



Memorandum

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To: Southern Nevada District Board of Health

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RE: PRIMARY & PREVENTIVE CARE DIVISION – April 2022

I. Immunization Program

A. Immunization Program Activities

1. There were 64 reminder calls made to parents/guardians of children 2-35 months who are not up to date with their immunization in the month of April.
2. There were 4,919 calls and postcards sent out to adults 65 years and older who did not receive their doses of Prevnar, Pneumovax and/or Td/Tdap vaccination on April 15, 2022.
3. In a continued effort to avoid the back-to school rush for this new mandate, a list was generated from NV WEBIZ for reminder calls to get their 16-year-old vaccinated with Quadrivalent meningitis vaccine (MenACWY). A total of 444 calls made in April by volunteers and team members.
4. National Infant Immunization (NIWW) was recognized April 25-29 at SNHD Immunization clinics. Office of Communication (OOC) provided “goodie bags” containing small baby items to be distributed in the clinics. New and expecting parents were entered into a raffle for a chance to win stroller, play pen, diaper genie and among other prizes.
5. Immunization Program will be transitioning to a new documentation system- Salesforce. Teams received end user training April 27 through April 29, 2022.

B. Immunization Outreach Activities

1. A total of 12 outreach clinics were conducted. 3 clinics were held at the Courtyard, 3 clinics at Episcopal Church, 2 CCDC events, and a monthly clinic at Boulder City Library, Mexican Consulate, Homeless Encampment, and Harm Reduction. A total of 315 vaccines were administered to 150 children and adults who are uninsured, insured, and underinsured. Vaccines administered – Flu, Covid-19, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, HPV, Meningococcal, MMR, Tdap, Zoster.
2. Staff attended the Salesforce and Safe talk trainings.
3. April staff trainings included SafeTALK Suicide Prevention Training and Cultural Competency class.
4. The Nevada State Immunization Program held a virtual statewide meeting on April 28, 2022. Agenda included- Subgrant updates, subaward expectations, Childcare and School immunization requirements, and review of Immunizations Program Operations Manual.

II. COVID-19 Vaccine Campaign

A. Community COVID-19 Vaccine Static Clinics

1. There were 2,798 COVID-19 vaccines were administered at 9 static sites held at 2 CSN campuses, 4 CCSD schools, Galleria Mall, Boulevard Mall, and Evening and Weekend Sites.
2. COVID-19 Vaccination program continue to utilize both contract companies and community partners for static sites and pop-up clinics. Static sites continue to be looked at weekly to scale down while meeting community needs.
3. Got Vax Activities included 16,520 vaccine clinic flyers distributed in selected zip codes in partnership with Mi Familia Vota.

B. Community COVID-19 Pop-Up Sites

1. There were 424 COVID-19 vaccines administered through 27 pop-up, community partner, and strike team activities. These include health equity area, long-term care, underserved, and homebound clinics.
2. Community partnerships administering vaccine included: Roseman University, Touro University, UNLV School of Medicine, and Care with Purpose Medical Center.
3. As requested from state partners, long term care facilities were administered vaccinations this month through SNHD.

III. Community Health Nursing

A. Maternal Child Health

1. There was one new reported childhood lead cases for the month of April.
2. There were three referrals for the Newborn Screening Program that required follow-up by the field nurse.

B. Nurse Family Partnership (NFP)

The Southern Nevada Health District-Nurse-Family Partnership (NFP) has 137 active clients. Fifty-one are participating through the Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program made available through the Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health under the Affordable Care Act (ACA). The annual site visit by the Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health was completed in April with no findings. The MIECHV program staff attended the Nevada Home Visiting Statewide Meeting in late April 2022.

The team continues to transition clients from telehealth to in-person home visit while still observing COVID-19 precautions to meet program goals and benchmarks.

C. Embracing Healthy Baby

The Southern Nevada Health District's Embracing Healthy Baby Program Community Health Workers (CHWs) are managing cases with minimal guidance from the program Community Health Nurse. Telephone, virtual and home visits continue with enrolled families. The program is providing services primarily through home visits. Education and referrals to needed services continue to be provided to families. A new CHW began employment in April and is currently in orientation. Interviews for the remaining vacant CHW position are planned for June 2022. Offers of employment for this position were made to two different individuals but were declined.

No program outreach occurred in April.

IV. Sexual Health Clinic

- A. The clinic provided services provided 1,259 unique services to 860 unduplicated patients for the month of April.
- B. The Sexual Health Clinic (SHC) is participating in two Learning Collaboratives under the Ending the HIV Epidemic efforts: 1) Community-wide Rapid stART Program through the Clark County Office of HIV with the goal of early treatment initiation and 2) STD Specialty Clinic Learning Community through the University of Washington's Prevention Training Center with the goal of scaling up HIV preventive services in STD specialty clinics.
- C. SHC staff received training on administration of Apretude, a new injectable medication available for use in the prevention of HIV.
- D. The Congenital Syphilis Case Management Program (CSCMP) is a program to address the high rate of congenital syphilis in the community. The SHC nurse case manager has admitted five program participants this month. This is value-added service to patients accessing the SHC and clinicians have seen the difference in outcomes among patients who are partnered with the nurse.

V. Tuberculosis Clinic

- A. Five new active adult TB cases reported by the TB Clinic during this period.
- B. There were no new pediatric active TB case reported by the TB during this period.

VI. Employee Health Nurse

- A. There were 45 SNHD reported employees who tested for COVID-19 in April. This includes 41 PCR tests and 38 Rapid tests. Eight employees tested positive for Covid.
- B. Employee New Hire and Annual Tuberculosis (TB) testing continued for the month of April. Annual catch-up TB testing continues to be caught up. Twenty-one Tuberculosis tests were completed.
- C. There were no new employee Blood Borne Pathogens exposure cases for the month of April.
- D. There were no new employee TB exposure cases for the month of April.

