Health Education

Public Health announcements via social media (Facebook and Twitter):

Bloomingdale, Pequannock and Riverdale:

Mondays Campaign:

Quit Smoking; Care Giver Monday (explore something new for yourself); Meatless Monday (eat green to purify and detox); Move it Monday (get up and move every hour at work)

Mental Health Screening Tool

Bloomingdale and Pequannock:

Wedding Season: caterer food safety questions

Zufall: affordable medical care

Move it and go for a walk- walking brochure posted

Women's Health Week

Women's Health Event: Reducing cancer risks

May is National Physical Fitness Month & Melanoma Awareness Month

Osteoporosis: facts

Pequannock:

Memorial Day: no recycling collection

Shred Day

Bloomingdale:

Walk with the Mayor:

- 1. Resumes
- 2. Don't forget to join us tonight
- 3. Cancelled due to rain

Health Education Programs

Jean and Sue collaborated with the Bloomingdale library and conducted story time. We used the opportunity to read two stories related to vision and created an "eyeglasses" craft. There were 13 children and 8 adults present. Additionally a free vision screening was offered 4 children were screened; none referred.

Poison Prevention Poster Contest: Award Ceremony was held in Kinnelon and Bloomingdale

Jean and Sue met with children's library director in Riverdale, planned story time /Pre K vision screening this summer.

Pequannock monthly community educational board in the municipal building, updated with Skin Cancer Awareness information

Jean attended Bloomingdales Stigma Free Task Force meeting

Looking Forward:

Skin Cancer Screening at Florham Park Municipal Pool—June 17, 2017

Pre K Vision Screening

Pequannock

• Holy Spirt School - 28 children screened 9 referrals

Florham Park

• London Day School- 20 children screened 4 referrals

Communicable Disease Section

Bloomingdale

- 1 case VPD Influenza B
- 1 case other Zika [approved for testing]

Pequannock

• 1 case other – strep pyogenes

Kinnelon

• 1 case other – chikungunya

Florham Park

1 case other – Zika [approved for testing]

Individualized Clinical Services

Schuyler Ave: Follow up by HD by first aid squad; concerned about elderly resident who lives alone. Sue visited patient and spoke with family. Resources offered, referrals refused by resident. No further action at this time.

Maternal Child Health

4 children physicals total immunizations given----- 10 immunizations given

2 children seen---- 2 immunizations given

1 adult seen----- 1 vaccine received

Animal Control

Florham Park:

Intake 5 cats (two mother cats with four nursing kittens)

Complaints

Riverdale:

Rodent Activity— [recent construction on RR crossings & river is nearby]

- ⇒ Fernwood Crescent
- ⇒ Parkway (three residences)
- ⇒ Newark Pompton Turnpike
- ⇒ Post Lane/Munn

The Grande—Parvo complaint—residents dog got sick; some dog owners are not picking up feces; also worked together with ACO on complaint.

Bubbles n Bones—dog contracted a severe infection from a nick requiring hospitalization. Inspection revealed minimal to no sanitizing of the cutting equipment. Proper procedures/best practices reviewed with the owner. Will re-inspect two weeks from inspection date.

Pequannock: Tilley Ave.—Garbage in driveway—ongoing

7-Eleven—Insanitary bathroom—abated Elmwood Rd.—Rodent activity—ongoing

Turnpike—Stagnant water—abated Rout 23— Stagnant water—ongoing

Bloomingdale: Van Dam Ave.—Chickens & rooster—abated

Kinnelon: Standish Ln.—Septic overflow—ongoing

Ricker Rd.—Septic overflow—ongoing

Education/Conferences

Sue and Jean attended the Greater Passaic Valley Public Health Association meeting; *Influenza updates* presented by Monica Aducci, Sanofi Pasteur

Sue and Jean attended a conference "Health care associated infections" presented by NJDOH

Gail attended the Northern Regional Lead Poisoning Prevention and Healthy Homes Coalition meeting. Gail attended fours session of "The NJ Alternate Recycling Certification Series", sponsored by NJDEP in cooperation with Association of NJ Recyclers and Rutgers. Upon passing a final examination, is now eligible to be a certified recycling coordinator.

Gail attended a webinars, NJEDRS (death records) & VIP 105 (birth records) sponsored by NJDOH Gina participated in the following for CHES certification:

- Social Movements in Public Health
- Risk Communication
- Collaborating with Churches to Conduct Evidence Based Health Promotion
- How to Become an Effective Spokesperson

Gina and Tim attended, "Zika Conference: Public Health Updates and Resources for New Jersey Communities" sponsored by NJACCHO and NJDOH.

Tim attended, "How to be an Assertive Manager/Supervisor", sponsored by Fred Pryor Seminars.

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Montclair State University Internship with Pequannock Township Health Department Final Project submitted by: Pamela Presinal

