



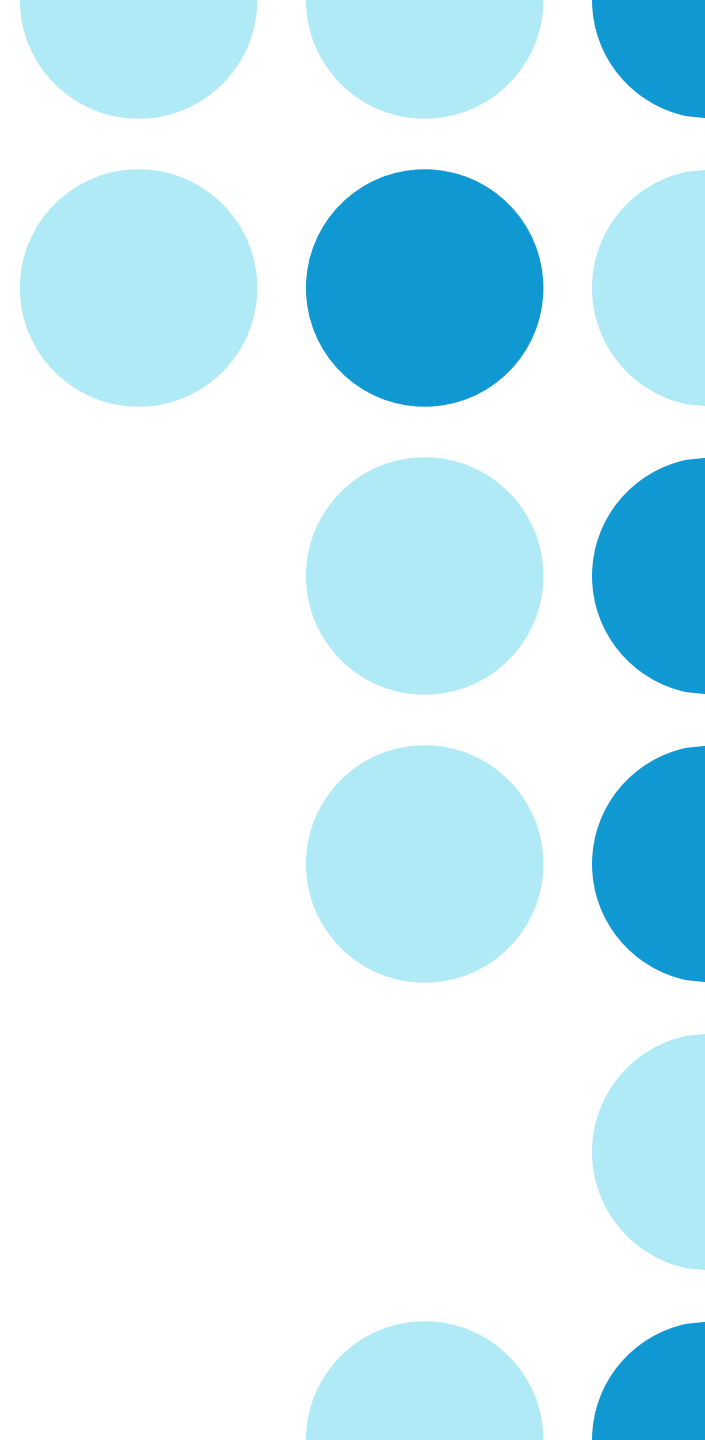
# **North Shore Health Department Board of Health**

## **February 23, 2023**

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# Agenda

- Vaccine Services Update
    - Site visit report
    - Plans for the fall
  - Community Health Assessment Update
  - Preparedness Updates
    - RNC Planning
    - Radiological Exercise
  - Program Updates
  - Staffing Updates
  - Workforce Development
  - NSHD/NSFR Updates
  - Annual Report Approval
  - 140 Review set for June
  - WALHDAB Updates
    - Operations
    - Policy and Advocacy
  - Other items
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# Vaccine Services Update

## Vaccines for Children (VFC) Site Visit

- A lot of moving parts before the site visit
    - Virtual trainings for admin staff and vaccinators
    - Updating the VFC Binders (manual back-up)
    - Updating COVID-19 Restitution and Immunizations policy
    - Updating contact info in all sites and materials
  - Site visit occurred February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023
  - Both Becky and Joey's first site visit with NSHD
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# Finding: VFC Eligibility Screenings done “partly” correct

