

Statewide EBL Nursing Case Management Conference Call

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Thursday, 6/20/19

1:00 PM-2:00 PM

Call-in information: **1-888-273-3658 Access Code: 6296571#**

- 1. Welcome and Introductions**
- 2. Radon – Aaron Berndt, Indoor Radon Specialist, radon@michigan.gov, 517-327-2618** –Aaron, an Indoor Radon Specialist from the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE, formerly DEQ) talked briefly about radon and some resources that were included in the e-mail send on 06/19/19.
- 3. Water Testing – Action Level Exceedances –**
 - a. The Lead and Copper Rule is a part of the Michigan Safe Water Drinking Act, and there has recently been some changes made to the rule. One of these changes is expanding the method of drawing water samples, which will improve our ability to detect lead and copper in drinking water. This doesn't mean that there is a change to the water, but there is a tightening of the standards for sampling. This summer, public water systems will be using this new method, and reporting results to the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy. When the 90th percentile sample has a lead in water concentration of 15 ppb or higher, this is considered to be an action level exceedance. When an action level exceedance is reported, it may trigger other actions like:
 - i. Increased lead and copper monitoring
 - ii. Water quality parameter monitoring (this means looking at the water's pH, and measuring concentrations of silica, chloride, sulfate and other substances)
 - iii. Source water monitoring
 - iv. Corrosion control treatment
 - v. Public notification of results
 - vi. Public education about lead and its health effects
 - b. MDHHS is unable to accurately project the number of communities that may be impacted. Currently, we are working on readiness plans for local health departments, but that have not yet been finalized. We are working with other state departments to ensure consistent messaging. Once finalized, this plan will be shared with LHDs, including EH managers and Health Officers.
- 4. Statewide Lead Media Campaign** – A statewide lead media campaign that will be launched at the end of this month – messages are on social media and pandora radio.
- 5. Data Discussion – Dan**
 - a. **2017 CLPPP Annual Report**
 - i. In process of updating and doing a deeper dive into data. Should be out by late summer. The data is now finalized, and will be shared on the file transfer mibloodlead areas, an e-mail will be sent out when this data is available.
 - b. **Quarterly LHD Reports**

- i. Quarterly data reports to provide local health departments a more frequent update on their jurisdiction's data. The report will show capillary to venous testing rates. It will come out one quarter after the quarter of the report, i.e., Quarter 1 report will come out at the end of Quarter 2. The report will be broken down on county level, but bigger counties might be broken down into zip code level.
 - c. Data Referent Group**
 - i. Giving input on what may be included in quarterly reports to ensure they will meet local health department needs. Contact Dan Albright at albrightd@michigan.gov if you are interested in participating.
 - d. HL7 Messaging**
 - i. If there are any local health departments interested in switching to HL7, let CLPPP know. This will eliminate manual entry, allow results to be pulled from EHRS, and data process through our system quicker. CLPPP has had success working with a variety of EHRs, including Patagonia.
- 6. Upcoming FY19 Deadline**
 - a. Quarter 3 (April – June 2019) Spreadsheets/FSRs/FSR Supplemental Forms – Due July 30th**
- 7. Other Updates/Reminders**
 - a. Update LHD Contact Information**
- 8. Roll Call – LHD relationship with Early Head Starts/Head Starts in your jurisdiction** – Early Head Starts/Head Starts are required to do follow up with their clients with elevated capillary test results to ensure that a venous test is completed as part of their federal performance measures. With working with similar populations on increasing capillary to venous rates, please talk about current local health department relationships with early head starts/head starts.
- 9. Next Conference Call – Thursday, August 15th, 2019 from 1-2 p.m.** – as always, if you have ideas for speakers or topics you'd like to cover on these phone calls, please let us know at MDHHS-CLPPP@michigan.gov or 517-335-8885