Minutes - Clinton County Board of Health **Public Meeting held**

February 15th, 2018 - 7:30 a.m.

Clinton County Administration Building - Conference Room "B" 1900 N. 3rd St., Clinton

Board Members

Dr. Mary Malcom

Present

Dr. O. Daniel Osaro

Present

Dr. Sheryl Ernst

Present

Jean Morgan, RN, BSN, MSED

Present

Don Thiltgen

Present

Staff Present

Shane McClintock, Director to the Board of Health

Kelli Eggers, Administrative Assistant to the Board of Health

Others Present

Angie Maze, Medical Associates

Kate Hoskins, Iowa Department of Public Health Alexa Hach, Iowa Department of Public Health

Shannon McManus, I-Smile Laurie Sparks, Genesis VNA

Angie Eacker, Community Health Care Cvnthia Kaczinski, Hillcrest/WIC

Lauren Schwardt, CSAC

Joanne Hermiston, Women's Health Services

Jocelyn Meyer, Bridgeview

Nancy Burns, Emergency Management

Malcom called the meeting to order at 7:34 a.m. Roll call showed 5 members present. It was moved by Osaro, seconded by Morgan, to APPROVE the December 14th, 2017 minutes as submitted. Motion carried 5-0.

AGENDA ITEM III - BOARD OF HEALTH

No updates.

AGENDA ITEM IV - COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. Finance McClintock stated the budget meeting was held in January, with the final budget usually available in March.
- B. Personnel Malcom questioned employee reviews. McClintock's will be in March, Eggers's in July.
- C. Total Quality Management No updates.

AGENDA ITEM V – DEPARTMENT REPORTS

- A. Environmental Services- McClintock noted that the budget meeting went well with a zero budget. The only increase requested was for Women's Health Services. Elvira is still in progress. McClintock is waiting to hear from ECIA if they will run the sanitary district. McClintock was working with Kristen Huisenga of Gateway Impact Coalition to obtain a federal grant thru the EPA, but they are no longer applying for that. McClintock said he would partner with the city of Clinton with radon testing and will update regarding this in the future.
- B. Genesis VNA & Hospice— Informational report submitted. Sparks requested approval for Regional Preparedness, Local Public Health, and Immunization Grants. The Emergency Preparedness Group is in the process of purchasing CPR mannequins. Regarding the Immunization Program, 19 children were served in January including 12 lead tests. Sparks stated they have held 2 flu clinics and also have been dealing with salmonella cases. The Nurse Family Partnership Program had 22 clients in which the nurse follows the pregnant mother and child until 2 years of age. The goal is to help make them a self-sustaining family with better child rearing. Osaro motioned to Approve the request for the approval of the Emergency Preparedness Grant, seconded by Thiltgen.

| Roll Call: | Malcom | Yes | |
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| | Osaro | Yes | Motion Carried 5-0 |
| | Thiltgen | Yes | |
| | Morgan | Yes | |
| | Ernst | Yes | |

Osaro motioned to APPROVE the Local Public Health Grant, seconded by Morgan.

| Roll Call: | Malcom | Yes | |
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| | Osaro | Yes | Motion Carried 5-0 |
| | Thiltgen | Yes | |
| | Morgan | Yes | |
| | Ernst | Yes | |

Thiltgen motioned to APPROVE the Immunization Grant, seconded by Morgan.

Roll Call: Malcom Yes

Osaro Yes Motion Carried 5-0
Thiltgen Yes
Morgan Yes
Ernst Yes

- C. Hillcrest Family Services/WIC— Kaczinski stated they are working on action plans to increase women's knowledge regarding the importance of iron, and also strengthening relationships with the local hospital on breastfeeding. The La Leche League will be offering breastfeeding classes in March at the WIC office and the hospital. Participation was 97% in October. As of January 31, it has dropped to 89.1% with a 32.5% no show rate. Kaczinski said that Farmer's Market had 483 participants in Clinton and Jackson counties combined, with a redemption rate of 52.1%. Osaro questioned transportation being an issue with no show rates. Kaczinski stated that they have done surveys, and transportation does not seem to be a major issue with no shows.
- **D. Early Childhood Iowa/DECAT** Not in attendance.
- E. Clinton Substance Abuse Council (GIC & CDC)- Schwardt stated that Huisenga with Gateway Impact Coalition has been busy with 3 grants. The STOP Grant focuses on the middle school regarding alcohol use. The Medication Disposal Grant is regarding proper disposal of medications. The CARA Grant focuses on opioids and methamphetamine usage with youth. Schwardt said the Camanche-DeWitt Coalition reapplied for the Drug Free Communities Grant. The coalition has also recently sent 8 people to Washington D.C. for leadership a forum.
- **F.** Women's Health Services—Hermiston stated that she presented statistics to the Board of Supervisors at the budget meeting. STD testing was up 35% this past year. HIV testing was up 28%. Only 1 positive HIV test was reported for the year. 83% of patients are at 100% or less of the Federal Poverty Level.
- G. Area Substance Abuse Council (ASAC)/New Directions- Not in attendance.
- H. Bridgeview Community Mental Health Center— Meyer stated that they have submitted a proposal to the Eastern Iowa Mental Health Region in December. This would fund a peer drop in center similar to one in DeWitt. The center is for those who are in distress and don't know where to go or who to talk to. Meyer said they now will be in Clinton Middle School offering surveys or initial screening to students. They had a representative at parent teacher conferences to discuss the importance of surveys. It is anticipated that they will have several children to screen especially because of recent prescription overdoses.