- Correctly using VFC exclusion criteria; making sure people who are *ineligible* **do not** receive VFC vaccines
  - Should also be using inclusion criteria; making sure people who are *eligible* **do** receive VFC vaccines
  - Consent forms inconsistently noted proper **eligibility, payment source, insurance type** despite having a listed option
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# NSHD Corrective Action Plan

- Retrain staff on the necessity of and expectation around proper documentation
- ProVision and WIR are glitching with data exchange
  - Joey already met with ProVision rep on Wednesday
- Having multiple locations/PINs has made running and organizing VFC a challenge
- Looking into WIR helpdesk to have us delete or inactivate a site PIN

Overall, we are pleased with how it went. We spent a good deal of time preparing and did not overprepare. Joey did a great job prepping and organizing for the visit and had a great list of questions for our site monitor. Room for improvement, but the only way up is through!

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# Vaccine Services Update: Fall Clinic Plans (Preliminary)

## Four Mass Clinics

- Brown Deer Middle/High School
- Nicolet High School
- Shorewood High School
- Whitefish Bay High School
- Hosted on weeknights, after school, potentially alongside a school event (open house, football game, etc)
- Time and dates TBD

## Back to School

- In 2022, Brown Deer Back to School clinics were a success.
- We are planning to do it again this year; partially dependent on VFC supply of vaccine we are able to get from the state
- We still have unexpired vaccine that will be useful for this fall.
- Time and dates TBD

# UPDATED 2023-2024 School Immunizations

## Key Takeaways

1. Parental report of Varicella (Chicken Pox) is **no longer viable as exception to vaccination**. “Exceptions are only allowed if the student has a case diagnosed by qualified healthcare provider.”

2. MenACWY (Meningococcal) vaccines are required for entry to 7<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grade

\*Effective 2023-2024 school year

Comparison of Wisconsin school-required vaccines prior to the 2023-2024 school year compared to vaccine requirements starting in the 2023-2024 school year

Quick Guide	
Previous requirements	School requirements starting in the 2023-2024 school year
<p><b>For entry to kindergarten through sixth grades students need:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4 doses of polio vaccine</li><li>• 3 doses of hepatitis B</li><li>• 4 doses of DTaP/DTP/DT/TD</li><li>• 2 doses of varicella (chicken pox),</li><li>• 2 doses of MMR</li><li>• 1 Tdap at sixth grade</li></ul>	<p><b>For entry to kindergarten through sixth grades students need:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4 doses of polio vaccine</li><li>• 3 doses of hepatitis B</li><li>• 4 doses of DTaP/DTP/DT/TD</li><li>• 2 doses of varicella (chickenpox)*</li><li>• 2 doses of MMR</li></ul> <p><b>For entry to 7-11<sup>th</sup> grades</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 Tdap</li><li>• 1 MenACWY-containing vaccine</li></ul> <p><b>For entry to 12<sup>th</sup> grade</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 1 MenACWY-containing booster</li></ul>

**Note:** Children must be up to date on all vaccines listed for previous grades. For example, if a seventh grader is missing a dose of hepatitis B, they'll need a catch-up dose of hepatitis B prior to seventh grade matriculation.

\*Exceptions to the varicella vaccine requirement will be allowed in both child care centers and schools only if the child has had a case diagnosed by a qualified health care provider.

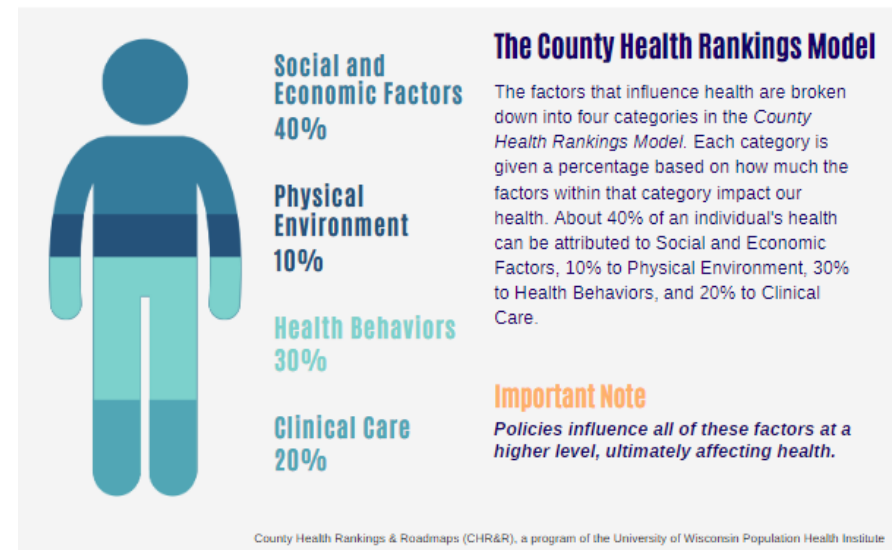
# North Shore Community Health Assessment (CHA) updates

