

The focus of NC Local Health Department Accreditation is on the capacity of the local health department to perform at a prescribed, basic level of quality.



Accreditation provides a framework for a health department to:

- identify performance improvement opportunities,
 - improve management,
 - develop leadership, and
- improve relationships with the community.

Public Health Accreditation Board, 2013

Davidson County Health Department originally received accreditation in 2007.

We were re-accredited in 2012 and 2016. Our next accreditation cycle will be in 2020.

The process is one that will challenge the health department to think about what business it does and how it does that business.