

Board of Health

4/9/19

Present:

- Jill Domek-GMC
- Stephen Schreibeis- Glendive Schools
- Cindy Heidt- Mental Health
- Joe Leal- Medical Officer
- Dennis Zander- Commissioner
- Justin Cross- licensed establishment
- Jerry Jimison- City of Glendive
- Brett Irigoin- County Attorney



Staff present:

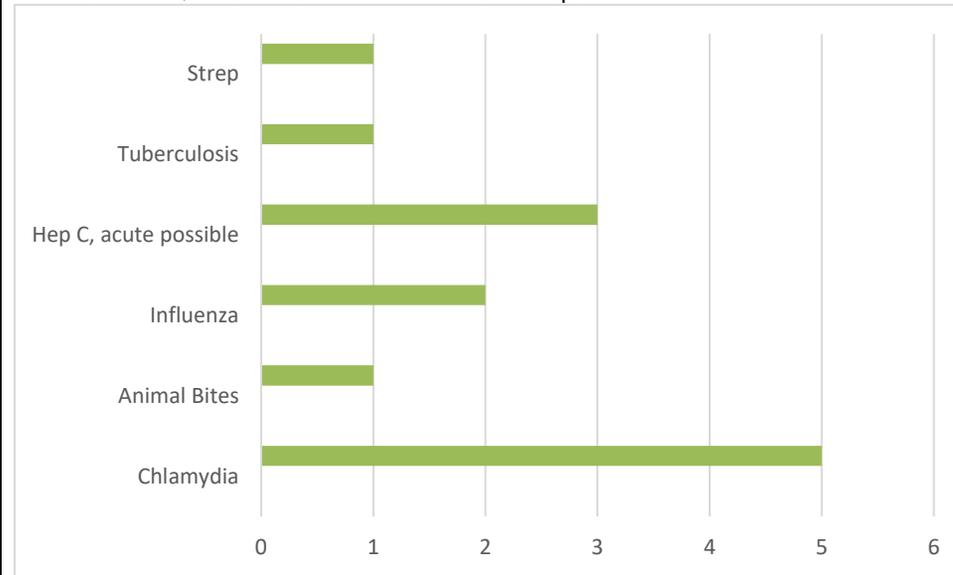
- Timber Dempewolf
- Kevin Pena

Guests: Lindsay Sadorf, Naome Wright

Agenda item	Discussion	Follow-up
Review and approval of minutes	Motion made by Dennis to approve the minutes from 1/14/19 as published, seconded by Stephen.	
Old Business		
Jordan Inn	Bill Marks has contacted Mayor Jimison about meeting to discuss the Jordan Inn property. He would like to propose it be renovated for non-profit housing.	
New Business:		
Health Department Report		
Tobacco Prevention	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Worked with the TIP/Trading Card Kids again this year for our Days of Action <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Through With Chew Week: February 19-22 ○ Great America Spit Out ○ Kick Butts Day: March 20 • Trading Card Kids applications are due back to the office on April 26th. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Interviews will be held the last week of April first week of May ○ Looking for more community involvement for through the summer and the next school year ○ Have agreed to help Action with Commodities every other month. Commodities will be delivered every other month will bag and distribute on the even months • Tobacco Coalition Meetings <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Next meeting May 8th —noon in the basement of the Dawson Co. Courthouse ○ Second Wednesday, every other month 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quit Line numbers have increased in Dawson 11 calls for FY2019 so far • Social Media <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Every Wednesday on DCHD Facebook page 	
Health Prevention Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Currently Lindsay is teaching a weekly Hypertension prevention class. There are 8 participants. This class meets on Thursdays through May 16th. • A car seat Clinic will be held May 4th in conjunction with Week of the Young Child, in the Parkwood Motel parking lot. There will be a variety of activities for children. 	
PHEP	<p>Reviewed the Communicable Disease plan and Transport plan. A communicable disease tabletop exercise was completed in January for a TB outbreak.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GMC Lab is prepared with supplies, proper paperwork and specimen transport guidelines. • DCHD used their Transport plan, communicable disease plan and isolation and quarantine plan. • DCHD needs to review Isolation and Quarantine plan with partners more often. It will be reviewed at the next Unified Health Command meeting. 	
Communicable Disease	<p>Influenza in MT: Reported flu cases are beginning to decline, albeit slowly. As of March 30th, 12,418 cases, 719 hospitalizations, and 19 deaths have been reported this season. (10,400 cases reported last season)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The most common influenza subtype identified this season is Influenza A H1N1 (2009), although in the past few weeks, a greater proportion of Influenza A H3N2 than Influenza A H1N1 have been identified (of those that were subtyped) <p>Measles: To date, 387 cases have been reported in the United States. The outbreak in Clark County, WA appears to be slowing down, with 73 cases reported (last case: 3/18).</p>	

FY 2018-2019 Quarter 3 Communicable Disease Report



Contact Investigations: 13

Total Investigations: 13

Average time on case (notification to close): 5.0

All cases were investigated, all cases have been closed.

Two influenza cases were investigated due to hospitalizations. Both patients were discharged home. One patient expired from other comorbidities. Year to date there have been 161 total influenza reported cases.

2018 Annual Report

The 2018 Annual report was shared. This report highlights Health Department activities and accomplishments for the year. It will be posted to the County Website www.dawsoncountymontana.com

Summary:

- Animal bites increased from 9 to 24.
- Case investigations increased from 21 to 33
- Overall immunizations increased slightly

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There were 86 more Family Planning visits in 2018 • Funding for Home visiting was increased allowing DCHD to hire an additional parent educator and increase the number of families served. • The number of Meals on Wheels delivered has increased by 1000. • 3 quality improvement projects were completed topics included HF Blood Draws, Animal bite reporting and immunization recall procedures. 	
Sanitarian Report		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lori Bouchard started employment 3/1/19. • Complaints about neighbors' yards have started to increase with the arrival of spring. • Save Serve classes were provided for Watch East and another class is planned for general public establishments. • Brian has started trapping again at the Jordan; he would like to trap at the city water plant too. • The cleanup of frac sand on Hwy 16 has started again and it should be complete by May 3rd according to the order by MT State DEQ. 	Kevin will follow up with Jack about access to the city water plant for trapping
Health Officer Report		
	GMC had seen an increase in the number of individuals who sought care for influenza through the clinic and urgent care.	
Other Business		
	<p>City</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bids have been received for the water treatment plant; it should be awarded at the May 1st meeting. • Town St. and Mead will have sewer and water lines repaired and then the State will follow with new curbs and gutters. • The pool is scheduled to open 6/3/19 <p>County</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There have been a few complaints about the lagoon smell. • The county donated \$1000 for dump fees during the annual clean up week scheduled April 21-27. 	

	Schools- There will be a lot of changes over the next 2 years. The core team will be recommending the school board ask for a levy to maintain the district's budget authority. It is likely they will ask for a Bond for the fall election. The school board election is 5/7/19, there are 5 candidates running for 3 positions. There are still unfilled positions for the rural areas.	
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Next meeting – 7-8-19

Notes by: Timber Dempewolf

BOH Chair Signature

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