- CHA report is in-progress
- Will present report at next BOH meeting in May to get feedback before publishing it

## Next steps after that...

- Community Health Improvement Plan (CHIP) → pick priority areas for our department based on CHA results and develop CHIP
- Identify goals and evidence-based programs and initiatives for our priority areas
- Form **steering/advisory committee** to work towards goals in priority areas
- Seek out partnerships in priority areas

## WHAT INFLUENCES HEALTH?

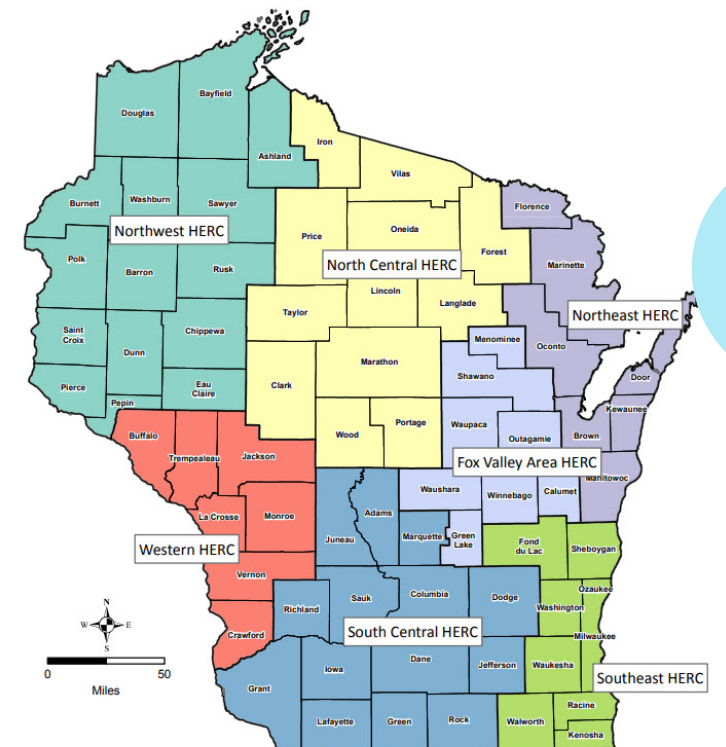




# Public Health Preparedness

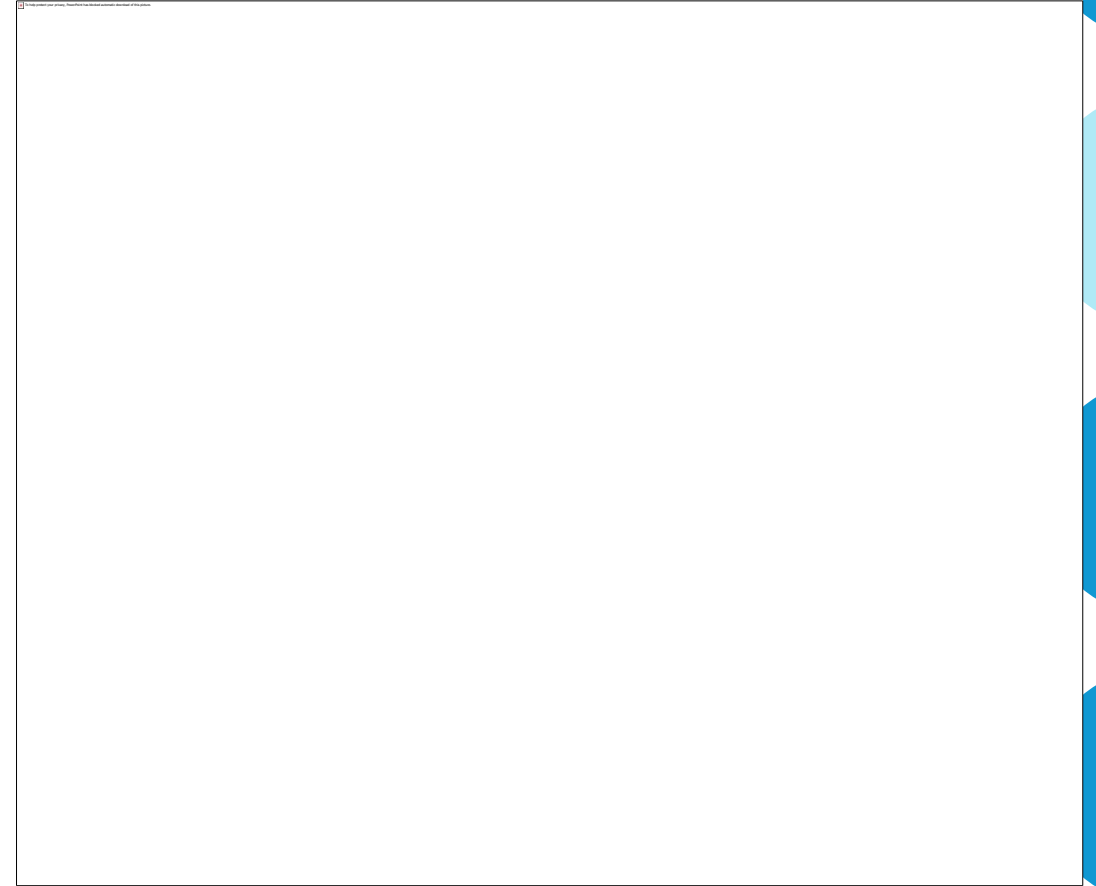
- Wisconsin Governor's Conference on Emergency Management next week in Madison
- RNC planning has begun in the region
  - RNC set for July 15-18, 2024
  - Many trainings will be held by Federal, State and Local level organizations for preparedness staff
  - DNC – finalists are Atlanta, Chicago and New York; date TBD
- Radiological Tabletop on March 15
  - Hosted by Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalition (HERC) Region 7 (Southeast)
  - Public Health's role - provide sheltering, mass care, emergency assistance and health and human services; support of the American Red Cross (ARC). More specific responsibilities in radiologic emergency will be discussed at the tabletop.

