

**GREENE COUNTY**  
**BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING**

**August 8, 2024**

**6:30 p.m.**

**AGENDA**

1. Call to Order and Guest Introduction•
2. Consent Agenda‡
  - a. July 11, 2024, Minutes
  - b. Greene County Public Health Monthly Activity Report
3. Presentation: Communicable Disease – TB 2024
4. Finance Reports‡
  - a. Income and Expenditure
  - b. Voucher Summary/Then and Now
  - c. Appropriation Transfers
5. Governance Reports
  - a. Governance Committee
  - b. Performance Evaluation Committee
  - c. Planning and Finance Committee
6. New Business
  - a. Resolution of Appreciation – Mr. William Beeman‡
  - b. Resolution of Appreciation – Ms. Teresa Myers‡
  - c. Resolution of Appreciation – Ms. Carla DeBrosse‡
  - d. Revision of Estimated Payout for Employee, Teresa Myers‡
7. Additional Business

Next Meeting: September 5, 2024

Time: 6:30 p.m.

Place: Greene County Public Health

- ‡ Decision needed
- Information item
- Discussion Item



# GREENE COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT July, 2024

## 1. Foundational Capabilities

### a. *Epidemiology*

- i. Completed risk assessment of Greene County residents who were potentially exposed to bats at a camp in Richland County, Ohio between June 23, 2024 and July 4, 2024. If the risk was elevated those persons were referred to Dayton Children’s Emergency Department for post-exposure prophylaxis for rabies.
- ii. *Candida auris* outbreak at a nursing home can now be closed as no new cases were observed after 28 days.
- iii. An outbreak of enteric illness associated with a bakery can now be closed.
- iv. An outbreak of scabies is under control at a local shelter. Scabies (*Sarcoptes scabiei var. hominis*) is an infestation of the skin by a human itch mite. Scabies cause intense itching and a pimple-like skin rash. Human scabies is most commonly spread by direct, prolonged skin-to-skin contact with a person who has scabies. The staff at the shelter worked successfully with Greene County Public Health to control the outbreak. All known cases have been treated.

## 2. Communicable Disease

### a. *Counts*

Reportable Condition	Jun 2024	2024 YTD
Babesiosis	0	1
C. auris	0	1
C. auris - Colonization Screening	0	2
Campylobacteriosis	3	12
Chlamydia infection	35	230
Coccidioidomycosis	0	1
COVID-19	103	1751
CPO	0	7
Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease	0	0
Cryptosporidiosis	1	1
Cyclosporiasis	0	0
Dengue	0	0
E. coli, Shiga Toxin-Producing (O157:H7, Not O157, Unknown Serotype)	0	0
Ehrlichiosis-Ehrlichia chaffeensis	0	0
Giardiasis	0	2
Gonococcal infection	7	46
Haemophilus influenzae (invasive disease)	0	5
Hepatitis A	0	1
Hepatitis B - Investigation	0	0
Hepatitis B - Perinatal Infection	0	0
Hepatitis B (including delta) - acute	0	0
Hepatitis B (including delta) - chronic	3	17

Reportable Condition	Jun 2024	2024 YTD
Hepatitis C - chronic	6	52
Hepatitis C - Perinatal Infection	0	0
Hepatitis E	0	0
Immigrant Investigation	0	0
Influenza - ODH Lab Results	0	0
Influenza-associated hospitalization	0	117
Legionellosis	0	1
Listeriosis	0	0
Lyme Disease	1	8
Malaria	0	0
Measles - indigenous to Ohio (call health department immediately)	0	0
Measles - indigenous/imported Status Not Determined (call health department immediately)	0	1
Meningitis - aseptic/viral	0	0
Meningitis - bacterial (Not N. meningitidis)	0	1
Meningococcal disease - Neisseria meningitidis (call health department immediately)	1	1
Mpox	0	0
Mumps	0	1
Pertussis	2	35
Q fever, acute	0	1
Salmonellosis	4	9
Shigellosis	1	1
Spotted Fever Rickettsiosis, including Rocky Mountain spotted fever (RMSF)	0	0
Streptococcal - Group A -invasive	1	9
Streptococcus pneumoniae - invasive antibiotic resistance unknown or non-resistant	1	6
Streptococcus pneumoniae - invasive antibiotic resistant/intermediate	0	2
Syphilis - unknown duration or late	0	4
Tuberculosis	0	0
Varicella	0	0
Vibriosis (not cholera)	0	0
Yersiniosis	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>2326</b>

