

# Memorandum

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**To:** Southern Nevada District Board of Health

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**RE: PRIMARY & PREVENTIVE CARE BOARD OF HEALTH REPORT - June 2022**

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## I. Immunization Program

### A. Immunization Program Activities

1. There were 53 reminder calls made to parents/guardians of children 2-35 months who are not up to date with their immunization in the month of June.
2. 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 MenACWY. A total of 1402 calls were made in June by team members and volunteers.
3. Immunization Program transitioned to a new documentation and appointment system, Salesforce on 6/21/22. Clients can make their own appointments through the Patient Portal for routine, travel, flu, and other vaccines at all four of the Health District's immunization clinic locations. The system is the same one currently used for COVID-19 vaccine.

### B. Immunization Outreach Activities

1. A total of 7 outreach clinics were conducted in partnership with local organizations. The clinics were held at the Mexican Consulate, Courtyard, CCDC, Pop up clinic, Boulder City Library. A total of 181 vaccines were administered to 96 clients. Vaccines administered were Covid-19, Flu, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, Pevnar 20 and Tdap.
2. Adolescent Back to School clinics were held in 4 CCSD high schools – Sierra Vista, Desert Pines, Centennial, and Cheyenne. A total of 6 clinics were held and 192 adolescents were seen. A total of 332 vaccines were administered. Vaccines included Covid-19, Tdap and Meningococcal (MenACWY).

## II. COVID-19 Vaccine Campaign

### A. Community COVID-19 Vaccine Static Clinics

1. There were 1,558 COVID-19 vaccines were administered at 9 static sites held at 2 CSN campuses, 4 CCSD schools, Galleria Mall, Boulevard Mall, and the main SNHD Office Building.
2. COVID-19 Vaccination program continue to utilize both contract companies and community partners for static sites.
3. Got Vax Activities included 800 vaccine clinic flyers distributed in selected zip codes throughout the county.

**B. Community COVID-19 Pop-Up Sites**

1. There were 223 COVID-19 vaccines administered through 23 pop-up sites and strike team activities. These includes clinics targeted to health equity and homeless communities. SNHD and community partners were utilized to conduct clinics.
2. Community partnerships administering vaccine included: Touro University, and the North Las Vegas Fire Department
3. Department of Public and Behavioral Health awarded a Long-Term Care Facilities grant to the program. There were 32 vaccinations administered at 8 long-term care facilities
4. In-home vaccination services were provided for disabled and immobile clients. There were 61 COVID-19 vaccinations administered.

**III. Community Health Nursing**

**A. Maternal Child Health**

1. There was one new childhood lead cases for the month of June.
2. There was one referral 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 135 active clients. Fifty-five are participating through the Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting (MIECHV) Program grant made available through the Nevada Division of Public and Behavioral Health.

The team continues to visit high risk families to improve maternal and child health outcomes during pregnancy and early childhood. Most of the visits are now in person while still observing COVID-19 precautions. Telephone visits are available to clients if needed.

The expansion team Lead continues in her orientation and is enrolling clients. Interviews for expansion team nurse home visitors occurred in late June 2022.

**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. Interviews for the remaining vacant CHW position occurred in June 2022. A CHW was hired and is expected to begin employment July 2022.

There was no program outreach in the month of June.

**IV. Sexual Health Clinic**

- A. The clinic provided services provided 1,129 unique services to 809 unduplicated patients for the month of May. Seventy-four unduplicated patients were seen at the All Saints Episcopal Church (ASEC) Outreach Clinic.
- 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. Two SHC clinical staff participated in the quarterly Congenital Syphilis Case Review Board meeting.

- C. 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 added six 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. The NCM visited and provided program materials to 12 venues and locations in the area. Safe Sleep training is conducted with the cribs. There are 28 active participants in the month of June.
- E. The SHC staff received training on Monkeypox preparedness.
- F. The SHC completed interviews and has an accepted offer to fill a vacant Administrative Assistant position. The SHC began recruitment for a CHN Supervisor.

#### **V. Tuberculosis Clinic**

- A. Six new active adult TB cases reported by the TB Clinic during this period. There were zero pediatric active TB cases reported by the TB Clinic during this period.
- B. The Refugee Health Program served 19 adults in June.

#### **VI. Employee Health Nurse**

- A. There were Two Hundred and Eighteen (218) tests were conducted to SNHD Employees in June. This includes One hundred and sixty-three (163) PCR tests and one hundred and fifty (150) Rapid tests. Fifty-one (51) employees tested positive for COVID.
- B. Employee New Hire and Annual Tuberculosis (TB) testing continued for the month of June. Annual catch-up TB testing is ongoing. Twenty-Eight (28) Tuberculosis tests were completed.
- C. There were no employee Blood Borne Pathogens exposure cases for the month of June.
- D. There are no new employee TB exposure cases for the month of June.

