

Board of Health Meeting Minutes
 Valley County Health Department
 500 4th Ave South
 Glasgow MT 59230

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September 13, 2022

Roll Call The regular meeting of the Valley County Board of Health was held Tuesday, September 13, 2022, at 5:15PM via Zoom with in-person attendance optional. Board members present were Wes Thompson, Pam Lee, Cori Radakovich (present via phone and could hear the meeting but was not able to respond while attending remotely), Maggan Walstad, and Darcel Wesen. Others in attendance were Health Officer Shirley Baumgartner, Lynn Miller RN, Cam Shipp RS, Ella Tweten RN, and Angela Peterson. This meeting was open to the public through the Zoom link.

Board of Health Lynn reported that Cori Radakovich is our newest board member appointed by the Commissioners. Wes Thompson, Vice Chairperson, called the meeting to order in Darcel’s absence. Pam moved to approve Darcel Wesen continuing as Chair and Wes Thompson as Vice Chair for one more year, Maggan seconded. Both Darcel and Wes agreed to the motion to continue to serve those roles. The motion passed.

Approval of Minutes The minutes from the June 8, 2022 meeting were reviewed, with no changes or corrections noted. Pam moved to approve the minutes, Maggan seconded, and the motion passed.

Public comment on agenda items Sarah Meiers was the only member of the public in attendance. She is a nursing student who has been doing some training with VCHD.

Sanitarian report – Cam Shipp

Completed for Quarter

June 15-Sept. 13
 3rd Quarter

40	Retail Food Est.
5	Manufacturer
2	Public Accommodation
1	Tattooing/ Piercing
<u>5</u>	Schools
53	

Food Safety Training/Programs/Other Inspections, Trainings & Meetings

- July 12- MT Food and Consumer Safety Section (FCSS) Monthly Conference Call
- July 26- Mobile Food Truck Webinar (FCSS)
- July 27- Tattoos by Sam- Pre-Opening Insp.
- Aug. 11- The Ice Man of Glasgow- Change of Ownership- Pre-Opening Insp.
- Aug. 9- FCSS Monthly Conference Call
- Aug 24- Scotty Day Care Inspection

- Aug 26 – Cottage Food Webinar (FCSS)
- Sept. 6 – Trailer Court/ Campground New Rules (FCSS)
- Sept. 7 – Head Start Inspection
- Sept. 13- FCSS Monthly Conference Call

Health Complaints

- July 18 – Sewer Odor complaint in apartment at Nemont Manor
- July 28- Pizza Hut complaint

Septic Permits/Installations

- 10 permits for 2022

Sanitation in Subdivision Review

- Pines Cabin Sites- Parcel 65 Rewrite
- Boundary Line Adjustment- Sanitary Review
- L & J Subdivision Parcel 1 Removal of Ag Restrictions
- COS 148 Parcel 3 Removal of Ag Restrictions
- Joe Simmons COSA

The sanitarian is required to maintain a protocol on a truck or train wreck. Cam reports that the protocol was reviewed with no changes needed.

Health Department Report – Lynn Miller

	2021 1 st quarter June/July/Aug	2021 2 nd quarter Sept/Oct/Nov	2021/2022 3 rd quarter Dec/Jan/Feb	2022 4 th quarter Mar/Apr/May	Total
Family Planning	Total visits: 34 total clients: 26	Total visits: 14 Total clients: 15	Total visits: 10 Total clients: 10	Total visits: 10 Total clients: 10	Total Visits: 68 Total clients: 61
Outreach to new parent(s)	18	17	19	10	64
Animal Bites	10 (5 referred for PEP; 3 bats, 2 dogs)	6	6	8	30
Immunizations Total	1007 vaccines to 565 people	2,468 vaccines to 2,413 people	917 vaccines to 737 people	652 vaccines to	5,044
IMZ Non-flu Non-COVID	619 vaccines to 243 people	290 vaccines to 114 people	309 vaccines to 107 people	441	1,659
IMZ Influenza	High dose – 0 Regular -0	High dose - 390 Regular - 451 Total 841	High dose – 33 Regular – 77 Total 110	High dose – 1 Regular – 1 Total – 2	High – 424 Regular – 529 Total – 953
IMZ COVID	388 vaccines to 322 people	1,337 Vaccines to 1,458 people	498 vaccines to 520 people	209 vaccines to	2,432
coverage rate for 24-36 months (4DTap,3IPV,1MMR, UTD Hib, UTD	75% (50 complete of 67 total children)	71% (44 complete of 62 total children)	65% (40 complete of 62 total children)	81% (46 complete out of 57 total children)	

