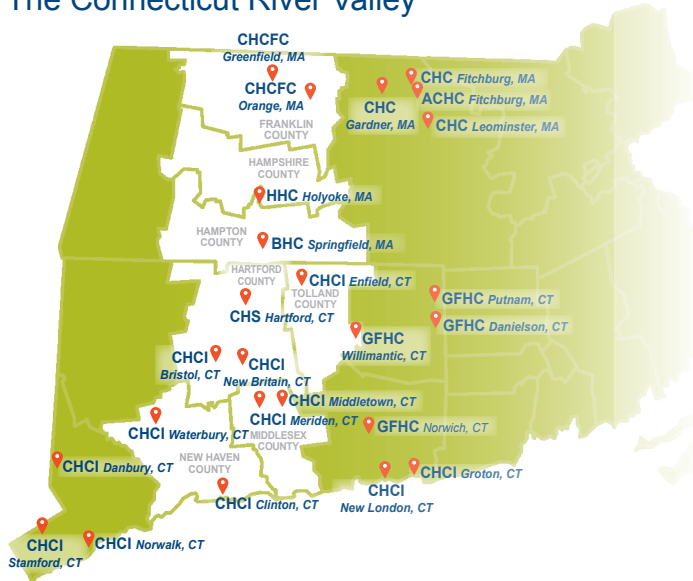


Our Service Area

The Connecticut River Valley



What is the Connecticut River Valley Region?

The Connecticut River Valley is the largest agricultural region in New England. Running north to south along the Connecticut River, it extends from the Vermont border of Massachusetts to the Long Island Sound.

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Participating Community Health Centers

Connecticut

Community Health Center, Inc. (CHCI)

675 Main Street, Middletown, CT (multiple locations)

24-Hour Access: 860-347-6971

Outreach Contact

Joelle Isidor: 860-398-2250

Carmen Davila: 860-815-7042

Community Health Services (CHS)

500 Albany Avenue, Hartford, CT

24-Hour Access: 860-249-9625

Outreach Contacts

Patricia Miles: 860-808-8746 860-888-4638

Generations Family Health Center (GFHC)

40 Mansfield Avenue, Willimantic, CT (multiple locations)

24-Hour Access: 860-450-7471

Outreach Contacts

Vlad Rivera: 860-450-7471 x6301 860-576-7518

Glory Cruz: 860-450-7471 x6507 860-207-4901

Massachusetts

Baystate Brightwood Health Center (BHC)

380 Plainfield Street, Springfield, MA

24-Hour Access: 413-794-4458

Outreach Contact

Luis Santiago-Gaetan: 413-794-9409

Community Health Center of Franklin County (CHCFC)

102 Main Street, Greenfield, MA
(Sites also in Greenfield & Orange)

24-Hour Access: 413-325-8500

Outreach Contact

Victor Almeida: 413-325-8500 x145 413-834-2174

Community Health Connections (CHC)

326 Nichols Road, Fitchburg, MA (multiple locations)

24-Hour Access: 978-878-8100

Outreach Contact

Angelica Sanchez: 978-878-8453



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Medical Needs

Agricultural workers face hazardous working conditions and experience many barriers to accessing health care. They may suffer from high rates of diabetes, chronic hypertension, and dental disease. Occupational exposures to pesticides are a risk factor for many illnesses. Common conditions include musculoskeletal problems, dermatitis and rashes, headaches, and eye problems.

What Services are Provided by the CRVFHP?*

Primary Medical Care services including:

- ✓ Outpatient physician visits at CRVFHP health centers
- ✓ Screenings & immunizations
- ✓ Vision care
- ✓ COVID-19 testing & vaccination
- ✓ Outpatient mental health & substance abuse services
- ✓ Diagnostic laboratory & X-ray services
- ✓ Dental care services
- ✓ Pharmacy services

*Depending on income level, agricultural worker patients may be asked to pay a co-payment. Services will not be denied based on their inability to pay.

Outreach Services

Our outreach teams provide health education and disease prevention services to improve the quality of life for agricultural workers and their families. All outreach work is adapted to the language and culture of patients. They also provide transportation to medical appointments and make referrals for other needed services.



Who is Eligible for Services?

Migratory and seasonal agricultural workers and their families who are uninsured or underinsured are eligible while living and working in the Connecticut River Valley. Agricultural workers working in aquaculture, animal production, and direct farming of seasonal crops are eligible. Agricultural work includes cultivating, harvesting, or preparing seasonal crops for market or storage.

A **migratory agricultural worker** is a person whose main employment is agricultural work within the last 24 months, and establishes a temporary home for the purpose of this employment.

A **seasonal agricultural worker** is a person who has been employed in agriculture on a seasonal basis in the last 24 months, and does not establish a temporary home for the purpose of employment.

For more information about eligibility, please contact us, or visit www.crvfhp.org.