Wisconsin Healthcare Emergency  
Readiness Coalitions (HERC)



# Program Updates

- **Harm reduction vending machines**
    - Through MKE County Behavioral Health Services - 25 vending machines have been purchased and will be disseminated to agencies across Milwaukee County over a three-year period from 2023 to 2025.
    - Applied to get one in Brown Deer Village Hall
    - *Milwaukee County has seen nearly a 60 percent increase in overdose deaths from 2016 to 2020, with 545 deaths recorded in 2020. In 2021, fentanyl was found in 508 of 644 drug overdose deaths (79%). Similar trend seen in preliminary 2022 data.*
  - **Narcan Direct Program – distribution started**
    - Public can go on our website and book an appointment time to come in for training and get Narcan. Walk-ins are accepted but it is not guaranteed staff who are able to provide the training will be available.
  - Initiatives around mental health with Wisconsin Psychological Association and Dr. Mike Zussman of Sunrise Counseling in WFB
    - Community presentation on Social Media and Adolescent Well-being at Lydell Community Center
    - Future collaboration opportunities in the works!
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# Staffing Updates: Welcome!

- Heather Champagne, BSN, MPH
  - Public Health Nurse, started 12/6/2022
- Chris Osowski, BSN
  - Public Health Nurse, started 1/9/2023
- Afi Komi, BSN Candidate
  - Public Health Nurse Intern, started 1/30/2023



**THEY ARE AWESOME!** 

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# Workforce Development

- Workforce Development Funding extended to June 2024
  - Recently started our strategic planning process and had a staff retreat
  - Leslie completed re-cert for lactation consultation
  - Brad (re-cert) and Leslie will take Certified Pool Operator (CPO) training in March
  - Becky on New Health Officer Advisory Committee
  - Joey is in the New to Public Health Residency Program
  - PHNs attended STI summit and TB training
  - Everyone got re-cert (except Becky!) for CPR and was fit tested
  - Please add to this!
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# NSHD Space and Funding Updates

- NSHD new funding formula unanimously approved by all 7 NS boards!
    - Changed term of agreement from 10 to 8 years (follow Census)
    - Removed rent expenses, adjusted admin charge for VBD, MOU in place
    - Removed 3rd party liability clause; in conflict with the hold harmless clause
  - Contract signed with Scherrer Construction
    - Becky & Brad meet with NSFR, Kueny Architects, and Scherrer every other week
    - Funding secured through City of Glendale municipal bonds
    - Becky got approval to request all ARPA upfront, based on signed contract
      - VBD Treasured opened an Investment Account with DOA for NSHD
  - Discussion about branding all 5 NSFR as NSFR & Health
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# North Shore Health Department Building Status Update