VII. Preventive Services Administration

- A. Clinical Services Division continues to retain Nevada State Board of Nursing approval to provide Continuing Education credits for SNHD Nursing staff. There were no CEU's offered in April.

Attachments: April 2022 Statistical Report

PRIMARY AND PREVENTIVE CARE SERVICES
MONTHLY REPORT
April 2022

Clinical Services Client Encounters by Locations

Location	DECATUR PHC	ELV PHC	Hend PHC	Mesquite PHC	Laughlin	Mobile Clinic	Homeless Outreach	Targeted Populations	TOTAL
Immunization	1,788	379	272	71	0	0	0	168	2,678
Immunization Records Issued	459	45	17	0					521
Newborn Metabolic Screening	1	0	0	0					1
Sexual Health Clinic	1,259								1,259
TB Treatment & Control	1,107								1,107
SAPTA Services								48	48
TOTAL	4,614	424	289	71	0	0	0	216	5,614

Clinical Services Client Encounters by Program

Program	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Immunizations	9,018	2,678	↓	57,463	33,797	↓
Immunization Records Issued	255	521	↑	3,089	7,701	↑
COVID-19 Vaccine Given*	0	2,798	↑	0	22,407	↑
Newborn Met. Screening	0	1	↑	9	8	↓
Sexual Health Clinic	897	1,259	↑	7,583	12,672	↑
TB Treatment & Control	1,032	1,107	↑	8,507	9,043	↑
SAPTA Services	7	48	↑	193	278	↑
TOTAL	11,209	8,412	↓	76,844	85,906	↑

*Funded by COVID Grant Funds

Clinical Services Immunization Program

Immunizations	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Flu Vaccine Given	349	523	↑	11,421	9,027	↓
Gratis	33	261	↑	929	2,083	↑
COVID Vaccine*	n/a	325	↓	n/a	5,147	↓

*Given by Immunization Clinics

Vaccines for Children (VFC)*	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Number of VFC Compliance Visits	0	10	↑	54	68	↑
Number of IQIP Visits*	0	3	↑	19	33	↑
Number of Follow Up Contacts	0	32	↑	395	417	↑
Number of Annual Provider Training	10	11	↑	31	62	↑
Number of State Requested Visits	0	152	↑	622	1,203	↑

Perinatal Hepatitis B	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
# of Expectant Women	22	18	↓	20	16	↓
# of Infants	89	98	↑	82	81	↓
Total # of Infants Delivered	2	2	→	3	33	↑
New Cases	0	2	↑	41	40	↓
Closed Cases	5	2	↓	57	43	↓

Childcare Program	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Childcare Audits	2	2	→	10	61	↑
Baseline Immunization Rate	51%	61%	↑	70%	73%	↑
# of Re-Audits	3	3	→	8	66	↑
Re-Audit Immunization Rate	91%	85%	↓	91%	92%	↑
# of Records Reviewed	89	64	↓	837	4,675	↑

Covid-19 Vaccine Campaign

COVID-19 Vaccine Campaign	April 2021*	April 2022		FY 20-21*	FY 21-22	
Number of COVID-19 Vaccines administered	0	2,798	↑	0	22,407	↑
# of Healthcare Provider Compliance Visits	0	8	↑	0	29	↑
# of Newly Enrolled Healthcare Provider Education Sessions	0	1	↑	0	24	↑
# of Potential Healthcare Provider Recruitment Sessions	0	9	↑	0	27	↑
# of Healthcare Provider Contacts	0	257	↑	0	602	↑

*Data collection started January 2022

Clinical Services Community Health Program

Nursing Field Services	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
MCH Team Home Visit Encounters	10	14	↑	95	113	↑

NFP	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Referrals	10	21	↑	105	181	↑
Enrolled	3	11	↑	52	96	↑
Active	137	137	→			

MCH	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
# of Referrals Received**	3	5		38	29	↓
# from CPS*	1	1		13	13	→
# of Lead Referrals	1	1		9	5	↓
# of Total Admissions	2	2		18	12	↓

EHB	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Referrals	9	5	↓	59	142	↑
Enrolled	3	3	→	50	65	↑
Active	27	56	↑			

Thrive by 0 - 3	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Referrals	83	51	↓	669	743	↑
Enrolled	2	1	↓	31	15	↓
Active	16	13	↓			

Clinical Services Tuberculosis Program

Tuberculosis	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Number of Case Management Activities*	262	312	↑	1,749	2,400	↑
Number of Monthly Pulmonary Specialist Clinic Clients Seen	26	34	↑	236	232	↓
Number of Monthly Electronic Disease Notifications Clinic Clients (Class B)	3	10	↑	15	118	↑
Outreach Activities during the Month - Presentations, Physician Visits, Correctional Visits, etc.	0	2	↑	0	8	↑
Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) Field, clinic and televideo encounters	740	745	↑	6,501	6,288	↓

*New EMR system- Counting only successful activities

Substance Abuse Prevention & Treatment Agency (SAPTA)	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
# of Site Visits	1	4	↑	15	28	↑
# of Clients Screened	7	48	↑	193	278	↑
# of TB Tests	6	44	↑	165	239	↑
# of Assessments only	1	4	↑	28	39	↑

Sexual Health Clinic Program

STD Services	April 2021	April 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
STD treatment/screening/exam	897	1,259	↑	7,583	12,672	↑
Total # of patients served	709	860	↑	6,015	8,331	↑