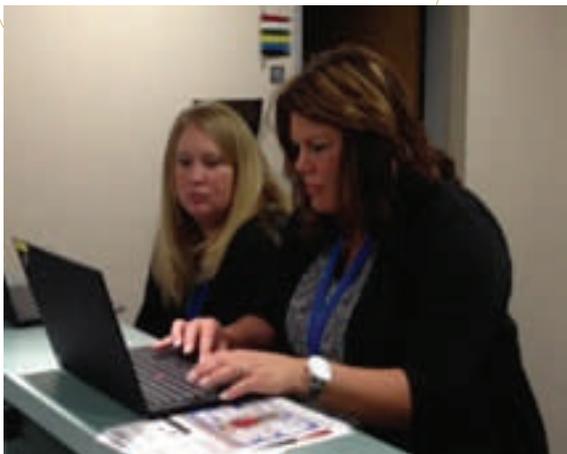


A MATTER OF SUBSTANCE: AT-A-GLANCE

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DIVISION QUICK FACTS



SBIRT Project Launches: On October 25th, Community Health Care and The Center for Alcohol & Drug Services, Inc. (CADS), both in Davenport, admitted the first client into Iowa's SBIRT (Screening, Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment) project. The five-year, \$7.5M Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration grant, provides a comprehensive and integrated public health approach based on universal screening, to reduce the number one most preventable health issue — substance abuse. Five project sites will be implemented across the state, with four FQHCs (Federally Qualified Health Centers), the Iowa National Guard, and six local IDPH-funded substance abuse treatment programs. The FQHCs and National Guard conduct structured screenings and brief intervention and co-located substance abuse staff provide brief treatment and referral to more intensive services where indicated. For more information, visit the SBIRT website at www.idph.state.ia.us/sbirt.

CHC staff Danielle Richardson (left to right) and Lori Luna enter the first SBIRT Iowa client.

Clinical Preventive Services for Women: The *Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010* (ACA) included an emphasis on prevention. In response to that emphasis, less than two weeks after the release of the 2011 Institute of Medicine report entitled *Clinical Preventive Services for Women: Closing the Gaps*, the U.S Department of Health and Human Services adopted IOM recommendations re: services for women. As a result, the full range of preventive services for women would include such things as annual well-woman visits, screening for gestational diabetes, breastfeeding support, specific disease testing, counseling and screening, and screening and counseling related to contraception methods and interpersonal and domestic violence. Health plans are required to comply with these guidelines for plan years beginning on or after August 1, 2012.

IDPH staff working in related programs offer valuable information and resources to help you address these recommendations if you are considering expanding your preventive health services. For more information on HPV testing, STI counseling or HIV screening and counseling, contact Randy Mayer at randy.mayer@idph.iowa.gov. For more information on screening for interpersonal violence, contact Binnie LeHew at binnie.lehew@idph.iowa.gov.

Directors Corner: Hello. It's that time of year when we pull together data and release reports. A couple of recent publications: the 2013 Iowa Drug Control Strategy available at <http://www.iowa.gov/odcp/docs/2013StrategyFinal.pdf> and the Outcomes Management System http://www.idph.state.ia.us/bh/common/pdf/substance_abuse/oms_year14.pdf. In both documents, you'll see information that came from or pertains to the work you do. Good to know! Thanks, Kathy

UPCOMING EVENTS

Marketing Your Coalition

November 14 at 1:00 p.m. via webinar through the Alliance of Coalitions for Change (AC4C). To register, contact Heidi Bainbridge at hbainbridge@yahoo.com.

Ethics, DSM V: Overview and Diagnosing for Substance Abuse Counselors

November 15. Marshalltown - Regency Best Western
Register by calling 641-752-5421.

Social Host Ordinance Versus Nuisance Party Ordinance

November 15 at 10:00 a.m. via webinar through AC4C. To register, contact Heidi Bainbridge at hbainbridge@yahoo.com.

Training Without Travel

Check out the online training courses available at www.trainingresources.org.

For more information about the Division of Behavioral Health, visit www.idph.state.ia.us/bh

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