# **JUNE 2022**



- 1.Our **Step Up to Better Health** Composting booth at School's Out Event
- 2.Staff at **Mke Area Health Education Center (AHEC)** lunch + learn with other Public Health professionals from the area
- 3.PHN @ **Bike Safety/Big Truck Day** taking a fun break from providing helmet fittings
- 4. Youth wearing **Community Alliance** reflective vests at School's Out Event
- 5. Mock **"Wake Up Call"** bedroom display at Community Alliance Meeting









#### June 2022

#### **Communicable Disease**

- Greendale Health Department has discontinued the **individual case investigations** for those who test positive for COVID-19 as of 6/30/22. Residents who test positive or who have questions about COVID-19 are still always welcome to call us to receive information and guidance. The objective moving forward is to place focus at the community level.
  - Stay home if sick and consider <u>getting tested</u> for COVID-19, wash your hands frequently, cover your coughs and sneezes, wear a mask when <u>community level</u> is considered "<u>high</u>". If you test positive, speak with your healthcare provider to determine if you would be a good fit for <u>COVID-19 treatment</u>.

#### **Community Alliance**

- Staff attended community events and shared information about having a family "<u>Exit Plan: What's Your</u> <u>Out?</u>"
  - An Exit Plan is used in situations that are uncomfortable, dangerous, sticky, unsafe, risky, tricky.
    No matter what situation or decision got them there, you want them to know how to get out safely. One of the most common approaches is to agree on a code word or phrase.
- During the monthly coalition meeting, a mock **"Wake Up Call"** bedroom display was presented. The Wake Up call presentation provides practical information on current drug trends, a walk-through of a teen's bedroom with more than 20 red flags that could indicate substance abuse, and proactive parenting strategies to keep your child substance free.
  - The <u>Wake Up Call</u> room will be available to visit in the lower level of the CLC during Village Days. Look for details coming soon!

### **Mental Health**

- The Healthy Minds, Healthy Greendale group are continuing to make plans and take action towards improving and supporting the mental health of the community.
  - Coordinated the <u>"Sound It Out" campaign Public Service Annoucement (PSA)</u>, which has a focus on using music to communicate feelings. The PSA will be shown at the Milky Way Drive-In theatre from May – October, with approximately 130 shows and 150 cars per showing. The PSA will be played within 5-10 minutes of the feature movie.
  - <u>Book lists</u> are available by age group and category on the Greendale Public Library website. There are also a lot of mental health electronic resources available through Libby and Hoopla. The books that were part of the mental health display in May were checked out more than most other displays. Patrons were interested in the books and topic.
- <u>988 Suicide and Crisis Lifeline</u> will be active after July 16, 2022. Anyone can call or text 988 or use an online chat tool to access the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline/Wisconsin Lifeline. If you or someone you know needs support for a suicidal, mental health, and/or substance use crisis, don't hesitate to use 988. They are trained to reduce the stress of your challenge, provide emotional support, and connect you with local resources.

## Greendale Health Department Board of Health Report 06/2022

Communicable Disease Contro	ol and Prev	vention:			Hours/Mo	YTD	21 YTD
Adult and childhood immunizations; follow up on communicable disease cases; community							
education on topic			235	1665.75	3483		
Immunizations	Counts	YTD	21 YTD	Communicable Disease	Counts	YTD	21 YTD
Age 0-18 Clients	0	2	62	Mycobacterial	0	3	4
Age 0-18 Immunizations	0	2	66	Food/water borne	2	3	1
Age 19+ Clients	21	145	4746	Sexually Transmitted Infection	5	20	6
Age 19+ Immunizations	21	146	4916	Other	2	11	0
Total Clients	21	147	4808	COVID-19	163	1484	249
Total Immunizations	21	148	4982				

Chronic Disease Prevention/Management		YTD	21 YTD
Tobacco prevention; high blood pressure screenings; community education on arthritis;			
dementia; cancer; diabetes; heart disease; and strokes	147	507	93.5

Maternal Child Health:		YTD	21 YTD
Prenatal & infant visits; hearing/vision screening; child safety; child development screening;			
community education on topic	82.5	320	70

Environmental Health:	Hours/Mo	YTD	21 YTD
Food outbreaks; radon; asbestos; mold; complaints; community education on			
environmental health topics	16.5	110	68

Emergency Preparedness:		YTD	21 YTD
Volunteer management; plan for & exercise annual flu clinic at high school; identify			
emergency plans for vulnerable populations	87	250.5	384.5

Community Health Improvement Workgroups		YTD	21 YTD
The workgroups include: Community Alliance, Step Up to Better Health, Successful Aging in			
Greendale for Everyone (SAGE) and Mental Health.	360	2116.25	1512

Vital Statistics/Surveillance/Administrative			
Reports	Counts	YTD	21 YTD
Birth Reports	11	64	57
Death Reports	17	102	71

