**GREENE COUNTY BOARD OF HEALTH**

**June 1, 2023**

The Greene County Board of Health (BOH) met in person on Thursday, June 1; virtual option via WebEx, was available.

**Attendance:** Board of Health (BOH) members: Dr. Keith Van Beek; Dawn Rudolph; Dr. Thomas Fagg; Rochelle Guess; Juanita Gilley. Guests: Paula Klocke and Christy Jenkins, New Opportunities; Jen Macke, Kim Finneran, Crawford County Public Health, Ashley Wiediren St Anthony Birth Place, Public Health: Madisyn Behrens; Becky Wolf, Director; Anne Carstens

*Meeting called to order by Rudolph at 7:03 A.M.*

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

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

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Environmental Health Report- Arsenic**

Chuck Wendhold, Greene County EH still testing wells, 50 % of the wells coming back present with arsenic. Two wells in the community have been shocked and are waiting to see if that is a treatment plan that works. Chuck would like to see more awareness in the community and what steps are needed to stay safe.

**Community Health Assessment 2023:** Wolf reported that obesity, substance abuse, and mental health access were top needs along with cancer. The community partners will meet today for first partner meeting –will look at areas of highest concern in Greene County and groups will divide and collect information on ways to improve. Results will be brought to the BOH in October for approval.

**Child- Adolescent Health I-Smile Update:** Kim Finneran reported that lead grant has been submitted and awaiting to see how areas are broken up in the state and who receives funding.

**1st Five, Maternal Health Update**

Paula Klocke – New Opportunities provided reports and statistic for services provided in Greene County.

**Approval of Annual Tuberculosis Risk Assessment –**

Greene County minimal risk – no cases since 2000- *motioned by Gilley; seconded by Fagg; all ayes; motion carried*

**Sun Safety Project-** Cooklin has been working on Grant PH has received gallon jugs that will be taken to local pools and daycare centers. PH will purchase smaller containers for private day care centers. PH will have individual packets available around town and for Ragbrai.

**Succession Planning**

Please review the policy that was drafted and let Wolf know of any changes

**Lifeline**

Approval of Financial Assessment and charges for Lifeline fees; *Motioned by Gilley; seconded by Van Beek; all ayes; motion carried.*

Approval of updated policy: *Motioned by Van Beek, seconded by Gilley; all ayes; motion carried*.

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| **BOH –GCMC FY 24 LPHS Agreement** *Motioned by Van Beek; seconded by Gilley; all ayes; motion carried.* **Staffing Update** 1 Family Support Worker position open been posted in hospital and on Facebook  |

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

**Adjournment:** *Meeting adjourned at 8:13 AM; Gilley made motion; seconded by Van Beek; all ayes.*

Next meeting, August 3, 2023 at 7:00 A.M., GCMC Medical Staff Library, Level B. Virtual option will be available, if needed.

Respectfully submitted,

Anne Carstens, PH Office Manager