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Fri 6/4/2021 8:22 AM

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Got it. We'll get started today on the social media/website.

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RE: COVID Vaccine Hesitancy and Confidence Grant

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Thu 6/17/2021 10:38 AM

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County Health Department-Facility Partnership Letter HRSA-21-142.docx;

Here is a sample letter of support if you don't mind drafting on your letterhead, signing and then return to me.

Thank you, Mike

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Here are some ideas and national incentives that have been discussed so far. Any additional ideas to add would be great from your perspective.

Thank you, Mike

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Yes! I would be more than happy to sign a MOU. Anything to help get our vaccination rates up. We are struggling in Miller County! We need relatable influencers instead of Hollywood. Conservative lawmakers, faith based organizations, fishing/hunting pros, NASCAR drivers, etc to influence our younger white males that are very resistant.

In the last four weeks we've had 80+ new cases, 5 hospitalizations, and a death. Compared to the six weeks + prior, where we had virtually nothing. Miller County is the lowest vaccinated county in Region F, and among the lowest in the state.

Mike

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Good Morning: Lake Regional Health System has a team of clinical, marketing and administrative people working on the HRSA-21-142 Rural Health Clinic Covid Vaccine Confidence Program Grant. With our six rural health clinics located in Iberia, Eldon, Lake Ozark, Osage Beach, Camdenton and Laurie we are eligible for a minimum grant of \$50,000 per RHC or \$300,000 for this next year (July 1, 2021 – June 30, 2022). The grant has been developed to mobilize resources to increase the number of Covid-19 vaccines that get in to the arms of our rural residents. In order for this to be successful we need to be able to partner with area county health departments, FQHC's, RHC's and health systems to increase vaccine awareness, education and availability of vaccine at no cost to the patient.

This is a very quick turnaround grant application. It was posted June 9th and has to be submitted by midnight ET on June 23, 2021. If you are interested in partnering with us to pool resources and even these grant dollars to make this a success please reach out to me today. I may ask you to sign a MOU/letter stating your participation just to have for HRSA. This grant can be only 10-15 pages in length so it is not anything cumbersome. I just want to cover all of our bases and improve on the numbers noted below.

Thank you, Mike

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RE: On-Site Surveying

Rabenold, Abigail <arabenold@lakeregional.com>

Tue 6/29/2021 10:20 AM

To: Baker, Charla <Charla.Baker@lpha.mo.gov>;

Okay, great. Thank you.

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Subject: [EXTERNAL] Re: On-Site Surveying

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From: Rabenold, Abigail <arabenold@lakeregional.com>

Sent: Tuesday, June 29, 2021 8:24:21 AM

To: Baker, Charla

Subject: On-Site Surveying

Good morning,

Is it okay if I come do some on-site surveying tomorrow and Thursday?

Thanks

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Hi Alicia,

Please see the following information.

- The user guide (page 105) has instructions on how to run this export:

<https://dohs.health.mo.gov/lphs/diseaseprevention/epitrax/pdf/user-guide.pdf>

Take care,

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Wed 6/16/2021 9:39 AM

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Important Survey & Meeting Update

Brenneke, Lori

Mon 6/21/2021 1:20 PM

Cc:DHSS.LPHA Administrator List <DHSS.LPHAAdministratorList@health.mo.gov>; Crumbliss, Adam <Adam.Crumbliss@health.mo.gov>; Bayer, Tiffany <Tiffany.Bayer@health.mo.gov>; Harrison, Jennifer <Jennifer.Harrison@health.mo.gov>; Jones, Larry <ljones@mocphe.org>; Weber, Diane <moalpha2004@yahoo.com>; Brenneke, Lori <Lori.Brenneke@health.mo.gov>;

Happy Monday! A few items to note:

Tiffany is out of the office starting today and will return Thursday, July 1. For anything needing immediate assistance, please send to me and/or Jennifer Harrison. Tomorrow's LPHA Call at 4 p.m. will include a presentation from Adam Crumbliss regarding the work of the Public Health Transformation team. The Adult Immunization Grant call scheduled for 3 p.m. has been shortened to 4 p.m. so that these calls do not overlap for anyone wishing to attend both. If you have any questions you would like addressed on the call, please make sure to send them to me by 2p.m. tomorrow.

