**GREENE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH**

**August 10, 2023**

The Greene County Board of Health (BOH) met in person on Thursday, August 10; virtual option via WebEx, was available.

**Attendance:** Board of Health (BOH) members: Dr. Keith Van Beek; Dawn Rudolph; Rochelle Guess; Amanda Bills; Juanita Gilley. Guests: Paula Klocke and Christy Jenkins, New Opportunities; Kim Finneran, Crawford County Public Health, Public Health: Becky Wolf, Director; Anne Carstens, Shelby Cooklin, Sara Miller; Amanda Lass, CNO- Greene County Medical Center

*Meeting called to order by Rudolph at 7:05 A.M.*

**Consent Agenda***(for matters requiring little or no discussion):*

Approval of Consent Agenda and Meeting Minutes: *Motioned by Bills; seconded by Gilley; all ayes; motion carried.*

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Environmental Health Report- Grants-to-Counties:**

Wenthold presented the FY23 Grants-to-Counties Workplan, with inclusion of updated arsenic testing.

Approval of workplan: *Motioned by VanBeek; seconded by Bills; all ayes; motion carried.*

**Community Health Assessment/Community Health Improvement Plan (CHA/CHIP) 2023:**

Cooklin and Miller gave update: Community partners, along with PH, recently completed second planning meeting. Top four goals were decided on and small groups divided up and discussed ways to achieve goals: The final version of the 2023 Greene County CHA/CHIP will be presented to the BOH in October for approval.

**Child- Adolescent Health/ I-Smile Update:**

Kim Finneran reported that lead grant has been submitted and awaiting funding approval decision/assignment of providers.

**1st Five, Maternal Health Update:**

Paula Klocke – New Opportunities: Nothing to report.

**Community Education Outreach:**

**Sun Safety Project:**

* Deb Wolterman and Cooklin distributed sunscreen to pools, daycares, businesses, and the Greene County fair.

**RAGBRAI:**

* GCMC and PH had a stand outside the GCMC Clinics entrance where band aids, ibuprofen, sunscreen, and first aid were provided.

**Back-to-School Clinics:**

* Were done in July along with Family Medicine Clinic (FMC)

**Unlocking Brain Fitness: Keys Course:**

* Just finished up 3rd course; 4th will run September 12-November 14, from 3:30-5:30 PM. No course will be offered during winter months; 2024 schedule pending.

**Paton-Churdan Community Block Party:**

* PH will be attending with Dunk Tank and other fun items.

**Succession Plans:**

Wolf working on succession planning book; nothing new to report.

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| **BOH Member Terms:**  Wolf shared that the terms of Annie Smith and Dawn Rudolph will expire on December 31, 2023. Wolf expressed appreciation to all members for their service and dedication.  **Conflict of Interest Statement:**  Wolf reviewed the policy and asked each member to sign and return the declaration forms to her; these were last signed in 2020.  **IA Health and Human Services (IHHS) System Restructuring:**  Wolf discussed restructuring process and how this could impact local PH agencies. PH administrators have completed surveys and interviews with the organization that will compile data and provide recommendations to the State.Announcement anticipated by mid-October 2023.  **FY 24 Grant Updates:** The following grants have been awarded:   * Immunization/Pandemic Flu Services- $7575.00 * Local PH Services (LPHS) Grant -$34,143.00   **FY 23 End-of-Year Immunization Benchmarks:**  Reports shared by Wolf. Reviewed- *Bills made motion; seconded by Gilley; all ayes.* |

**OTHER TOPICS of DISCUSSION:** No comments.

**Adjournment:** *Meeting adjourned at 8:00 AM; Gilley made motion; seconded by Bills; all ayes.*

Next meeting, October 5, 2023 at 7:00 A.M., GCMC Medical Staff Library, Level B. Virtual option will be available.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Carstens, PH Office Manager