## Last Quarter

- Health Department full portion: \$1.294M
  - \$626,900 ARPA
  - \$189,711 PH Infrastructure
  - \$200,000 Fund Balance
  - \$275,000 borrowed by NSFR for NSHD paid back over 20 years
    - Lease to own

Approved by Brown Deer Board 2/20  
NSFR Board on 2/21

## Update: Summary of the NSHD NSFR Intergovernmental Agreement

### Before and during construction:

- NSHD will bring \$1.02M to the project using ARPA, infrastructure, and fund balance dollars.
- NSFR will borrow **\$180K** for NSHD to be paid back over 20 years.
- Any unspent contingency funding remains, NSHD will receive a proportional refund of 10.86% of the total
- NSFR will track and distribute additional change order costs and savings that arise during the construction

### Upon completion and occupancy:

- The building will be owned by NSFR
- All non-structural maintenance in the NSHD will be the responsibility of NSHD
- NSHD will pay for all utility services for the NSHD office
  - 10.86% of totals, 5% of water
- NSFR will cover all remaining expenses, including but not limited to the roof, common areas, and parking lot.
- NSHD will start and maintain a capital fund and pay a proportional cost for repairs as needed
- NSHD will owe **no rent** and **no lease** shall exist to NSFR
- NSHD will contribute to a capital fund and contribute proportionally to common building expenses
- NSHD will hold occupancy for a minimum for 20 years and may not lease the space without written consent of NSFR
- 3 years of advance notice is required to separate
- Audit of the current assets would occur and the assets will be split equitably

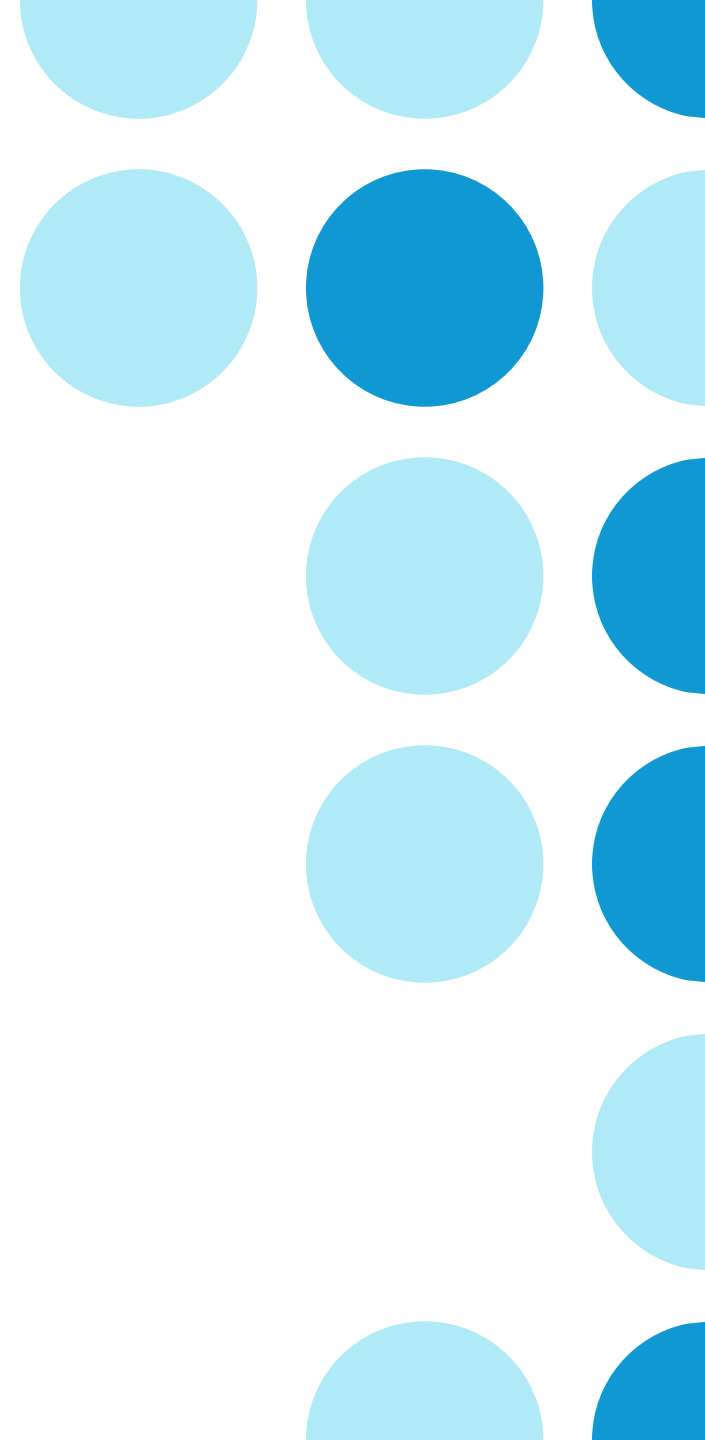
# Next Steps

March 2023

- NSFR relocates (City of Milwaukee on Silver Spring)
- Demo of current Station 82 in Glendale
- Site work demolition