Important Survey for LPHAs! – As mentioned on the weekly call last Tuesday, a sub-committee of the Public Health Transformation team has been looking at the existing composition of LPHA regions. To inform the work of this group, we need each LPHA to respond to a survey found at the following link: <https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/a3bef683de5c4b7aa1e0fcbd523b239f?portalUrl=https://mophep.maps.arcgis.com>

This survey must be done using Google Chrome in order for complete functionality. When clicking on the link, give it a few seconds to load. Please read the information in the survey in addition to the questions in order to assist in answering the survey. We hope to have **one response from each LPHA by Friday, July 2, 2021.**

Thank you and please reach out if you need anything.
Lori

Lori Brenneke

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Fw: LPHA Contract Office Hours

Bayer, Tiffany on behalf of Hussain, Afra

Tue 6/22/2021 9:15 AM

Inbox

To:DHSS.LPHA Administrator List <DHSS.LPHAAdministratorList@health.mo.gov>;

From: Hussain, Afra

Sent: Monday, June 21, 2021 3:22:42 PM

To: Hargrove, Nikita; Hudanick, Lana; Seyfert, Valarie; Bayer, Tiffany; McMillan, Tanya; Nation, Nina; Burrows, Steve; Hoffman, Kandiss

Cc: DHSS.LPHA Administrator List; Murray, Lori; Palmer, Sarah; Morang, Suzan; Goodin, Emily; Thornton, Ashley; Grim, Autumn; Crosby, Brittanie; Blaise, Cheryl; Werner, Connie; Lanning, Curtis; Burnham, Cynthia; Kleinberg, Donovan; White, Jayne; Hillerman, Kelli; Thompson, Kelly; Meek, Olivia; Miller, Pamela; Estes, Rebecca; Warncke, Sarah; Allen, Scott; Howatt, Shaina; Fisher, Travis; Heinen, Christina; Chambers, Mike; Dermott, Joel; Walker, Michelle.M; Hammer, Misty; Staso, Melissa; Zaborac, Gary; Stalling, Jason; Santhuff, Joyce; Beardsley, Lisa; French, Darby; Mayshark, Cindy; Gibson, Elizabeth; Blankenship, Devin; Epley, Crystal; Evers, Sara; Hoffman, Andrew; Browning, Stephanie; Koester, Amy; Cook, Andrea; Copling, Angie; Booker, Hannah; Bennett, Bre; Powderly, Brittney; Gentry, Hannah; Goswitz, Jessica; Sallin, Kim; Lay, Diane; Neece, Lauren; Brown, Rachel; Schulte, Lesley; Shelly roark; Stephanie Jones; Livengood, Julie; Dake, Stephanie; Peak, Karen; Reynolds, Michelle.R; Delaney, Paula; Dees, Jayne; Carrillo, Yolanda; Martin, Missy; Eads, Rhonda; Link, Jennifer; McDonald, Teresa; Hittson, Angie; Moots-Clair, Lori; Gough, Audrey; Penni Aubut; Moehr, Tony; Bowles, Peggy; Steitz, Christina; Taylor, Deborah; Burnett, Pam; Triplett, Tasha; Brewer, Tara; Mueller, Jennifer; Guzman, Angela; Spencer, Janella; Gilliam, Chris; Cross, Courtney

Subject: LPHA Contract Office Hours

When: Tuesday, June 29, 2021 3:00 PM-5:00 PM.

Where: WebEx

Hello,

If you have any questions regarding the deliverables of the LPHA Adult Immunizations contract, please feel free to ask during this time.

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Re: Case Investigation Assistance?

Baker, Charla

Tue 6/22/2021 4:06 PM

To: Highfill, Craig <Craig.Highfill@health.mo.gov>;

Craig:

I never want to turn down assistance, especially when it seems that Laclede County cases are skyrocketing. However, I am also a bit hesitant to accept outside assistance because of past experiences. During 2020, when our cases were extremely high, we reached out to MoDHSS asking for case investigation/contact tracing assistance. Unfortunately, that experience did not go well at all. In actuality, it caused my staff and I more work.

Due to our high numbers at this time, we have went back to 7-day per week case investigations and have recalled local contract staff that have been used via our ELC Cares Contract. At this time, I believe we are adequately handling the increase.

Charla L. Baker

Administrator
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<https://lacledecountyhealth.com>

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From: Highfill, Craig**Sent:** Tuesday, June 22, 2021 2:34:26 PM**To:** Baker, Charla**Subject:** Case Investigation Assistance?

Hi Charla,

I'm reaching out to LPHAs with the highest COVID case rates to see if any assistance with case investigations or epidemiology is needed. The CDC Foundation has offered to potentially hire either epidemiologists or case investigators in areas being hit the hardest with COVID right now. The workers would work remotely, be trained to use EpiTrax, would be employed by the CDC Foundation, and assigned to your LPHA. There is a short turnaround time and application process to request help. If you are interested, please let me know how much assistance is needed and I will see what we can work out with the CDC Foundation.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thank you,
Craig Highfill
Director of Prevention and Field Operations
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Re: Vaccinated Positive Cases

Baker, Charla

Wed 6/23/2021 4:52 PM

To: Kavlak, Leslie <Leslie.Kavlak@health.mo.gov>;

Thank you Leslie!

I wouldn't even ask, but the requests for this information are becoming more frequent.

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From: Kavlak, Leslie
Sent: Wednesday, June 23, 2021 4:50:30 PM
To: Baker, Charla
Cc: Smith, Kim
Subject: RE: Vaccinated Positive Cases

Hi Charla,

I will follow-up with Kate Cleavinger (our VPD Coordinator) and let you know once I get a response.