- I. Center for Alcohol & Drug Services, Inc. (CADS)- Not in attendance.
- J. Emergency Management— Burns stated that the county received the renewal from the National Weather Service as a Storm Ready County. The CERT Therapy Dog Program was recently at the middle school in regards to the 4 prescription incidents. The teams stayed with the children for an afternoon. They had a very positive outcome. The Run, Hide, Fight Training was offered at Calvary Baptist Church in January and will be held at Wheatland Manor in March. It will also be offered to all Clinton County employees and the Clinton Public Library staff. Burns said they are still doing Stop the Bleed trainings as well. A new CERT class was started last week with 18 people in attendance. Fire extinguisher trainings are also being held.
- K. Community Health Care, Inc.- Informational flier submitted. Eacker stated this is a motivational presentation being held in the Quad Cities. Eacker said they have seen several flu cases and offer both walk-ins and appointments. Morgan questioned space for walk-ins. Eacker explained that they will use a triage if needed and reschedule if the case is not urgent.
- L. Maternal Child Adolescent Health (MCAH)- Informational report submitted. McManus stated that in September the Iowa Periodicity Schedule changed with an added line for fluoride varnish. This enables providers to treat children from 6 months of age to 2 years old with reimbursement from Medicaid. I-Smile is offering lunch and learn opportunities and trainings to inform providers. It is suggested that they do the fluoride treatment at the child's immunization appointment for ease. McManus said that the Give Kids a Smile Mobile Dental Program that goes to schools giving free dental work for kids who qualify has a decline in the number of returned consent forms to the school. This may result in the bus not going to local schools any longer. I-Smile will host a luncheon next week with local school nurses to attempt to get consent return numbers up. Osaro recommended dropping the form to 1 page instead of 3 or to make it apart of student registration so it is a required form. McManus noted that 973 kids were treated last year with 20% being referred to a dentist for urgent care. Morgan noted that Camanche does not have fluoride in the water.

AGENDA ITEM VI – BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Not in attendance.

AGENDA ITEM VII – PUBLIC COMMENT

Kate Hoskins from the Iowa Department of Public Health presented on her position as the Rural Outreach Liaison. Informational packets were given regarding the Bureau of STD, HIV, and Hepatitis. Hoskins noted that Iowa has 74% of people living with HIV in larger cities and 26% in rural areas. This amounts to 2919 living in Iowa with HIV. 14% don't know they have HIV. Hoskins stated that the Ryan White Program is offered to patients which includes case management and assistance with housing and traveling. With this program, patients are 10% more likely to end up virally suppressed. Hoskins said that they also offer a program called ADAP to help individuals with HIV

medications. Pre exposure medications or PREP are offered to those who have been at risk to contract HIV. **Morgan** asked about the cost. **Hoskins** said it is mostly covered with insurance and the company itself offers up to \$3600 additionally. Most patients pay \$25 or less per month out of pocket. **Morgan** noted that most emergency room visit cases that are drug overdoses do not receive treatment. They self-discharge without any testing or referrals for testing. **Hermiston** suggested referrals to Women's Health Services. **Osaro** noted that we are making strides in the last few years regarding STDs. **Hoskins** stated that both the lab and hospitals report positive tests to the state. **Hoskins** asked for referrals for those who she can share her information with.

AGENDA ITEM VIII - OLD BUSINESS

None.

AGENDA ITEM IX - NEW BUSINESS

None.

AGENDA ITEM X – NEXT MEETING DATE

April 12th, 2018 and June 7th, 2018 at 7:30 am at the Clinton County Administration Building, Conference Room "B".

AGENDA ITEM XI – ADJOURNMENT

Motion by Thiltgen, seconded by Osaro, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously. Meeting was adjourned at 8:34 a.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Kelli Eggers, Administrative Assistant to

the Board of Health

Approved

Dr. Malcom, Chairperson, Board of Health

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