

Polk County Advisory Board of Health Minutes

March 16, 2018

Members present: Simon Geletta, Thomas Newton, Yogi Shah, Reylon Meeks,

Members absent: Anne Bacon

Agenda Items	Summary
<u>Approval of Minutes</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • January and February Minutes approved
<u>IDPH Partnership Grant: Update on Polk County Tobacco Control Efforts</u> <i>By Beth Turner</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FY2018 Funding \$405,801 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polk County \$243,210 • FY2019 Requested Funding \$411,410 • Nicotine-free School Districts <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All products, including e-cigarettes • Nicotine products not approved by the FDA for tobacco cessation • 20 of 26 Polk County School Districts have policies • Preschools/Child Care <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Working to update centers to tobacco and nicotine-free • Free training available on the DHS registry • 6 centers/homes have updated/implemented policies • Parks/Community Events <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City of Des Moines working on community education • Staffing “Butt Box” on clean-up day on April 20th • Worksites <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 businesses implemented policies (Principal, Fareway, Iowa Sleep Center, Iowa CPAP and Beautiful Savior) • Quitline Iowa FY2018 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 291/2,151 callers and web users
<u>Public Health Director Report (written report + comments)</u> <i>By Helen Eddy- Given by Scott Slater</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome Dr. Shah • Through grant funding, we purchased a colposcope to provide those services to women in need in our Healthy Women Program. Nurse Practitioner is already trained.
<u>Board of Health/Board of Supervisors Action Review (written report + comments)</u> <i>By Scott Slater</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flu mist will be available this year. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polk County Health Department will not be offering it at this time
<u>Department Outcomes Community Outreach</u> <i>By Juan Cadenillas and Susan Brooks</i>	<p>School Immunization Report 2017</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Immunization audit of all schools in Polk County as mandated by IDPH • Share results by district and by school with superintendents, principals and nursing staff • Find levels of immunization rates in Polk County schools to identify timeline trends • Evaluate level of potential protection of schools in case of a disease outbreak • Educate school staff, officials and parents about prevention • Oct-Dec 2017 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 147 public and non-public schools in Polk County • Medical Exemptions 367 • Religious Exemptions 1,182

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provisional Certificates 423 • Invalid Certificates 779 • Not Fully Vaccinated 2,930
<u>Community Health Updates Update</u> (written report + comments) <i>by Chris Frantsvog</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Updates
<u>Communicable Disease Update (written report)</u> <i>By Kari Lebeda Townsend</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Updates
<u>Committee Member Comments</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
<u>Public Comments</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None
<u>Adjournment</u>	9:30 AM

Next Meeting April 20 at 8:30am

Others present:

Scott Slater, PCHD

Juan Cadenillas, PCHD

Susan Brooks, PCHD

Beth Turner, American Lung Association

Mandy Penning, PCHD