b. *Emergency Preparedness*

- i. The Medical Reserve Corps (MRC) units of the West Central Ohio region public health departments, including Greene County, are hosting severe weather training for MRC volunteers and staff on Saturday, July 13th from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm at Romer's Catering, 201 Robert M. Davis Parkway, Piqua, Ohio. The training will include how to prepare for severe weather and how to assist those with disabilities during a disaster/emergency. The presenters include Marc Burdiss from Preparedness Solutions, Inc. and Maria Matzik from the Access Center for Independent Living. The training is provided through a grant awarded by the Ohio Department of Health, Bureau of Health Preparedness MRC State, Territory and Tribal Nations, Representative Organizations for Next Generation (MRC-

STTRONG) Program. The first 150 registrants will receive a Midland Weather Radio.

### 3. **Environmental Health**

#### a. *Food Establishment/Food Service*

- i. General and Special Services team members performed inspections at the Yellow Springs Pride Event, Fairborn Block Party, Yellow Springs 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Beaver Creek 4<sup>th</sup> of July, Sonnycalb Fireworks, Red, White & Blue Xenia Block Party, and other various single events where temporary licenses were issued.

#### b. *Mosquito*

- i. The mosquito control program continues with new trapping locations being identified. To date, NO mosquito pools from Greene County have tested positive for pathogens.

#### c. *Sewage*

- i. Special Services have the first two sewage designs for the water pollution control loan fund (WPCLF) which provides financial and technical assistance for improvements to surface and ground water quality; bids for installation contractors will soon follow.

#### d. *Solid Waste*

- i. Greene County has registered/licensed its first Class 2 composting operation—a vessel composter in Miami Twp. A Class II compost facility is authorized to accept specific feedstocks, bulking agents, and additives for composting. These facilities are required to register, obtain an operating license, and establish financial assurance. The accepted materials typically include yard waste, agricultural plant materials, dead animals, raw rendering material, animal waste, food scraps, and authorized alternative materials.

### 4. **Health Education**

#### a. *Healthy Eating Active Living (HEAL)*

- i. Per the results of the HEAL walk audits in Fairborn, a bench and trash receptacle were placed in Fairborn near the FISH pantry on Funderburg Road.
- ii. To unveil the community enhancements, a Fairborn Clean-Up Day will be held on Tuesday, August 13, 2024 from 10:00 am-1:00 pm. This will give an opportunity for Fairborn residents and partners to come together to create a cleaner environment. Results of the walk audit showed substantial amounts of litter and debris in walkways of residents.
- iii. Greene County Public Health was awarded the Creating Healthy Communities (CHC) Program which will expand HEAL efforts. The CHC program will begin in October.

#### b. *Safe Communities*

- i. City of Fairborn annual July 3, 2024 Block Party (L. Gonyer, C. Holley). Safe Communities items were distributed along with our new promotional items (water bottles, safety kits, hand sanitizer).
- ii. There were five fatalities reported to the media for the third quarter of the Safe Communities grant (May-June). Greene County currently has seven fatalities for the year 2024. There were five fatalities in 2023.

- iii. Bridging the Community, a collaborative outreach event at Shawnee Park, Xenia (C. Holley).
- c. *Harm Reduction*
  - i. World Hepatitis Day event at Fairborn WIC July 26, 2024 (C. Holley, K. Day, S. Webb).
- d. *Tobacco*
  - i. The FY2025 Tobacco and Cessation grant began on July 1, 2024. The new Tobacco Health Educator, Lauren Toy started on the grant on July 15, 2024.

5. **Help Me Grow Early Childhood Home Visiting (HMG/ECHV)**

- a. *Nurse-Family Partnership (NFP)*
  - i. We received approval from the Nurse-Family Partnership National Service Office (NSO) to add another nurse to our implementation plan.
  - ii. E. Stafford, Greene County Public Health, Public Health Nurse met with staff at Bellbrook Sugarcreek Community Support Center for outreach NFP programs.