Hep B, 1VAR, UTD PCV13) on last day of quarter					
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	2022 1 st quarter June/July/Aug	2022 2 nd quarter Sept/Oct/Nov	2022/2023 3 rd quarter Dec/Jan/Feb	2023 4 th quarter Mar/Apr/May	Total
Family Planning	Total visits: 22 total clients: 22	Total visits: Total clients:	Total visits: Total clients:	Total visits: 10 Total clients:	Total Visits: Total clients:
Outreach to new parent(s)	18				
Animal Bites	8				
Immunizations Total	880 vaccines to 592 people	vaccines to people	vaccines to people	vaccines to	
IMZ Non-flu Non-COVID	625 vaccines to 338 people AUGUST only 323 vaccines to 191 people	vaccines to people	Vaccines to people		
IMZ Influenza	High dose – 0 Regular - 0	High dose - Regular - Total	High dose – Regular – Total	High dose – Regular – Total –	High – Regular – Total –
IMZ COVID	255 vaccines to 254 people	Vaccines to people	vaccines to people	vaccines to	
coverage rate for 24-36 months (4DTap,3IPV,1MMR, UTD Hib, UTD Hep B, 1VAR, UTD PCV13) on last day of quarter	81% complete (50 of 62 total children)	complete of total children)	complete of total children)	complete out of total children)	

<p><u>COVID update – 9/13/22</u> -24 active cases -2020 total known positives -18 confirmed deaths (Valley County) since 9/1/21 – 8/31/22 -36 total – <i>definition of COVID death has been expanded to capture complications from long-COVID (and 2 suspected)</i> -45% now fully vaccinated, 3311/7357 persons</p>	<p><u>INFLUENZA – 5/31/2022</u> Total 2021-2022 season – 2,475 cases of influenza A/B in MT Deaths in MT – 6 over age 65 / 1 age 18-64 / 2 pediatric 2 hospitalizations in Valley County 32 total in Valley County</p>
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PLAN – Wednesday and Thursday – Sept 14 – October 27 walk in 11:00 – 5:30pm

COVID bivalent booster age 12+ (Pfizer or Moderna)
and Moderna COVID original Dose 1 / 2 / (3 if needed)

INFLUENZA vaccine → High-dose FLU vaccine not available until OCTOBER 5
- or by appointment
-travel clinics to Prairie Ridge, Nemont Manor, Milk River, Nashua, Fort Peck, Lustre,
-BCBS Care Van will be here Oct 11 & 12 for Glasgow Schools, Opheim, St. Marie, and Hinsdale

STI – Valley County year to date – 9/03/2022	STI – Montana year to date; week ending 9/03/2022
Chlamydia – 13	Chlamydia – 2768 +1% from last year
Gonorrhea – 2	Gonorrhea – 846 -3%
Syphilis - 1	Syphilis – 190 +98%

- Staffing – Ella Tweten has announced her retirement on 2/16/2023. She is working on a list of duties/calendar of the tasks she does.
- Training/education/conferences – Teri will attend MTUPP meeting in Helena next week.
- Summary of programs –
 - MTUPP – We are waiting for the contract to display Frazer students’ artwork on the bench. Once received, we will contact the Courier so that these students are recognized for their art. Teri will visit the area superintendents soon – Frazer, Nashua, Hinsdale by Zoom, Opheim. She is scheduling presentations with two grades at a time and then will have a display at the schools’ parent/teacher conferences. The Board discussed having a speaker and education about vaping, tobacco, and the laws. This would be a presentation open to the public.
 - Family Planning – We will transition to Bridgercare out of Bozeman on 10/1/2022 with funding through 4/1/23. An allocation committee is determining how the federal funds will be distributed to each Title X site with consideration for the baseline cost of the program at the smaller health departments. We are running Snapchat ads every other month; for August our ads were viewed >38,000 times. We also have bulletin board displays at GHS girls’ bathroom and GMS boys’ and girls’ bathrooms.
 - Cardiac Ready – Robin continues to monitor equipment for the AEDs in Valley County. Hinsdale has put their Cardiac Ready Community sign up. Batteries and pads have been backordered but should be available soon.
 - IAP/MCH – August was particularly busy with back-to-school kindergarten and 7th grade vaccines. We encourage age 4+ to get the kindergarten vaccines year-round, and 7th grade vaccines can be given at age 11+.
 - We received a grant for \$13,000 that must be spent by 9/29/2022. The target audience is postpartum women. We have prepaid for ads at the Courier and the radio, bought extra toner for printing color handouts, and purchased handouts. We have a plan for giving new mothers information specific for their health in the postpartum period at each infant vaccine encounter.
 - Robin is also working on a project to fund and then supply period products to the local schools. Last spring Robin distributed period products that were in our storage room. These were well received at all VC schools with many staff reporting that are often supplying girls with products from their personal supply. One school has requested more products. Robin has offered that the Aaron Chatten Foundation pay a portion, VCHD can pay a portion from grant funds, and we are looking for donations from one more source in order to split the cost by three (3) for each.

Soroptimist has changed to Caring Hands with Kim Enkerud as the person to contact about their participation in this project.

Health Officer Report Shirley explained that she and Lynn had recently attended an online training from Bridgercare, our new Title X funding source for family planning. Shirley was very impressed with their knowledge & professionalism. Title X requires that our duty with clients is to screen for coercion and consent and we provide patient-driven information only. Concerns with the prosecution laws for South Dakota and Idaho residents seeking treatment in Montana were discussed.

Public comment on non-agenda items No public comment.


Adjourn Maggan moved to adjourn the meeting, Pam seconded, and the meeting adjourned.

The next regular meeting of the Board of Health is on Tuesday, December 13, 2022.

Daniel D. Weser 12/13/2022

Chairperson Date

Approved at the 12/13/22 meeting.

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