

Memorandum

Date: September 12, 2013

To: Southern Nevada District Board of Health

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Subject: Nursing Monthly Report – August 2013

DIVISION OF NURSING DIRECTOR REPORT

I. Immunization Program

A. Immunization Clinic Activities

1. Immunization clinic staff held a clinic in Laughlin. 25 children received 53 vaccines.
2. Back to School Valley View Immunization clinic offered extended hours from 8am to 6pm, August 12 – 23. East Las Vegas PHC and Henderson PHC each opened an additional day on Friday August 23rd.
3. Medical Reserve Corp (MRC) volunteers and pharmacy students assisted at all Immunization clinic locations as well as with Back to School events in the community.
4. Horizon Scientific, Inc., DBA American Biotech Supply donated vaccine refrigeration and freezer units to the Immunization clinic after the National Association of Chain Drug Stores Convention on August 13, 2013.
5. SNHD Immunization Back to School Mall clinics this year include; Meadows Mall vaccinated 226 clients with 517 vaccines given; Boulevard Mall vaccinated 268 clients with 673 vaccines given; Galleria Mall vaccinated 349 clients with 739 vaccines given; North Las Vegas PHC Immunizations vaccinated 1108 clients with 2740 vaccines given.

B. Immunization Outreach Activities

1. Staff conducted information booths at two events; Pulidor Foundation Back to School event at Heritage park in Las Vegas and Andson Foundation Back to School event at Goett Family Park in Southern Highlands.
2. SNHD staff member conducted the Nevada Immunization Learning Exchange webinar on "Child Care Immunization Requirements" with 74 attendees.
3. Back to school outreach August clinics include;
 - a. Culinary Health Fund; 304 children received 683 vaccinations.
 - b. Las Vegas Metro Police Department; 32 children received 82 vaccinations.
 - c. City of Las Vegas event at Clark High School; 46 children received 131 vaccinations.
 - d. La Oportunidad event at Cashman Center; 91 children received 198 vaccinations.

- e. Lorenzi Park event with Councilman Barlow; 78 children received 211 vaccinations.
- f. East Las Vegas Community Center event; 49 children received 133 vaccinations.
- g. City of Las Vegas YMCA event; 73 children received 208 vaccinations.

II. Community Health Nursing Program

A. Child Care Health Consultation (CCHC)

Two classes were provided at two different facilities by the Child Care Health Consultants (CCHCs) in August 2013. There were two new lead cases identified during the month of August. The Environmental Health Home evaluations are pending.

B. Nurse Family Partnership (NFP)

The Nurse-Family Partnership (NFP) program has 126 active clients. 43 clients are participating through the Maternal Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program made available through the Nevada Division of Health under the Affordable Care Act. The MIECHV Program has a goal of 50 clients. In addition, 57 Southern Nevada Health District Nurse-Family Partnership program clients are participating in the Mother and Infant Home Visiting Program Evaluation (MIHOPE) out of a goal of 60. MIHOPE is a mandated evaluation of home visitation programs requested by Congress as part of the funding provided under the Affordable Healthcare Act.

In August 2013, the NFP team implemented two NFP Quality Framework tools, the Nurse Patient Assessment and the Client Survey. The NFP National Service Office is instituting tested tools to better assess the quality of services provided under the NFP program.

III. Office of HIV/AIDS/STD- Prevention, Care, Surveillance

A. Prevention Services/Community Activities

High Impact Screening Sites:

1. Pahrump Pride
2. Charlie's
3. Gay and Lesbian Community Center
4. Richard Steele Health and Wellness (African American/Hispanic youth)
5. Clark County Detention Center (CCDC) (Correctional Screening)
6. Department of Juvenile Justice Services (DJJS) (Youth Correctional Screening)

B. Office of HIV/AIDS/STDS/Sexual Health Clinic Educational Presentations

1. Bi-monthly HIV Fundamentals Course, staff development as well as court ordered.
2. Monthly First time Offenders Prostitution Program (FOPP), court ordered.

In August, our CDC Project Officer for PS12-1201 HIV Prevention Grant, Kevin Ramos, conducted a site visit at Washoe County Health Department as well as Southern Nevada Health District. While in Clark County, Kevin Ramos toured our Sexual Health Clinic, The Gay and Lesbian Community Center and The Richard Steele Health and Wellness Community Center. Mr. Ramos observed our staff delivering grant funded services to clients as well as learning about the other services we offer at these locations. He met with various management/lead staff that provided a brief summary of our HIV Testing efforts, Condom Distribution programs, HIV Partner Services efforts, and HIV Data Control/Surveillance.

He provided positive feedback toward our efforts in Clark County and was impressed at the various services offered by SNHD staff specifically directed toward our higher risk populations.

