

Experience

Family & Consumer Sciences

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Programming focus: Chronic Disease Prevention/Healthy Lifestyles; Food Safety and Preservation

The Thomas County Family and Consumer Sciences program is re-establishing after 9 years of vacancy. The new focus of the program will be to establish community health collaborations to address the needs for education for chronic disease prevention and the importance of nutrition and an active lifestyle. Other new goals of the Thomas County Family and Consumer Sciences program is to provide food safety and sanitation resources through offering ServSafe training courses and partnering with the local state farmer's market to provide on-site food demonstrations and distribution of research-based educational materials.

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