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Period product dispensers installed across Hamilton County buildings



Hamilton County has announced the installation of no-cost period product dispensers in public restrooms in Hamilton County buildings.

Hamilton County commissioners supported the installation of the dispensers as part of a move to improve the healthcare infrastructure in public buildings.

Over 70 free-period product dispensers are available to the public at the following locations:

- o Hamilton County Juvenile Court Youth Center at 2020 Auburn Avenue
- o Hamilton County Public Health Department at 250 William Howard Taft
- o Times-Star Building at 800 Broadway Building
- Hamilton County Job and Family Services, Alms & Doepke Building
- Hamilton County Courthouse
- o Hamilton County Justice Center
- o Todd B. Portune Center for County Government
- William Howard Taft Center
- Hamilton County Communications Center (911 Dispatch)
- Sheriff Patrol Headquarters
- Hamilton County Coroner's Office and Crime Lab



"We know that period poverty is real. When there is access to free period products, students stay in class longer and workers are more productive," said commissioner Denise Driehaus, founder of the Commission on Women and Girls. "We need to go beyond the stigma and see period products for what they are – a basic necessity."

"The Commission on Women and Girls is excited to see this initiative come to fruition and proud of Hamilton County for leading by example. We encourage our partners across the region to consider taking this same step to support menstruators in their communities," said Mary Maune, program coordinator of the Hamilton County Commission on Women and Girls.

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