

## Polk County Advisory Board of Health Minutes

January 18, 2013 8:30 a.m.

Members present: Dr. Anderson, Dr. Olds, Reylon Meeks and Thomas Newton

Agenda Items	Summary
<u>Approval of Minutes</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Approved minutes from December meeting.</li> </ul>
<p><u>Overview of Next Year's CITP Grant Objectives</u> By Megan Aucutt, Program Manager ALA of Iowa</p> <p><u>Review of 2012 Health Education and Fairs</u> By Sarah Boese, Health Educator/PIO Polk County Health Department</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PowerPoint presentation reviewing: Mission, Goals and Grant Activities for 2013 (attached).</li> <li>• Requested a letter of support from the Board to submit with grant application.</li> <li>• Board requested updates with report of measurable outcomes.</li> <li>• <u>Community events</u> in 2012 included: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Medical screenings (diabetes, cholesterol, lead poisoning prevention and blood pressure), at churches, schools and community centers, and provided health education as needed.</li> <li>➤ Jump Start, a back to school health fair, provided 9,018 physicals, 693 dental screenings, and 314 immunizations. Distributed 2,400 backpacks filled with school supplies.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <u>Media</u> – 44 press releases, 19 articles in <i>Des Moines Register and Bystander</i> and 75 radio interviews.</li> </ul>
<p><u>Public Health Director Report</u> By Scott Slater</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Clinic Flu Immunizations – during the period September, 2012 through December, 2012, the Health Department administered 2,018 flu shots and from January 2, 2013 to present, 1,294 shots.</li> <li>• Total this season – 10,200 flu immunizations administered through outreach (schools, private business, community centers) and in the clinic.</li> </ul>
<p><u>Board of Health/Board of Supervisors Action Review</u> By Scott Slater</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Board of Supervisors approved to extend the terms of Dr. John Olds, Reylon Meeks, and Dr. Donald Anderson on the Advisory Board of Health to 1/5/16.</li> </ul>
<p><u>Air Quality</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This year there has been 60% increase in construction permits.</li> <li>• Submitted budget-being asked to cut budget 8.2% which affects purchasing equipment and products.</li> <li>• Future presentation – Anti-Idling</li> </ul>
<p><u>Environmental Health</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Animal Control – Last year – 1,000 complaints most complaints involved animal neglect, bites and dangerous/vicious animals.</li> <li>• Environmental Health – Issuance of septic and well permits have increased.</li> </ul>

<u>Health Planning and Education</u> <i>By Tammy Keiter</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Diabetes Screening Day – Wednesday, January 9, 2013. 47 people screened-24 had high glucose levels or pre-diabetic.</li> </ul>
<u>Communicable Disease</u> <i>By Kari Lebeda-Townsend</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TB – 4 cases in isolation</li> <li>• Pertussis – 6 cases in December, on the decline. Last year, 2012, there were 10 times more cases than 2011.</li> <li>• STD Statistics - PowerPoint Presentation (attached.)</li> </ul>
<u>Adjournment</u>	Meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

**Next meeting February 15, 2013 at 8:30 a.m.**

Others present:

Scott Slater, PCHD

Jeremy Becker, Public Works

Deb Overton, PCHD

Kari Lebeda-Townsend, PCHD

Brett Vanderlune, Public Works

Sarah Boese, PCHD

Heather Bombei, IDPH, Bureau of LPHS

Megan Aucutt, ALA of Iowa

Cari Spear, VNS of Iowa

Rozzie Franco, WHO Radio