6. **Public Information**

- a. *Press Releases and Recognition*
  - i. Arrive Alive Tour at GuardCare
  - ii. GuardCare Comes to Greene County
  - iii. Delta Dental Foundation Grant
  - iv. Fentanyl Test Strips Available Through Mail Program
  - v. Safe Communities Fatality Review
  - vi. Fairborn Clean Up Day
- b. *Social Media*
  - i. Total social media posts/tweets scheduled: 227
- c. *Media Interactions*
  - i. 7/12/2024 - WRGT FOX45 with multimedia journalist, Eli Burgett by phone. Virtual interview with Samatha Webb, Greene County Public Health, Public Health Nurse, Community Services, regarding the Aware Home Test program for human immunodeficiency viruses (HIV).
  - ii. 7/15/2024 - Dayton Daily News with healthcare journalist Samantha Wildow. Interview with Dr. Don Brannen, Greene County Public Health County Epidemiologist, regarding overdoses of xylazine.
  - iii. 7/19/2024 - WRGT FOX45 with multimedia journalist Eli Burgett by email, and investigative reporter John Bedell with WHIO TV 7 with Jorge Magana, Greene County Public Health, Public Health Nutrition Program Manager regarding Microsoft outage and its effects with the Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Program.
  - iv. 7/23/2024 - WDTN TV 2 with Living Dayton Host Caroline Morse and multimedia journalist Adrienne Oglesby interview with Laurie Fox, Greene County Public Health, Public Information Officer regarding GuardCare.
- d. *Fairs/Festivals*
  - i. Yellow Springs Pride
  - ii. Fairborn Block Party

- iii. Yellow Springs 4<sup>th</sup> of July
- iv. Beaver Creek 4<sup>th</sup> of July
- v. Sonnycalb Fireworks
- vi. Red, White & Blue Xenia Block Party
- vii. Greene County Fair

**6. Approved External Meetings and Presentations**

- a. 07/01/2024 State WIC update meeting (J. Magana)
- b. 07/02/2024, 07/09/2024, 07/16/2024, 07/23/2024, 07/30/2024, Xenia Chamber of Commerce Rotary meeting (L. Fox)
- c. 07/09/2024, Xenia Chamber of Commerce Rotary Board meeting (L. Fox)
- d. 07/09/2024, 07/17/2024, 07/24/2024, Early Intervention administrative meeting with Four Oaks (P. Hamer)
- e. 07/11/2024 HIV, AIDS Planning Committee (S. Webb)
- f. 07/12/2024 Association of Ohio Health Commissioners (M. Howell)
- g. 07/17/2024 Meeting with Clinton County Early Intervention outreach representative (P. Hamer)
- h. 07/19/2024 Her Story Testing Sexually Transmitted Infections (STI) presentation (S. Webb)
- i. 07/22/2024 Greene County Sheriff's Office Jail Division Greene Leaf Program STI presentation (S. Webb)
- j. 07/25/2024 Early Childhood Coordinating Committee (N. Kessinger)
- k. 07/29/2024 Greene County Sheriff's Office Jail Division Greene Leaf Program, Adult Detention Center, STI presentation (S. Webb)

**7. Approved Workforce Development Training and Conferences (All)**

- a. 07/08/2024 Notes and Quality Improvement online training (C. Washburn)
- b. 07/12/2024 Motivational Interviewing online training (C. Manor, I. Barnett)
- c. 07/22/2024 Healthy Families America Policy to Practice online training (I. Barnett, E. Stafford, C. Manor, N. Kessinger)
- d. 07/22/2024-07/26/2024 National Association of City and County Health Officials (M. Howell and S. Wynn)
- e. 07/22/2024 – 07/26/2024 Growing Great Kids/Growing Great Families (GGK/GGF) interactive online training (C. Washburn)
- f. 07/22/2024 Motivational Interviewing online training (A. Moore)
- g. 07/25/2024 Qualitative Visualization Workshop (S. Brooks, S. Sanders, A. Moore, E. Stafford)

**8. Personnel**

- a. Welcome new team members, Lauren Toy, Health Educator.
- b. We sadly said goodbye to team member Alayna Romer, Health Educator.
- c. Congratulations, Olivia Detty! Olivia has been promoted to Administrative Professional.