

# BROOME COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

New York State Public Health Corps Fellowship



## Outreach & Education

- 212 COVID-19 PODS at community based locations
- 60 PODS at sites serving the underserved population
- 38,000 doses of COVID-19 vaccine given as of 1/23
- Attended over 75 community outreach events
- Worked with graduate students at Binghamton University on lead, Community Health Assessment, and antibiotic resistance projects
- Presented COVID-19 related findings at NYSPHC Conference
- Presented Community Health Assessment (CHA) and Community Health Survey data at local NAACP organization and Binghamton University
- Presented COVID-19 Vaccine efforts at NYS Public Health Partnership Conference
- Presented on lead safety, lead safe gardening, sun safety, and tick-borne illnesses to the American Civic Association
- Presented on wastewater surveillance for COVID-19 to senior staff
- Presented on blue-green algae control to senior staff
- Attendee at New York Statewide Immunization Conference
- Attendees at American Public Health Association Conference
- Attendees at NACCHO Preparedness Summit
- Worked with graduate students at Binghamton University on various projects



## Reducing Net County Support

- Leveraged grant funding to promote COVID-19 and Influenza vaccination to Broome County's underserved communities (\$2,000)
- Awarded NACCHO's "Partnering for Vaccine Equity" grant (\$75,000)
- Awarded Community Foundations grant for MPox outreach and education (\$5,000)
- Assisted in writing for CDC's "Overdose Data 2 Action: Local" grant (\$5 million)
- Awarded NACCHO's Medical Reserve Corps RISE grant to provide emergency response resources to Broome County's MRC (\$25,000)
- Assisting in the preparation and training of MRC volunteers for various public health work



## Data and Surveys

- Conducted Community Health Survey receiving over 2,500 responses
- Led focus groups targeting at risk population for Mpox
- Conducted CDC's Rapid Community Assessment to assess vaccine accessibility and hesitancy in vulnerable populations
- Analyzed CDC's COVID-19 community levels and NYSDOH data on Broome County's COVID-19 hospitalizations and admissions for internal operations
- Investigated international and domestic uses of wastewater surveillance and its feasibility for Broome County's surveillance of COVID-19 and opioid usage.
- Analyzed 2000-2023 communicable disease and STI trends to create a publication used to inform local healthcare partners
- Retrieved and analyzed data to support Housing and Urban Development (HUD) grant application
- Collected, analyzed and reported on local, state and national data for the 2022-2024 Community Health Assessment and Improvement Plan update
- Analyzed and organized data for Healthy Families Broome Annual Service Review (ASR)



## Workforce Revitalization Efforts

- Reestablished BCHD's Workplace Wellness and Safety Committees
- Created an internal newsletter
- Created, distributed, analyzed and presented Workplace Wellness Survey
- Organized internal Workplace Wellness events
- Implemented Communications/Social Media policy
- Conducted BCHD staff input survey for the strategic plan with a participation rate of over 94%
- Developed BCHD's 2023-2026 internal strategic plan to improve organizational operations

## Emergency Response & Planning

- Project Public Health Ready Re-accreditation
- Participated in several Broome County Emergency Operation tabletop exercises
- Prepared After Action Report (AAR) for COVID-19
- Emergency Preparedness Plan Updates:
  - Continuity of Operations (COOP)
  - Pandemic Plan
  - Ebola
  - COVID-19
  - Mpox
- Broome County Cooling Center Locations
- Updated all county Point of Dispensing (POD) location information



2023-2026 BCHD Strategic Plan



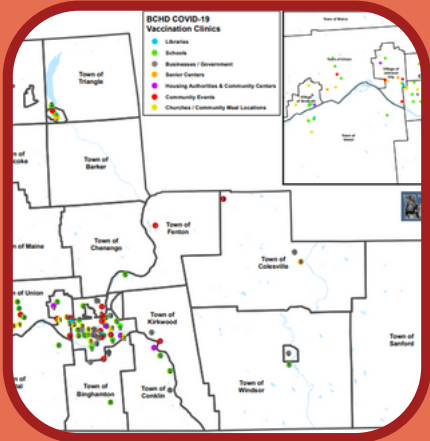
NYSPHC Consortium in Albany



Mental Health Awareness Month at BCHD



HPV awareness tabling at Binghamton University



BCHD Covid-19 Vaccination Clinics Map



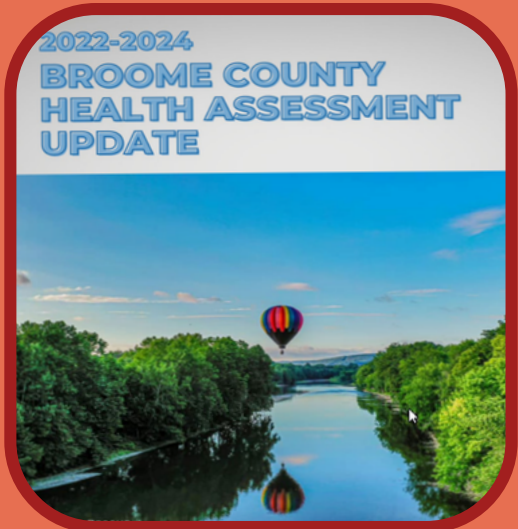
CPR & Narcan training for Medical Reserve Corp.



Broome-Tioga NAACP Presentation on Community Health Survey



COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic



2022-2024 Broome County Community Health Assessment Update