



# GREENE COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH HEALTH COMMISSIONER'S REPORT July 27, 2018

1. **Administration** (Melissa Howell)
  - a. *Accreditation* (A. Steveley and S. Wynn)
    - i. The agency is responding to pre-site visit requests for additional documentation and responding to questions from the Public Health Accreditation Board (PHAB) review team. Responses were provided by the July 29 deadline.
  - b. *Epidemiology* (D. Brannen)
    - i. One hundred thirty-seven (137) cases of Hepatitis A have been identified statewide resulting in 91 hospitalizations. Ages range from 19 to 64 years with 62% identified as male. Twenty-seven (27) Ohio counties have been impacted.
    - ii. Blood donations showed evidence of human infection with West Nile Virus, however, no confirmed cases have been identified yet this year. The trends are in keeping with 2012 epidemic rates.
  - c. *Public Information* (L. Fox)
    - i. Media
      1. 07/02/2018 Malik Perkins, WHIO TV 7; in-person Hepatitis A interview with D. Brannen and R. Fosnaugh
    - ii. Press Releases and Recognition:
      1. Fair Safety
      2. Fatal Data Review (traffic safety)
      3. Free Infant Feeding Classes
      4. Hep A Update
      5. NWS Heat Advisory
    - iii. Social Media
      1. Did you know that urban residences are at greater risk of the effects of prolonged [#heat](#) than rural and suburban residences? <http://www.ready.gov/heat> [#HeatSafety](#) [#EmergencyPrep](#) [#Preparedness](#) [#GCPH](#)
      2. [#Emergency](#) responders: Think about survivor's physical, psychological, & emotional safety & well-being after a [#disaster](#). People may have experienced a variety of past traumas in their lives. <http://ow.ly/eKPK30kS1or> [#Preparedness](#) [#GCPH](#)
      3. It's going to be a hot one this weekend! Are you prepared? Stay cool. Stay hydrated. Stay informed. [#BeattheHeat](#) [#Preparedness](#) [#GCPH](#)
      4. Do you have a Family Emergency Plan? Check out this link to see how you can plan ahead, be safe, and be ready in the event of an emergency >> <http://ow.ly/2n0330kZwv9> [#Preparedness](#) [#GCPH](#)



5. Talk with your kids about [#SevereWxPrep](#). Know the facts: <http://go.usa.gov/3xkJF> [#Preparedness](#) [#GCPH](#)

2. **Communicable Disease (A. Schmitt)**

a. Counts

<b>CLASS A DISEASES</b>	<b>JUNE</b>	<b>YTD</b>
Influenza A – novel virus	0	0
Measles	0	0
<b>CLASS B DISEASES</b>	<b>JUNE</b>	<b>YTD</b>
Amebiasis	0	0
Babesiosis	2	2
Campylobacteriosis	3	14
Chlamydia trachomatis infections	35	343
Coccidioidomycosis	0	1
Cryptosporidiosis	0	0
Dengue	0	0
E. coli 0157H7 and Shiga toxin-producing E.coli	2	5
Giardiasis	0	1
Gonorrhea	10	94
Haemophilus influenza	1	4
Hepatitis A	1	3
Hepatitis B, non-perinatal	3	25
Hepatitis B, perinatal case management	0	2
Hepatitis C	11	94
Hepatitis E	0	0
Immigrant investigation TB	0	3

CLASS B DISEASES	JUNE	YTD
Influenza-associated hospitalization	0	229
Influenza - ODH lab results	0	0
Legionnaires' disease	4	4
Listeriosis	0	0
Lyme disease	0	1
Malaria	0	0
Meningitis (bacterial)	0	1
Meningitis (viral)	0	0
Mumps	0	0
Mycobacterial disease, other than tuberculosis	0	0
Pertussis	0	5
Q Fever	0	0
Salmonellosis	2	9
Shigellosis	1	3
Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis	0	0
Staphylococcus aureus	0	0
Streptococcal disease, group A invasive	0	2
Streptococcus pneumonia, group B	0	1
Streptococcus pneumonia ISP	0	12
Toxic shock syndrome	0	0
Tuberculosis	0	1
Typhoid fever	0	0
Varicella	0	3
Vibriosis	0	0
West Nile Virus	0	0



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Yersiniosis	0	0
Zika Virus Infection	0	0

**3. Environmental Health (Jeff Webb)**

**a. Food**

- i. During the period of 06/20 and 07/20/2018, the Environmental team has received, responded to and investigated 16 food complaints.
- ii. C. Propes and R. Schairbaum have been working on a chronology and associated documentation for Romer’s Bar & Grill. They will be ordered to appear for a meeting with Jeff Webb, Environmental Health Director, due to failure to follow the Food Code and health district orders.
- iii. R. Schairbaum and A. Taylor met with Bob Evan’s management to discuss operational issues within the facility and reached mutual agreements for compliance.
- iv. A. Taylor has been working Hilton Garden Inn regarding on-going swimming pool issues. Ms. Taylor is providing guidance and support to help the facility achieve compliance and is also assisting in obtaining approval of equipment changes through the Ohio Department of Health.
- v. J. Redmond has been working with Hampton Inn regarding insufficient chlorine residual issues with the swimming pool. The issue was resolved after three follow-up inspections.
- vi. 07/17/2018 J. Redmond responded to a call-out for a fire that occurred in the Gyro King at the Fairfield Commons Mall.