April 2023

- Remove contaminated soil
  - Rammed aggregate piers
  - Prep building pad
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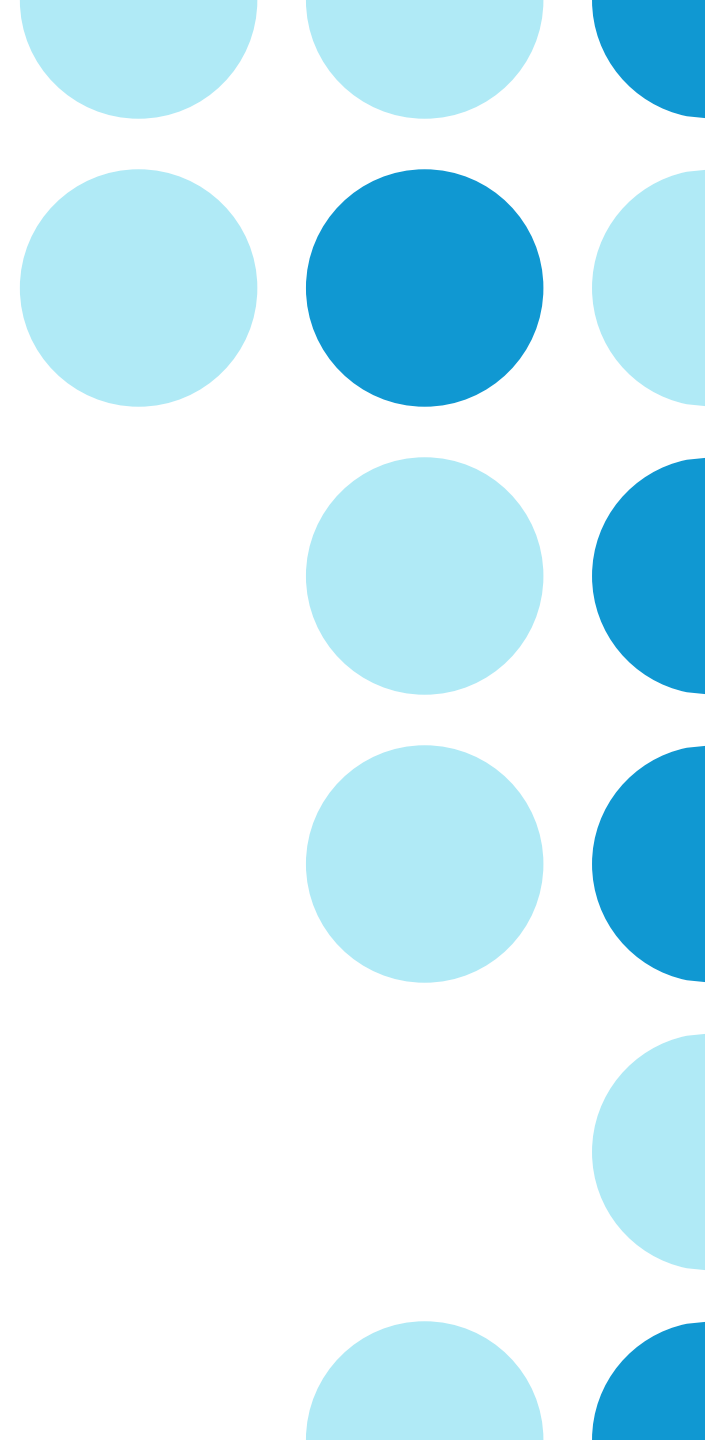
# Next Steps

May 2023

- Prep building pad
- Begin foundation

Crucial timeline: June 2023

- Connect eater, sanitary sewer, storm sewer, gas, electric
  - Erection of the pre-cast walls
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# 2022 Annual Report