C. Sexual Health Clinic (HIV and STD Care Services)

In the month of August, the SHC lab was inspected by the State. The inspection revealed no deficiencies and licensure was granted. Efforts this month have been focused on staff training and scanning of documents to move towards a paperless storing of medical records.

D. Surveillance

Surveillance continues to work diligently toward the Trisano Surveillance system for investigations and morbidity investigations. Our efforts have been focused on streamlining surveillance data entry processes.

IV. Tuberculosis Clinic

A. TB Clinic/Surveillance Activities

1. Completed the hiring of Brandon Osborn, Disease Investigation and Intervention Specialist.
2. Completed interviews for a CHN I/II staff nurse position.
3. TB staff conducted 6 in-services at the following locations: UMC, North Vista Hospital, and four units within Summerlin Hospital.
4. TB staff continues to investigate an active case (with fatalities) at a local Medical Center.

VI. Public Health Centers (PHC)

- A. **East Las Vegas** – The outlying public health centers along with Valley View have served tremendous number of clients during the August Back to School push. ELV processed 3,534 Immunization clients and provided Immunization Record Recovery for 1,058 clients. In addition to Immunization services the staff continued to provide walk-in Family Planning service for 678 clients and 7 children's exams. Total client service numbers 5,277.
- B. **Henderson** – Processed 1,796 clients for Immunizations, Immunization Record Recovery for 283 clients and provided Family Planning services for 277 clients.

VII. Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP)

A. Special Projects

1. On August 8, 2013 the Southern Nevada Teen Pregnancy Prevention Coalition (SNTPPC) sponsored a community forum. Over 75 community leaders were in attendance.
2. Teen Advocates for Pregnancy Prevention (TAPP) sponsored an "Open Mic Night" on August 16, 2013. The outreach event provided sexual health awareness and outreach to teens.
3. Teen Pregnancy Prevention sponsored a "Use Condom Sense" End of Summer Event at the Las Vegas Mini Grand Prix on August 24, 2013. Celebrities supported the "Use Condom Sense" campaign and over 643 youth and 113 adults attended the event.
4. Teen Pregnancy Prevention launched a new website in conjunction with the "Use Condom Sense" Summer Event. In one month alone The "Use Condom Sense" Face book page had 1057 likes and 128 Twitter followers.

IV. Family Planning Summary

See activity report for Family Planning statistics.

X. Nursing Development/Community Outreach Educator Program

A. Education

1. Conducted 1 CPR classes with 6 attending.
2. Conducted Immunization Didactic class with 16 attending.
3. Two presentations give by pharmacy students with 19 attending.
4. Approved CEUs for 2 presentations; Breastfeeding education and TB testing.

B. Student Activities

1. 12 UNLV Nursing students continue their community rotation.
2. Facilitated paperwork for 2 Pharmacy students.
3. Met with new UNLV Nursing instructor and discussed fall semester.

C. Other Activities

1. Worked in the TB Clinic 3 days a week.
2. Reviewed homework from Immunization Didactic class.

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Attachments: August Statistical Report
August Service Education Calendar
Back to School Fair Acknowledgement

**NURSING DIVISION MONTHLY REPORT
August 2013**

Client Encounters by Location	Valley View PHC	ELV PHC	Hend PHC	NLV PHC	Mesquite PHC	400 Shadow PHC	TB Clinic	Laughlin	Targeted Populations**	TOTAL
Immunizations	5,953	3,534	1,796	1,108	201			25	1,585	14,202
Healthy Kid's Exams	44	20								64
Kid's Clinic Exams	30	44	78							152
Family Planning		653	270							923
Newborn Metabolic Screening	6	7	0	2						15
Sexual Health Clinic (HIV & STD)						1,591				1,591
SNHD HIV Tests/Screening		117	34			491			1,244	1,886
TB Treatment/Control							3,918			3,918
MCH Services										0
Administrative Services*	1,526	1,053	273	188	28					3,068
Other Professional Services (BP, Travel Consult, Test Results, etc.)		5	10							15
TOTAL	7,559	5,433	2,461	1,298	229	2,082	3,918	25	2,829	25,834

* Copies, Medical Records, Shot Records, etc.

** Health Fairs, Adolescent Clinics, Childcare Clinics, Adult Imm, Shots 4 Tots, Refugee, Immunizations, Safenest, Early Head Start, etc.

