

## Polk County Advisory Board of Health Minutes

November 18, 2016

Members present: Donald Anderson, Thomas Newton, Anne Bacon, Bobbretta Brewton

Members absent: Reylon Meeks

Agenda Items	Summary
<u>Approval of Minutes</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>October Minutes approved</li> </ul>
<u>Maternal/Child Health (Title V)</u>  <i>By Stacy Jobes. Maternal Child Health Director, VNS</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Detailed benchmark report is attached</li> <li>Polk County Health staff were thanked for their continued working relationships with VNS</li> </ul>
<u>Public Health Director Report (written report + comments)</u>  <i>By Rick Kozin</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PCHD will be hosting an event at DMU 12/5 9a- noon with speakers from the CDC and U of Iowa discussing new strategies to reduce the incidence of STD's in our community.</li> <li>A meeting with Back to School partners produced a shared goal of assisting individuals and families who attend these events get connected with a PCP.</li> <li>Flu vaccination numbers are down this year, especially those given in the Health Department. This will be taken into consideration when planning for next year's clinics.</li> <li>Staff Holiday party is Wed, Dec 14<sup>th</sup> from 3-4:30 pm.</li> </ul>
<u>Board of Health/Board of Supervisors Action Review (written report + comments)</u>  <i>By Scott Slater</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PCHD is credential with all major health insurances serving this area except Coventry, despite repeated attempts over the past 8 years. This week Coventry contacted PCHD regarding enrolling as a participating provider.</li> </ul>
<u>Department Outcomes</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>"The Impact of Social Determinant of Health in Polk County" video was shown</li> <li>Committee members suggested that Rick contact IPTV and city channels for possible airing.</li> </ul>
<u>Health Planning and Education Update (written report and comments)</u>  <i>By Tammy Keiter</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PCHD and other community partners have worked together to plan 4 Insurance Marketplace enrollment fairs to take place between November and January and geographically diverse location 39 enrolled at the 11/2 event at Evelyn K. Davis Center in Des Moines and 20 enrolled at the 11/16 event at the Goodwill Connection Center in Johnston.</li> </ul>
<u>Communicable Disease Update (written report and comments)</u>  <i>By Kari Lebeda Townsend</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There is a seasonal decrease in enteric illnesses but numbers are still higher than normal for this time of year. This may be due to new laboratory testing technology.</li> <li>Greater than 70 cases of gonorrhea have been reported each month over the past 3 months. This mirrors trends seen across Iowa and the U.S. There is just on class of antibiotics left to treat the disease.</li> </ul>



# Maternal Child Health

## Polk County Board of Health Report

FFY 2016 Year End Report  
10-1-2015 to 9-30-2016

The Maternal Child Health Program in Clinton, Jackson, Jasper, Mahaska, Polk, Poweshiek and Scott counties:

- Promotes the health of low-income mothers and children
- Ensures access to quality preventive health services
- Reduces infant mortality and the incidence of preventable diseases
- Increases the number of children appropriately immunized against diseases
- Promotes the development of community-based systems of care for pregnant women, children and families

29,115 children and 525 pregnant women were served by VNS of Iowa in FFY 2016

Child Health			
<b># of Children participating in the EPSDT program</b>  (CAREs FFY 2015 Data Undup. Count by County)	<b>% of Medicaid enrolled children ages 0-21 who receive at least one preventive health screen</b>  (FFY 2015 CMS 416 Participation Report by County)	<b>% of 2 year olds Up-to-Date on Immunizations 4-3-1-3-3-1-4 Coverage</b>  (IDPH 2015 County Immunization Assessment)	<b>% of children who report a medical home</b>  (CAREs FFY2016 Medical Home Report by County)
<b>21,294</b>	<b>79% (↑6%)</b>	<b>69% (↓1%)</b>	<b>91% (↓2%)</b>

2,716 dental services were provided to Polk County children by the I-Smile™ program

- 51 uninsured Polk County Children received dental voucher funds to pay for treatment needs

Maternal Health			
<b>% of women receiving prenatal care beginning in the first trimester</b>  (WHIS Data FFY 2016)	<b>% of women delivering an infant at a healthy birth weight ≥ 5.5 lbs.</b>  (WHIS Data FFY 2016)	<b>% of women who breastfed</b>  (WHIS Data FFY 2016)	<b>% of women who report a medical home at discharge</b>  (WHIS Data FFY 2016)
<b>80% (↓7%)</b>	<b>89% (↓1%)</b>	<b>84% (↓2%)</b>	<b>94% (↓4%)</b>