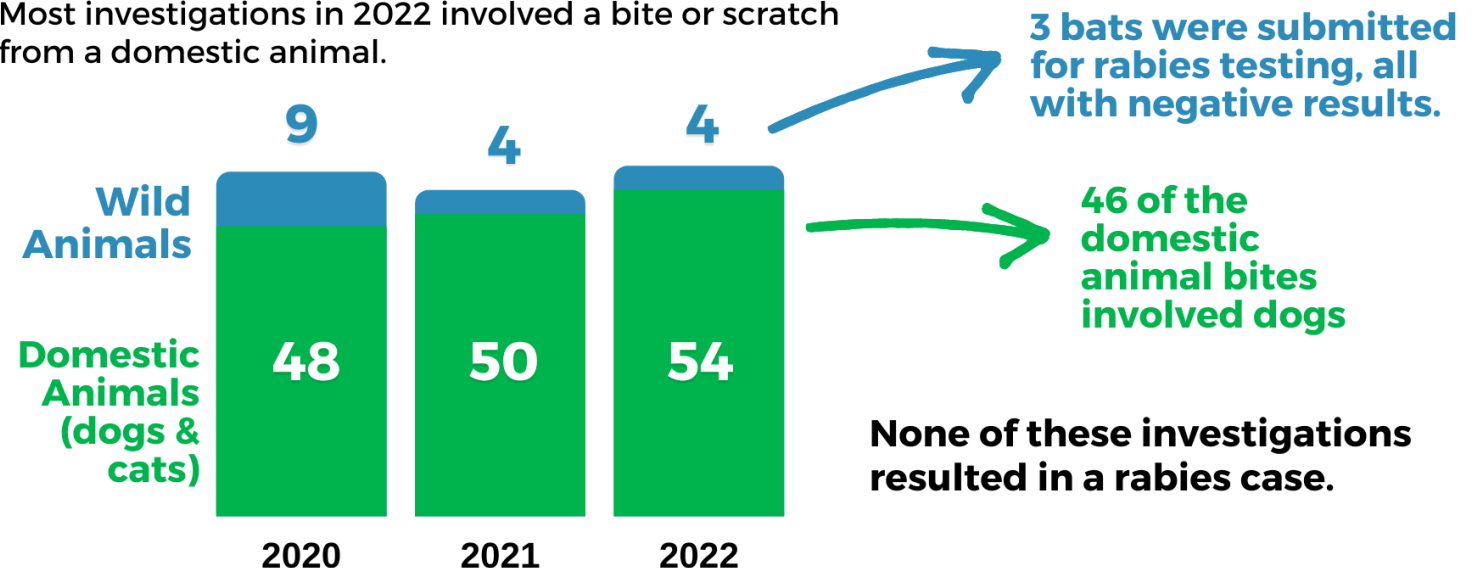
Will be published by the end of February and shared publicly

## Animal Bites & Rabies Control

The North Shore Health Department works with police departments in the North Shore to promptly investigate animal bites for potential rabies exposure. The Health Department is responsible for ensuring that the biting animal is appropriately and legally isolated, observed, and tested for rabies. Investigations can involve human or animal bite victims. NSHD also assists with testing of wild animals, such as bats, which may have come in contact with humans or domestic animals.

### There were 58 total animal investigations in 2022 in the North Shore

Most investigations in 2022 involved a bite or scratch from a domestic animal.



# 2022 Annual Report

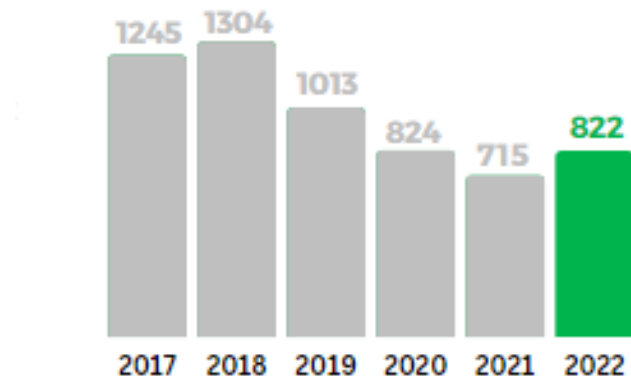
## Lead Level Screening

Children 6 years and younger blood lead level results received by NSHD **746 children**  
**822 samples**

Children w/ initial screening  $\geq 5.0$  mcg/dL **13 (1.7%)**

Children w/ confirmatory screening  $\geq 5.0$  mcg/dL **6 (0.8%)**

Number of blood lead level test results in the North Shore, by year



Data Source: Healthy Homes and Lead Poisoning Surveillance System (HHL PSS)

