

Mission:

To protect, promote & improve the health of all people in Florida through integrated state, county & community efforts.



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Vision: To be the **Healthiest State** in the Nation

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Group Care Facility

All facilities licensed/inspected by the Florida Department of Health in Okaloosa County must go through certain requirements to be inspected and receive a certificate by this department:

- An appointment must be made with the Environmental Supervisor or Environmental Inspector for a plan review on the proposed facility. At this time a set of floor plans drawn to scale, showing all dimensions, indicating pertinent items such as plumbing and sanitary facilities and designations of all rooms must be provided. (Schools must show classrooms, and all water coolers, and designated staff/student restrooms).
- **Schools, Adult Living Facilities, and other Residential facilities a \$123.00 plan review and inspection fee will be charged. (Additional inspection fees, \$50.00, may be charged for each inspection made prior to opening.)**
- A sign off sheet will be given. All agencies and departments must indicate final approval before the facility will be opened.
- A certificate will only be issued following successful completion of the plan review process, construction/ pre-opening inspections of the facility, and payment of all appropriate fees. All documents in the application packet and a check for the appropriate fee must be submitted to this office. Upon receipt of the fees and application packet, the Receipt Certificate will be mailed to the facility at the mailing address indicated on the application.

Please call us at 850/689-7859 for the Crestview office or 850/833-9247 for the Fort Walton Beach office if you have additional questions.