

June 2013



Points of Interest.....

- Public Health Emergency Bio-Watch/SNS Full-Scale Statewide Exercise: occurred June 17-19. Activated and set-up two types of dispensing sites to provide prophylaxis within the target time (within 2 hours). Provided medications to a combined total of 293 head of households (equaling 900 individuals or lives saved). See attachment for more information.
- American Heart Association and Partners at Heart hosted a Workplace Wellness Forum at Comfort Inn on June 6. Dr. Mercatante presented on Chronic Diseases and Wellness. Emphasized SCC data. Various organizations were in attendance.
- First annual Sturgeon Festival on June 2 @ the Maritime Center very successful. 600 people attended. Booths, workshops, and activities provide. Positive comments from attendees. The Huron Lady Sturgeon Cruise was a huge success; guests got to see lots of sturgeon on the bottom of Lake Huron broadcast to the TV's on deck. Good media coverage before and after event.
- Vision & Hearing Technicians provided 18,911 screens to St Clair County school children @ 46 public schools; 9 private/parochial; 1 charter during the 2012/2013 school year (August – June).
- Health Education team provided approximately 1,800 St. Clair County students education @ 22 schools on puberty (elementary) and STIs (high school) (December-June).
- New agreement signed with Port Huron Hospital to expand WIC enrollment services to new Moms and infants. WIC staff will go to PHH to explain WIC, provide enrollment appointments and breastfeeding support. Hope to expand to River District in near future.
- Working to support SC4 Wellness Committee members in their efforts to create a smoke-free college campus. Letter of support and staff assistance will be provided as needed.