= not applicable

CLIENT ENCOUNTERS BY PROGRAM

Programs	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Immunizations	46,100	39,639
Healthy Kid's Exams	558	***
Kid's Clinic Exams	679	***
Family Planning	9,129	9,614
Newborn Met. Screening	114	***
Sexual Health Clinic-HIV & STD	12,663	***
HIV Total HIV Tests	12,347	12,131
TB Treatment & Control	26,911	52,059
MCH Services	475	***
Administrative Services	7,523	***
Other Professional Services	147	***
TOTAL	116,646	113,443

*** Started collecting data January 2013

Not all services are available at all locations

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IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Flu Vaccine Given		11907	*
Gratis	977	8767	*
Exemption Class Attendees	21	82	*

VACCINES FOR CHILDREN (VFC)	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	Aug 2012
Number of VFC Providers	136		149
Number of Closed Providers	2	8	*
Number of New Enrollments		23	*
Number of VFC / AFIX Visits	21	158	1
Number of Feedback/Follow-Up Visits	76	461	31
Number of State Requested Visits	21	64	5
Average Immunization Rate For VFC Providers (4:3:1:3:3:1:4)	80%	63.43%	*

PERINATAL HEPATITIS B	Aug 2013	Aug 2012
Total Active Cases	175	236
# of Expectant Women	27	18
New Cases	1	6
Closed Cases	7	*

CHILDCARE PROGRAM	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Child Care Audits/Re-audits	9	356	*
Feedback	9	263	*
Average Immunization Rate	no audits	86%	*

VOLUNTEERS PROGRAM	# of Volunteers	YTD 2013	YTD 2012	# of Calls Made	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Hope Worldwide Nevada		12	22		1491	*

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COMMUNITY HEALTH Field Services	Nursing	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
MCH Team Home Visits		140	1266	1374
# Children referred to Growth/Developmental Specialist			21	*

COMMUNITY HEALTH Healthy Kid's Team Statistical Data	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Total Exams	64	676	4407
Fluoride Varnish	2	25	684
Hemocue	19	327	235
Lead	9	248	193
Ages & Stages	21	407	650

COMMUNITY HEALTH NFP Statistical Data	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Referrals	34	210	207
Enrolled	4	69	63
Active	126		

COMMUNITY HEALTH (MCH) Referrals Received	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
# of Referrals Rec'd	84	594	*
# from NICU	59	396	*
# from CPS	5	60	*
# of Lead Referrals	2	5	*
# of Total Admissions	8	76	*

COMMUNITY HEALTH Refugee Health Program	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Clients Seen	60	412	333
Clients Requiring Follow-up for Communicable Disease	10	92	75
Referrals for TB Issues	8	53	*
Referrals for Possible Chronic Hep B		12	*
Referrals for OVA & Parasites	2	25	*
Referrals for STD	1	10	*

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TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC		
	August 2013	YTD 2013
Number of Active Cases - Adult	2	39
Number of Active Cases - Pediatric	6	16
Number of Contact Investigations	2	35
Number of Latent Tuberculosis Infection (LTBI) cases (identified via contact investigations) initiating treatment	23	69
Number of Clients receiving Case Management Services	76	543
Number of Monthly Pulmonary Specialist Clinic Clients Seen	50	441
Number of Electronic Disease Notifications	32	229
Outreach Activities during the Month - Presentations, Physician Visits, Correctional Visits, etc.	6	25
Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) Field, clinic and televideo encounters	1500	10973

TEEN PREVENTION PREGNANCY PROGRAM (TPP)		
Teen Prevention Pregnancy Activities	Aug 2013	YTD 2013
Exhibits	7	24
Health Fairs	0	2
Classes Conducted	13	36
Teen Class Participants	141	375
Parent Class Participants	373	1787
Focus Group Participants	1933	5758
Community Presentations	5	85
Teens Scheduled for FP Appointment	6	72

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Office of HIV/AIDS/STD and Sexual Health Clinic - Surveillance

Surveillance			
Morbidity	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	Aug 2012 YTD 2012
Chlamydia	872 (130)	6295 (1084)	750 (128) 5847 (1064)
Gonorrhea	221 (50)	1466 (409)	188 (62) 1272 (376)
Primary Syphilis	2 (0)	29 (15)	0 (0) 14 (7)
Secondary Syphilis	9 (4)	72 (32)	5 (2) 41 (16)
Early Latent Syphilis	21 (3)	158 (53)	15 (6) 120 (44)
New HIV Diagnosis	31 (19)	184 (115)	24 150
New HIV/AIDS Diagnosis	15 (5)	83 (31)	15 77
New AIDS Diagnosis	8	63	4 52
New to NV Seeking Care, HIV and AIDS	30	161	24 121
Perinatally Exposed to HIV	1	6	0 8
Congenital Syphilis (presumptive)	1	2	0 0

*Parenthesis value represents number of cases identified in public settings

Pregnant/Peds Surveillance* Count represents # cases being followed			
	YTD 2013	YTD 2012	
HIV/AIDS Pregnant Cases	12	6	
Syphilis Pregnant Cases	21	19	
Pediatric- Perinatal Exposures	13	18	