#### **VII. Preventive Care 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 June.

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Attachments: June 2022 Statistical Report

**PRIMARY AND PREVENTIVE CARE  
MONTHLY REPORT  
June 2022**

**Client Encounters by Locations**

Location	DECATUR PHC	ELV PHC	Hend PHC	Mesquite PHC	Laughlin	Mobile Clinic	Homeless Outreach	Targeted Populations	TOTAL
Immunization	1801	306	291	72	0	0	0	151	2621
Immunization Records Issued	499	64	32	6					601
Newborn Metabolic Screening	0	0	0	0					0
Sexual Health Clinic	1129								1129
TB Treatment & Control	1071								1071
SAPTA Services								54	54
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4500</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>5476</b>

**Client Encounters by Program**

Program	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Immunizations	1890	2621	↑	61230	38,836	↓
Immunization Records Issued	561	601	↑	4178	7,101	↑
COVID-19 Vaccine Given*	0	1558	↑	0	25815	↑
Newborn Met. Screening	1	1	→	10	9	↓
Sexual Health Clinic	1244	1129	↓	10101	15062	↑
TB Treatment & Control	941	1071	↑	10294	11156	↑
SAPTA Services	23	54	↑	233	385	↑
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4660</b>	<b>7035</b>	<b>↑</b>	<b>86046</b>	<b>98364</b>	<b>↑</b>

\*Funded by COVID Grant Funds-Data Collection started January 2022



## Immunization Program

Immunizations	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Flu Vaccine Given	96	260	↑	11,942	9,932	↓
Gratis	1,033	68	↓	1,033	2,254	↑
COVID Vaccine*	n/a	230	↓	n/a	5,659	↓

\*Given by Immunization Clinics

Vaccines for Children (VFC)*	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Number of VFC Compliance Visits	2	12	↑	56	93	↑
Number of IQIP Visits*	0	10	↑	19	44	↑
Number of Follow Up Contacts	28	47	↑	437	544	↑
Number of Annual Provider Training	45	51	↑	107	136	↑
Number of State Requested Visits	0	235	↑	622	1,625	↑

Perinatal Hepatitis B	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
# of Expectant Women	21	19	↓	21	16	↓
# of Infants	73	93	↑	81	83	↑
Total # of Infants Delivered	3	0	↓	3	38	↑
New Cases	1	2	↑	53	48	↓
Closed Cases	1	4	↑	63	53	↓

Childcare Program	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Childcare Audits	7	2	↓	29	67	↑
Baseline Immunization Rate	75%	62%	↓	72%	72%	→
# of Re-Audits	9	2	↓	20	71	↑
Re-Audit Immunization Rate	89%	84%	↓	91%	90%	↓
# of Records Reviewed	378%	240	↑	2442	5601	↑

## Covid-19 Vaccine Campaign

COVID-19 Vaccine Campaign	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21*	FY 21-22	
Number of COVID-19 Vaccines administered	0	1558	↑	0	25815	↑
# of Healthcare Provider Compliance Visits	0	10	↑	0	41	↑
# of Newly Enrolled Healthcare Provider Education Sessions	0	0	→	0	29	↑
# of Potential Healthcare Provider Recruitment Sessions*	0	5	↑	0	37	↑
# of Healthcare Provider Contacts	0	107	↑	0	799	↑

\*Data collection started January 2022

**Community Health Program**

Nursing Field Services	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
MCH Team Home Visit Encounters	16	16	→	124	137	↑

NFP	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Referrals	14	14	→	135	213	↑
Enrolled	10	11	↑	71	117	↑
Active	140	139	↓			

MCH	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
# of Referrals Received**	5	5		48	39	↓
# from CPS*	3	3		18	20	↑
# of Lead Referrals	2	1		12	6	↓
# of Total Admissions	1	3		21	17	↓

EHB	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Referrals	7	5	↓	72	153	↑
Enrolled	3	2	↓	59	70	↑
Active	28	56	↑			

Thrive by 0 - 3	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Referrals	104	72	↓	866	869	↑
Enrolled	3	1	↓	39	18	↓
Active	23	13	↓			

### Tuberculosis Program

Tuberculosis	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
Number of Case Management Activities*	241	228	↑	2197	2934	↑
Number of Monthly Pulmonary Specialist Clinic Clients Seen	18	14	↓	283	270	↓
Number of Monthly Electronic Disease Notifications Clinic Clients (Class B)	11	26	↑	30	155	↑
Outreach Activities during the Month - Presentations, Physician Visits, Correctional Visits, etc.	0-	4	↓	0	15	↑
Directly Observed Therapy (DOT) Field, clinic and televideo encounters	690	805	↑	7785	7798	↑

\*New EMR system- Counting only successful activities

Substance Abuse Prevention & Treatment Agency (SAPTA)	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
# of Site Visits	3	4	↑	20	36	↑
# of Clients Screened	23	54	↑	233	385	↑
# of TB Tests	20	49	↑	201	334	↑
# of Assessments only	3	5	↑	32	51	↑

### Sexual Health Clinic Program

STD Services	June 2021	June 2022		FY 20-21	FY 21-22	
STD treatment/screening/exam	1244	1129	↓	10101	15062	↑
Total # of patients served	876	809	↓	7805	10005	↑