

# DAVID J. SENCER CDC MUSEUM

History • Legacy • Innovation

The **David J. Sencer CDC Museum** was established in 1996 in conjunction with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) 50th anniversary. The CDC Museum is designed to educate visitors about the value of prevention-based public health, while presenting the CDC's rich heritage and vast accomplishments. The museum is free and open to the public Monday through Friday, 9 AM – 5 PM, with hours extended to 7 PM on Thursday.

## MUSEUM FEATURES

**Permanent Exhibitions:** *The Story of CDC* explores the history of CDC and the *Global Symphony*, a multi-screen multimedia installation, features 150 media vignettes and four absorbing videos.

**Changing Exhibitions:** The CDC Museum mounts four temporary exhibitions a year, each related to CDC's work.

**CDC Disease Detective Camp:** This day camp is designed for high-school juniors and seniors, who take on the roles of disease detectives as they learn about public health and epidemiology.

**Teacher Workshops:** Professional development training is designed to support science education and the incorporation of public health concepts into existing classroom curricula.

**CDC History Collection:** The CDC Museum preserves CDC's rich heritage through a collection of current and historic materials reflecting the art, history, and science of CDC.

**Tours:** Tours are offered for groups of 10 or more.

## STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

**Support** CDC's mission to prevent disease, injuries and disability and to encourage healthy lifestyles through all stages of life

**Inform** and educate people about public health, demonstrating its relevance and impact on their lives

**Educate** middle- and high-school students and families about epidemiology and the science of public health

**Serve** as CDC's "public" face to promote the past, present, and future work of the agency

**PARKING IS FREE. YOU'LL NEED A GOVERNMENT-ISSUED PHOTO ID, SUCH AS A DRIVER'S LICENSE OR PASSPORT, FOR ENTRY. VEHICLE INSPECTION IS ALSO REQUIRED.**

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