Take care,

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Leslie Kavlak, MPH
Lead Epidemiologist, Southwest District
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From: Baker, Charla <Charla.Baker@lpha.mo.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, June 23, 2021 4:39 PM
To: Kavlak, Leslie <Leslie.Kavlak@health.mo.gov>
Cc: Smith, Kim <Kim.Smith@lpha.mo.gov>
Subject: Vaccinated Positive Cases

Leslie:

When we are conducting case investigations for new positives, we are now asking about the vaccination status of the positive individual. Although we haven't been keeping an "official" record of this, we know the overwhelming majority of our recent cases are unvaccinated. And, to our knowledge, we have had only one (1) case meeting the criteria of a breakthrough case (fully vaccinated - hospitalized).

We are now being asked by community members what our statistics (numbers) are for fully vaccinated people getting COVID. Again, we're asking during investigations, but haven't really kept this documented separately. So my question would be, is there anywhere we can pull this data from?

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RE: Masking Question from Local School District

Goswitz, Jessica

Mon 6/28/2021 3:52 PM

To: Baker, Charla <Charla.Baker@lpha.mo.gov>;

Cc: Kavlak, Leslie <Leslie.Kavlak@health.mo.gov>;

Hi Charla,

We are not aware of any current guidance regarding masking for the 2021 school year but we will reach out to our leadership and see what they recommend. We'll keep you posted on what we find out!

Thank you,

Jessica Goswitz, MPH

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From: Baker, Charla <Charla.Baker@lpha.mo.gov>**Sent:** Monday, June 28, 2021 12:07 PM**To:** Goswitz, Jessica <Jessica.Goswitz@health.mo.gov>

Cc: Kavlak, Leslie <Leslie.Kavlak@health.mo.gov>

Subject: Masking Question from Local School District

Jessica:

I feel like we're on an island, all alone in the COVID fight, but I know others in the state are feeling the same way. With our community leaders and residents not wanting to take any remedial actions to protect themselves and others, we are just very frustrated and concerned with our current situation.

Due to our current high case situation and community spread, I have been asked by one of our school districts if "we" (LCHD) will be recommending and/or requiring masks for the coming school year, beginning in August. To be totally honest, I am HIGHLY CAUTIOUS of this school district, as in the past year-and-a-half, we have experienced numerous issues with them. Any guidance and/or recommendations that I provide to them in the future must be supported by either CDC and/or MoDHSS guidance, and I would like to have it in written documentation.

With that, do you have any current guidance that I can provide from CDC or MoDHSS?

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RE: COVID B.1.617.2 Variant [encrypt]

Kavlak, Leslie

Mon 6/14/2021 5:29 PM

To: Bailey, Kimberly <Kimberly.Bailey@lpha.mo.gov>; Baker, Charla <Charla.Baker@lpha.mo.gov>; McAtee, Alicia <Alicia.McAtee@lpha.mo.gov>; Smith, Kim <Kim.Smith@lpha.mo.gov>; Wyant, David <David.Wyant@lpha.mo.gov>;
Cc: Goswitz, Jessica <Jessica.Goswitz@health.mo.gov>;

1 attachments (13 KB)

Variants_Laclede_06.14.2021.xlsx;

Hi all,

DHSS was notified of the attached variant case who appears to reside in your jurisdiction. **At this time, sequencing results are for public health purposes only and cannot be shared with the provider or the patient.**

Note: We have already updated the variant field in EpiTrax, so no need to do that with this case.

Was the patient interviewed and contact tracing completed? If so, would you please complete the below fields in EpiTrax.

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2. Measures of severity, particularly hospitalization and ICU admission as well as death;
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Please see <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/cases-updates/variant-surveillance/variant-info.html> for up-to-date information on variants of interest and variants of concern from the CDC.

- B.1.617.2 (India) is considered a variant of interest

Lastly, if you all plan to do any press releases, would you be willing to please give us a heads up?

Please let us know if you have any questions or if we can be of any assistance. Thank you for all that you do! 😊

Best,

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From: Goswitz, Jessica <Jessica.Goswitz@health.mo.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, June 9, 2021 4:47 PM
To: Bailey, Kimberly <Kimberly.Bailey@lpha.mo.gov>; Baker, Charla <Charla.Baker@lpha.mo.gov>; McAtee, Alicia <Alicia.McAtee@lpha.mo.gov>; Smith, Kim <Kim.Smith@lpha.mo.gov>; Wyant, David <David.Wyant@lpha.mo.gov>
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Please see <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/cases-updates/variant-surveillance/variant-info.html> for up-to-date information on variants of interest and variants of concern from the CDC.

- B.1.617.2 (India) is considered a variant of interest

Lastly, if you all plan to do any press releases, would you be willing to please give us a heads up?

Please let us know if you have any questions or if we can be of any assistance. Thank you for all that you do! ☺

Best,

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