

# DON'T PLAY THIS GAME



## Dane County Immunization Coalition

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### DCIC General Membership Meeting Minutes: August 19, 2008

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WI Division of Public Health  
Immunization Program

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#### Present:

Public Health- Madison & Dane County  
Jeneile Luebke Cleary, Cheryl Robinson  
WI Division of Public Health- Immunization Program  
Wilmot Valhmu  
Madison Metropolitan School District  
Freddi Adelson  
GlaxoSmithKline Vaccines  
Lisa Carey, Cristy Tezac  
UW Peds  
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UW Health  
Elaine Rosenblat  
Sanofi Pasteur  
Mike Mazutis  
Unity Health Insurance  
Breanna Hanson, Daphne Daniels, Cheryl Munro  
Merck Vaccines  
Maria Zannoni-Peterson  
Dean Health  
Cheryl Matzinger, Linda Capener, Brenda Klahn  
WPS Insurance  
Mary Carlson  
Hometown Pharmacies  
Erika Horstman  
Group Health Cooperative- SCW  
Gwen Long  
MedImmune  
Suzanne Stackhouse  
Access Community Health  
Gladys Briggs  
Wyeth Vaccines  
Bill Hayes  
Wildwood Family Clinics  
Jennifer Rein  
Meriter Hospital  
Sara Babcock, Ann Ebert  
Novartis Vaccines  
Dr. Jose Guzman

**DCIC General Members:**

**THANK YOU** for your support, attendance, and participation in the coalition. The mission and goals and ongoing success of the coalition cannot be met without you!

Meeting was called to order by Jeneile Luebke Cleary  
Introductions

**Presentation and Discussion** (See attached presentation)

Marilyn Michels RN MSN CIC CRRN  
Nurse Epidemiologist, Gundersen Lutheran

Kathleen Ann Curtis MS, RN  
Instructor, UW Madison School of Nursing-Western Campus; Maternal/Child Nursing  
Gundersen Lutheran

Marilyn and Kathleen will provide an overview of the experience that Gundersen Lutheran has had in implementing protocols for immunization of new mothers in their hospital/health system.

**Board of Directors Report- Jeneile Luebke Cleary**

- Wilmot Valhmu has recently filled the Vice Chair seat. Wilmot is from the WI Division of Public Health.
- Dean DCIC representative will be Deb Paulus
- New Board representative from GHC- SCW – Gwen Long, PA-C (Safety Infection and Control)
- Treasurer report \$6,800 in bank

**Immunization Practices Report – Jeneile Luebke Cleary**

- Public Health has 25 walk-in free immunization clinics per month:  
[http://www.cityofmadison.com/health/coalitions/pdf\\_files/ImmClinicSchedules.pdf](http://www.cityofmadison.com/health/coalitions/pdf_files/ImmClinicSchedules.pdf)
- The next Immunization PEARLS will be out late August. Will be available on the DCIC website.
- New DCIC website: [www.immunizedanecounty.org](http://www.immunizedanecounty.org)

**Education Outreach and Media Report**

None

Pamphlets for the Grand Rounds and Immunization Symposium are on the DCIC website.  
Meeting adjourned

**There WILL NOT be a DCIC meeting in October due to the Symposium****Additional news:**

I wanted to take a moment to let you know that I am leaving my position at Public Health-Madison & Dane Co. I will be starting a new position at UW Health next month. This position

will allow me the opportunity to transition into a Clinical Nurse Specialist role when I finish my master's degree this next spring.

I have enjoyed my tenure with the Dane County Immunization Coalition and I appreciate having had the opportunity to work with all of you. It has been an honor to work with such talented and dedicated professionals all working to achieve higher immunization rates for our citizens of Dane County.

Even though I will miss all of you and will miss seeing the great things that you are doing in our community, I am looking forward to this new challenge and to starting a new phase of my career.

Until a new coalition coordinator is hired, please contact Amy Vieth if you have any questions, etc. Her email is [Aveith@publichealthmdc.com](mailto:Aveith@publichealthmdc.com)

**The Next DCIC General Membership Meeting is:  
December 16th, 2008 12 Noon- 1:30**

**Speaker/ Discussion:  
Speaker: TBA**