## COVID-19 Cases

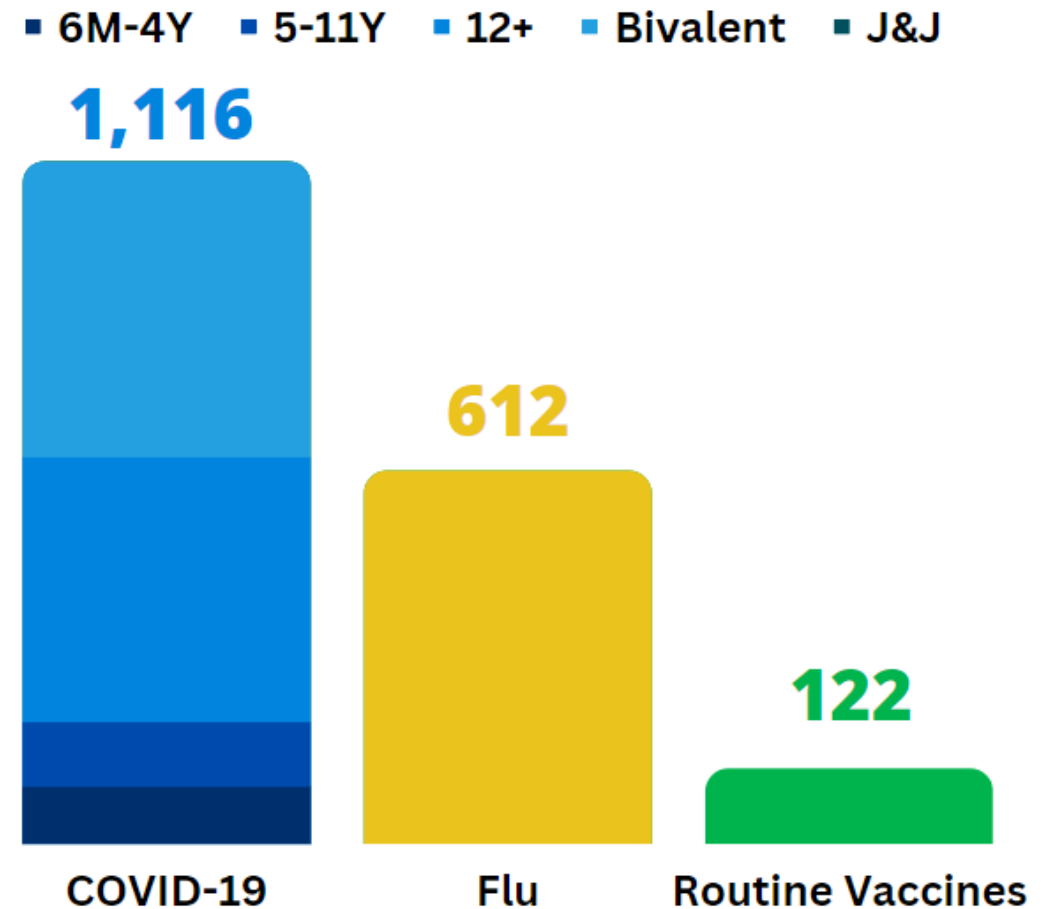
*Includes Confirmed (PCR) & Probable (Antigen) cases*

	Number	Rate per 10,000
Bayside	714	1,593.0
Brown Deer	1,789	1,430.4
Fox Point	1,145	1,651.3
Glendale	2,116	1,584.2
River Hills	241	1,504.4
Shorewood	2,119	1,529.0
Whitefish Bay	2,082	1,392.3
Total	10,206	1,507.6

Data Source: WI Electronic Disease Surveillance System (WEDSS)

# 2022 NSHD Vaccine Data

- The NSHD administered a total of 1,850 vaccinations, **with 60% of them being COVID-19 vaccines.**
- The **annual flu vaccine made up 33%** of all vaccines given by NSHD and **routine vaccines made up 7%.**
- Routine vaccines include those required for school (DTaP, Tdap, Polio, MMR, Varicella, HepB), HPV, and meningococcal.





# 140 Review: June 16th, 2023

Current format is a 3-hour interview and review of the following:

- Annual reports
  - Board of Health meets quarterly
  - Community Health Assessment (aka Community Health Needs Assessment)
  - Community Health Improvement Plan
  - Local Health Officer meets qualifications
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# **WALHDAB Updates**

**Becky attended the WALHDAB Operations Conference last week**

- **Attended some great presentations, including Decolonizing Public health: How the Pandemic Response Reinforced White Supremacy Culture, Concepts and Tools for Fostering Employee Engagement**

**Policy and Advocacy Committee:**

- **Becky applied and was selected to the State WALHDAB P&A Committee, representing the Health Officers in the SE Region**
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# Other Updates

