

**The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), located in Atlanta, Georgia, USA, is an agency of the Department of Health and Human Services.**

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**CDC Mission:**

**To promote health and quality of life by preventing and controlling disease, injury, and disability**

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**CDC Pledge:**

CDC pledges to the American people:

- To be a diligent steward of the funds entrusted to it.
  - To provide an environment for intellectual and personal growth and integrity.
  - To base all public health decisions on the highest quality scientific data, openly and objectively derived.
  - To place the benefits to society above the benefits to the institution.
  - To treat all persons with dignity, honesty, and respect.
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**CDC Employees and Locations:**

- Approximately 6,900 employees in 170 occupations
- Locations:
  - CDC facilities
    - Anchorage, Alaska
    - Atlanta, Georgia
    - Cincinnati, Ohio
    - Fort Collins, Colorado
    - Morgantown, West Virginia
    - Pittsburgh, PA
    - Research Triangle Park, N.C.
    - San Juan, Puerto Rico

- Spokane, WA
  - Washington, D.C. area
  - Other Countries
  - Quarantine offices
  - State and local health agencies
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**CDC Employees and Facilities in the Atlanta Area:**

- Approximately 4,600 employees
  - 1,648 at headquarters on Clifton Road
  - Remainder at other locations:
    - Buckhead
    - Corporate Square
    - Chamblee
    - Executive Park
    - Koger Center
    - Lawrenceville
    - Tucker
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