

Monthly Report: February 2024

GREENDALE HEALTH DEPARTMENT



February Highlights

- 2023 Greendale Health Department [Annual Report](#) released.
- Blog article on Harm Reduction Vending Machine written by staff, posted on WISE, End Stigma Together [website](#).
- Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) Summit was held on 2/13/24.
 - 27 participants celebrated our successes over the past year and brainstormed new and additional ways to continue to support public health in Greendale.
- Community Wellness Event by Community Alliance and Greendale Schools was held at Greendale High School on 2/21/24.
 - 8th grade mental health project presentations, National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) "What Your Kids Wish You Knew" presentation.



Upcoming Meeting Schedule*

Community Alliance

Historic Hose Tower
4th Tuesday of the month
530-7pm



Successful Aging in Greendale for Everyone (SAGE)

CLC meeting room
2nd Tuesday of the month
3-430pm



Healthy Mind, Healthy Greendale (HMHG)

CLC meeting room
3rd Friday of the month
8-9am



Step Up to Better Health

Greendale Health Department
Quarterly meetings
Next meeting: March 21, 2024
4-5 pm



Board of Health

Community Learning Center (CLC) meeting room
2nd Tuesday of the month
5-630pm

**Meeting dates and times are subject to change*

Upcoming Events

- National Public Health Week 4/1 through 4/7/24
- Greendale Memory Cafe 3/27/24
 - Historic Hose Tower; Charcuterie Boards and More!
- Multilingual Literacy Night 5/2/24
 - Community Learning Center; Sharing information about our services we offer to the community
- Clean and Green 5/11/24
 - Daffodil Park; Highlighting the importance of community engagement, volunteerism, and mental health

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Communicable Disease

- Respiratory= 28, Mycobacterial= 2, Gastrointestinal= 0, Sexually Transmitted Infection= 2, Other= 3 TOTAL: 35
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) updated COVID-19 recommendations

Chronic Disease/Injury Prevention

- Blood pressure screenings (3 older adult locations and in health department) = 28
- Memory Cafe participants= 21
- Boost Your Brain and Memory participants= 11

Maternal Child & Family Health

- HMHG Meeting- 8 participants
- Community Alliance Meeting- 9 participants
- Playground Quest App for Step Up to Better Health by Greendale Robotics/Team A.L.I.E.N presented at Board of Trustees meeting on 2/20/24
- Held meeting to discuss electronic nicotine delivery system (ENDS) state licensing and guidance updates and compliance checks
- 23 Narcan kits and education distributed
- 9 births/ 13 deaths in February

Environmental Health

- Applied for an Environmental Health mini grant through WI Dept. of Health Services (DHS) to increase tenant and homeowner's environmental health literacy related to Radon
- Worked with Village Attorney to refine Human Health Hazard Orders and enforcement procedures.
- Meeting with West Allis Environmental Health Staff/food inspector to review protocols, roles, responsibilities, and goals and objectives for 2024
- 2 radon kits distributed
- 13 sharps containers distributed

Emergency Preparedness

- Regional Public Health Caucus meeting with American Red Cross to discuss sheltering procedures, roles, and responsibilities
- Severe Weather/Power Outage Tabletop Exercise planning meeting with Franklin Health Dept, Hales Corners Health Dept, Forest Ridge (HC), Harbour Village (Gdale), and Milwaukee County Office of Emergency Management (OEM)

Access & Linkage to Care

- 5 case management clients
 - Public Health Navigator/Case Manager position has concluded; public health staff (Public Health Nurse) now managing these referrals
 - Case Management program review presentation at Board of Trustees meeting on 2/20/24