Northwest Michigan June 2017 Newsletter Chronic Disease Prevention Coalition



Tobacco Cessation Community/Clinical Linkages

Karen Ripke and Holly Joseph provided the Tobacco Treatment Specialist Training, during the week of June 5-8, 2017. This training was an intensive 4-day, in person, evidence-based program designed for health professionals to deliver intensive tobacco treatment services within a health care or community setting. Seven participants attended this training, representing District Health Department #10, Spectrum Health (Ludington), Spectrum Health (Reed City), Health Department of Northwest Michigan and Muskegon Family Care.

Northern Michigan Diabetes Prevention Collaborative

Laura Anderson conducted a Diabetes Prevention Lifestyle Coach training, on May 11-12, for members of the Northern Michigan CDCN. A total of 11 participants completed the training at the University Center in Gaylord. These new Lifestyle coaches will have the combined capacity to cover over 15 northern counties.

Policy, Systems, and Environmental Change

SAVE THE DATE SEPTEMBER 22, 2017

8:30 AM - 3:30 PM | FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY

Making Healthier Places to Live, Work, and Play - Through Policy, Systems, and Environmental Change

Join us for inspirational speakers and local coalition success stories from projects that have helped create healthier communities in each of our counties.

Who should attend?

- School Personnel
- Worksite Wellness

Committee Members

- Local Elected Officials
 - Healthcare Providers
 - Public Health Staff
 - Food Service Staff
 - Hospital Staff
 - Senior Center Staff
- Early Childhood Staff

Registration Link: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ChronicDiseaseSummit

Community Spotlight - Bread of Life

Bread of Life food pantry, located in Lake County, held it's open house on Saturday, June 3rd. FY 16 Tencon funds provided a heating and cooling unit for the pantry to keep food at proper temperatures (it's in a converted garage). FY 17 Tencon funds provided supplies for weighing, labeling, and packaging bulk pantry items.





FY 17 Tencon Funds - Approved

Oceana- Marketing for Farmer's Market, signage and tokens for Senior Power of Produce program and park improvements.

Newaygo- CATCH program equipment (ninja blender, lunchroom signage) and tobacco lung models for Breathe Well.

Crawford- Community walking routes, wayfinding/marketing and school physical activity equipment.

Kalkaska- Kalkaska Farmer's Market marketing/promotion.

Mason- Walk in cooler and freezer for the Lakeshore Resource Network (Food Pantry).

Mecosta- Big Rapids Community Garden, Big Rapids Community Library gardening/seed library, tobacco free signage, Starburst food pantry educational material, strategic planning and marketing funds for Big Rapids Health Coalition

Missaukee & Wexford- Worksite Wellness

Manistee- Physical Activity equipment for the new rec
center at Old Armory and physical activity equipment for
the senior center village being developed at old

Lake - Canning lending library, 501c3 filing fees, community garden and choice pantry labeling supplies.

Oleson's store.

Canning Kit Lending Program

LENDING SITES: Edgett's Wesleyan Church, Luther

Irons Seventh Day Adventist Church

Chase Fellowship Church

Everything you need, but the kitchen sink!

- Kits are available to lend from sponsoring agencies for FREE all year round!
- Must attend a canning class from MSU Extension to be lent a kit. Call for details on upcoming classes.
- You may sign the kits out for up to (1) week at a time
- Call ahead (231-745-4663 ext. 7529) to arrange a
 pick up time for your kit. Walk-in lending not
 available. Sites are limited in availability.

Check out www.livewell4health.org for coalition updates and information.



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