

**BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING**  
**May 8, 2007**

**DEPARTMENTAL REPORTS**

**DEPARTMENT: Community Health Programs (CHP)**

**REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF: April 2007**

**Highlights:**

- Two public health nurses have resigned. Anne Reinhold left during April after 15 years working with our department. Karin Dinda left May 1 after 13 years service. We will miss them. We have begun advertising to fill the positions.
- On April 4, the first Immunization Court session was held at City Hall. Staff from Racine Unified School District and the district Attorney's Office met with parents of children behind on immunizations. The court session is held during the Wednesday Immunization clinic so that children may receive their needed immunizations and then be up to date.
- Jeff Schmidt gave classes on sexually transmitted diseases for a Walden School health class on April 16 and for a health class at Racine Youthful Offenders Correctional Facility on April 17.
- Public health nurses continue to offer prenatal classes to clients in the Prenatal Care Coordination Program. The group meeting provide clients with education but also the group setting allows them to meet with other women who are also going through similar experiences of pregnancy. This month three classes were held with total attendance of eleven.
- The Racine Infant Mortality Coalition continues to meet and work toward reducing infant mortality in our community. Dr. Teresa Johnson applied for and received a \$50,000 grant to be used for establishing the infrastructure for the FIMR (fetal and infant mortality review) process. The Cribs for Kids program has ordered the first 15 cribs to be given to families who do not have a crib for their baby. Pat Anderson arranged for messages related to infant mortality to be played on CAR25. Others are working on public service announcements on radio stations.
- Youth Connections offered a seminar, "Promoting Healthy Recovery from Sexual Abuse" which was attended by about 60 professionals in the community. Evaluations of the program were very positive.

**Productivity Measures:**

<b>Productivity Measures</b>	<b>Monthly</b>	<b>YTD 2007</b>
Public Health Nurse Home Visits	58	233
Public Health Nurse Office Visits (YTD starts 3/1)	37	91
Lead Caseload Individuals / Families	46 / 44	NA
Prenatal Care Coordination Cases (age 18 and over)	30	64
PNCC Classes / Attendees	3 / 11	8 / 31
Tuberculosis (New active)	0	0
Tuberculosis (Active) on treatment	0	0
Latent TB on medication	17	26
Hepatitis C	6	26
St. Joseph School Nursing Visit	1	4
Car Seat Education Sessions	18	67
Teen Parent Home Visits	37	123
Teen Parent Caseload at end of month	73	NA
Nurse of the Day (NOD) Encounters	71	380
Dental Fluoride Varnish Applied	11	93
Immunizations: Clients / Immunizations	65 / 162	442 / 1049
Sexually Transmitted Infection: Clinics / Clients	3 / 34	15 / 170
STI Cases: Gonorrhea / Chlamydia	22 / 48	99 / 210
HIV Testing Clients	22	120
WIC Clients % of funded case load (1463)	1612 / 110.2%	6341 / 108.3%

**Outcomes:** The WIC program reached 1612 clients in April 2007. This is a 25% increase above the 1280 clients served in February 2006

**MEETINGS/TRAINING  
April 2007**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Staff</b>	<b>Conf./Training</b>	<b>Place</b>	<b>Purpose</b>
4-2-07	T. Jones	Meeting with Rep. Cory Mason, Margaret Malnory and Teresa Johnson /WFHC		Discussion of possible legislation to address infant mortality
4-3-07	T. Jones D. Lange	Teen Parenting Support Program Review by United Way		“Site” visit to review program as part of funding allocation decision.

4-4-07	D. Lange	Youth Connections Site Visit with United Way	Site visit with allocations panel for funding
4-5-07	S. Napier	CLEAR meeting	Lead elimination committee meeting
4-11-07	S. Napier B. Wilkinson D. Williams	Phlebotomy training at WFHC- All Saints	Introduction to venipunctures.
4-12-07	J. Schmidt	Counseling, Testing , Referral: New strategies planning meeting	New strategies based on guidelines for universal testing.
4-12-07	P. Anderson	Partnership for Access to Care and Treatment	Coalition to increase treatment and counseling for AODA and MI
4-12-07	T. Jones	Family Smart/Kid Friendly Partners	Oversight of project. Budget planning.
4-17 – 4-20-07	A. Reyes	Child Passenger Seat Technician Training	Class leading to certification for installing child passenger seats.
4-18-07	P. Anderson J. Laurent S. Napier M. Rottino B. Wilkinson D. Williams	Lead Sampling Technician Class	Recertification class
4-18-07	S. Napier	Lead meeting with State Lead program	Discuss lead survey to be sent to physicians.
4-19-07	B. Wilkinson	Car Seat checks at Mt. Pleasant Police Department	Safe Kids Car Seat Check
4-19-07	D. Lange J. Schmidt	Man Talk Kickoff	Kickoff luncheon and meeting for volunteers in the Man Talk program.
4-19-07	H. Laundrie	Wisconsin WIC Association Board Meeting	Planning for biennial WIC Association Conference
4-20-07	D. Lange	Youth Connections – “Healing Sexual Assault” workshop	Was emcee for workshop regarding dealing with clients who have suffered sexual assault in the past.
4-23-07	M. Rottino	Wisconsin Association for Perinatal Care conference	Seminar covering information on infections/factors that can impact maternal/infant birth outcomes.
4-23-07	B. Wilkinson D. Williams	Hands on car seat installation and use	Introduce techs to various car seats. Earned credits needed for recertication.
4-23-07	T. Jones	Lead Ad Hoc Committee Conference Call	Medicaid funding for lead tests in WIC programs

4-23-07	P. Anderson T. Jones	Racine Infant Mortality Coalition	Planning for upcoming fairs, planning mission and vision statements.
4-25-07	P. Anderson T. Jones J. Laurent M. Rottino	Phlebotomy training at WFHC- All Saints	Learning basic phlebotomy skills.
4-26-07	D. Lange T. Jones	Brighter Futures Initiative Providers Group	Meeting with other providers under the Brighter Futures Grant to discuss and coordinate services.
4-30-07	D. Lange	Tri-County De-escalation Training	Learning ways to identify and intervene to recognize potential for and minimize chance for violence during home visits.