.00 FEE FOR ALL RETURNED CHECKS

VITAL STATISTICS	**LOCAL**		**STATE**		**TOTAL FEE**
Certified copy birth	$10.50	+	$13.50	=	$24.00
Certified copy death	$10.50	+	$13.50	=	$24.00
Burial permits	$0.50	+	$9.50	=	$10.00

	VACCINE FEES
Bexsero Men B 0, 6 mo.	**$195.00**
Covid Moderna 12 yrs and older	**$145.00**
FLU	**$40.00**
FLU High Dose (Ages 65 & older)	**$90.00**
Gardasil (HPV9) 0, 1 mo., 5 mo. (after age 15)	Prior to age 15 only need 2 doses 6 months apart **$350.00 x 3**
Hepatitis A 0., 6 mo.	**$95 X 2**
Heplisav Hep B 0, 30 days	**$160.00**
MMR	**$110.00**
Menveo	**$140.00**
Polio	**$65.00**
Prevnar 20	**$270.00**
RSV Arexvy 60 & older	**$285.00**
RSV Abrysvo	**$300.00**
Shingrix 0, 2 mo.	**$245 x 2**
TB Skin Test	**$20.00**
Tdap	**$60.00**
Varicella	**$215.00**
Typhoid Good for 2 yrs.	**$185.00**
Travel Vaccine Consultation	**$30.00**
Copies of Immunizations Record	**$1 per page**

C: Sandie/form/2026 Vaccine fees posted in clinic

Effective 08/14/2026