**b. Plumbing**

- i. Four new registered contractors; 231 total for 2018 license year.
- ii. Issued 158 permits; 1,099 total for year.
- iii. Reviewed five commercial plumbing plans; 68 total for year.
- iv. Made 401 inspections; 2,296 total for year.

**d. Mosquito Control**

- i. Known areas of past mosquito activity in Beavercreek, Bellbrook, Fairborn, Yellow Springs, Xenia and Jamestown continue to have larvicide applied to help curtail mosquito activity every 30 days. Trapping of adult mosquitoes continues each week and the first nine pools of mosquitoes sent to the Ohio Department of Health laboratory for West Nile Virus testing were negative. ODH produces a weekly report of the test results for the State of Ohio and 20 counties have found West Nile Virus positive mosquitoes as of the report. No human cases of West Nile Virus have been reported for the State of Ohio. The Environmental team completed two adulticide application in July.

**e. Sewage**

- i. S. Adams issued final approval for the mound sewage system installed at a

wedding venue in Sugarcreek Township. This is the third wedding venue small flow sewage system installed in Greene County.

- ii. The solid waste hauling vehicle inspections 80% complete. J. Gruza is continuing to follow up with the companies that have vehicles in need of inspection.

**4. Health Fairs/Festivals**

- a. 07/06/2018 Xenia First Friday (J. Drew, S. Reporter)
- b. 07/28/2018 The Hope Continues (J. Channels, L. Myers)
- c. 07/29 -08/07/2018 Greene County Fair (multiple employees)

**5. Meetings and Presentations (All)**

- a. 07/02/2018 Baby and Me Tobacco Free Kick-Off/Orientation conference call (K. Bean)
- b. 07/09/2018 Domestic Preparedness Coalition meeting (K. Caudill)
- c. 07/10/2018 Tobacco Free Ohio Alliance Quarterly meeting (K. Bean)
- d. 07/10/2018 Community Roots meeting (J. Drew)
- e. 07/12/2018 ODH Hepatitis A conference call (A. Schmitt)
- f. 07/12/2018 Community Garden Education event (J. Drew)
- g. 07/13/2018 Community Health Improvement Plan Coordinating Entity/Workgroup meeting (K. Bean, J. Drew)
- h. 07/13/2018 Regional Exercise conference call (K. Caudill)
- i. 07/13/2018 Greene County Youth Intervention Center Sexual Health presentation (J. Warner)
- j. 07/17/2018 Dayton Metropolitan Medical Response System meeting (K. Caudill)
- k. 07/17/2018 Regional Emergency Response Coordinator meeting (K. Caudill)
- l. 07/16 and 07/23/2018 Level 2 ServSafe class (C. Propes, R. Schairbaum)
- m. 07/17/2018 Level 1 ServSafe class (R. Schairbaum)
- n. 07/18/2018 ODH weekly conference call (K. Caudill)
- o. 07/17/2018 Scott Pauly, AllState, and Ohio State Highway Patrol meeting (J. Drew)
- p. 07/18/2018 Rainbow Child Care Center Germ Glow presentation (J. Drew)
- q. 07/19/2018 Ohio Environmental Health Association meeting (S. Jensen)
- r. 07/25/2018 Sanitary Engineering Waste and Wastewater Advisory Committee meeting (J. Webb)
- s. 07/30/2018 Elder Abuse Prevention meeting (J. Gruza)

**6. Workforce Development Training and Conferences (All)**

- a. 07/02/2018 Food inspection report training (S. Adams, J. Gruza, M. Isaacson, T. Myers, C. Propes, J. Redmond, R. Schairbaum, D. Shontz, A. Taylor, J. Webb)
- b. 07/10-07/11/2018 2019 Tobacco Grant training (K. Bean, S. Reporter)
- c. 07/10/2018 *How to Manage Adverse Drug Reactions from Medications for TB Infections and Disease* (A. Schmitt)



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- d. 07/12/2018 Baby and Me Tobacco Free program training (J. Warner)
  - e. 07/23 – 07/26/2018 Healthy Families America (HFA) Core training (J. Orr-Carstens)
7. **Upcoming Events**
- a. 08/13/18 Grand Opening, 3 p.m. – 6 p.m.