*Pregnant females and perinatally exposed children followed by Surveillance (Perpetual count)

DIIS Investigations*					
	Partners	Clusters	Reactors	OOJ/FUP	Total
Chlamydia	69	0	69	1	139
Gonorrhea	10	0	12	0	22
Syphilis	34	0	62	14	110
HIV/AIDS (New to Care/Returning to Care)	24	0	89	5	118
TOTAL	137	0	232	20	389

Partners= investigations initiated on named partners

Clusters= investigations initiated on named clusters (clusters= named contacts who are not sex or needle sharing partners to the index patient)
 Reactors= investigations initiated from positive labs
 OOJ= investigations initiated Out of jurisdiction reactors/partners/clusters;FUP= investigations initiated to follow up on previous reactors, partners, or clusters
 *HIV/AIDS # includes "Out of Care" run for January

DIIS Partner Services					
	# Interviews	# Partners/ Clusters	# Partners/ Clusters Notified/ Examined		
Chlamydia	49	72	22 (18 pending)		
Gonorrhea	7	10	5 (3 pending)		
Syphilis	24	30	5 (18 pending)		
HIV/AIDS (New to Care/Returning to Care)	24	19	10 (2 pending)		
TOTAL	104	131	42 (41 pending)		

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Office of HIV/AIDS/STD and Sexual Health Clinic - Integrated Prevention and Care

Prevention					Positives	
SNHD HIV Testing	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	Aug 2012	YTD 2012	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Outreach/Targeted Testing	602	4,823	603	4,218	100 (18)	111 (33)
Clinic Screening (Sexual Health Clinic/Family Planning Clinic)	642	5,915	650	5,877	55 (6)	48 (4)
Outreach Screening - Jails, Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Agency (SAPTA)	212	1,609	242	2,036	10 (5)	8 (4)
TOTAL	1,456	12,347	1,495	12,131	165 (29)	167 (41)

*Parenthesis value represents number that were self-reported previous positive (screening for self-reported previous positives began in 2009)


Care			
Case Management Client Contacts (EIS and Intensive)	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Adults HIV/AIDS	420	2,031	2,638
Women & Children HIV/AIDS	263	717	2,642
TOTAL	683	3,431	5,280

Early Intervention Clinical Services (EIS)	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Ryan White Eligibility Contacts	138	1,225	*
Early Intervention Services Nurse Contacts	21	579	*
Social Worker Contacts	31	257	*
TOTAL	190	2,061	0

Sexual Health Clinic			
HIV and STD Services	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
STD treatment/screening/exam	1,427	11,494	*
HIV Clinic	91	691	*
HIV Rapid Tests	73	478	*
TOTAL	1,591	12,663	0

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Services delivered via Incentives	Aug 2013	YTD 2013	YTD 2012
Sexual Awareness Campaign (SAC) Incentives			
DIIS and PVT Medical Referral Received	4	295	420
Partner Cards Distributed	201	1,885	1,680
Partner Cards Received	49	375	369
Priority Cards Received	45	139	38
Hepatitis Vaccinations	34	529	455
GRATIS Services - Clients	160 clients (\$4,635.00)	1,133 clients (\$41,358.75)	2,627

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<h1>AUGUST 2013 In-Service Education</h1>						
				1 IZ Didactic (rescheduled) 8:30 VV Conf. Rm. 1 Sherry x1310 or x1370	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 CPR Renewal Class 9:00 VV Conf. Rm. 1 Sherry x1310 or x1370	14	15	16 BBP Class 8:30 VV IT Conf. Rm. Dale x 0870	17
18	19	20	21 HIV Fundamentals 10:00 400 Shadow Lane Ste. 208 Marnita x0835	22 Webinar: The Affordable Care Act and Tuberculosis Control: Navigating New Territory 11:-12:30 Sherry x1310 or x1370	23	24
25	26	27	28	29 Webcast: "Exploring the Link: Drugs and Mental Health" 10:00-11:00	30	31

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[Trustee Edwards highlights vaccinations during visit to back to school fair](#)



Hundreds, if not thousands, of local students and their families visited Boulevard Mall on Aug. 17, 2013 for the second in a series of back to school fairs. Four members of the CCSD Board of School Trustees, as well as Superintendent Pat Skorkowsky, were also in attendance. Trustee Edwards (pictured) received her Tdap vaccination from the [Southern Nevada Health District](#) as a way of showing youngsters that immunizations are simple and quick. Students be properly immunized before they can start the new school year. Edwards, along with Trustees Erin Cranor, Lorraine Alderman and Patrice Tew, joined with Superintendent Skorkowsky in visiting with families and volunteers at the event.

