



Trumbull Health Board
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MINUTES
January 15th, 2020

Members Present: Nancy Busch – Chairperson, Richard Bellows, Debbi Charles, Amy Lehaney, & Glenn Rich

Members Absent: None

Also Present: Lucienne Bango - Director of Health & Joel Kunkel, MD – Medical Director

Call to Order: Mr. Bellows called the Trumbull Health Board to order at 6:15PM

Public Comment: Chairperson Busch received a few emails from Mr. Robert Kaufman regarding the water quality of the hot tub at LA Fitness. The sanitarian looked into the matter and Health Director Bango called Mr. Kaufman back with a status update.

Ms. Lehaney made a motion to accept the minutes of the December 11, 2019 meeting; seconded by Mr. Bellows. Motion carried unanimously.

Ms. Bango distributed the December activity reports. The highlights included:

- Food Service Establishment fees need to change to reflect the changes to the FDA Code.
- Two new public health interns will be starting this semester. One intern will be starting later this month. The other will be starting in the spring.
- January is Radon Awareness month and the department is offering free radon test kits to town residents.
- The Engineering department will make it possible for the Health Department and the Parks & Rec Department to track groundwater wells and placement of mosquito dunks, respectively, on ARCGIS. The Health Department already tracks septic repairs and elevated radon levels.
- Bridgeport Hospital and various departments in town including the Senior Center and Health Department will be joining a statewide care coordination platform that will connect hospitals and health systems with community-based organizations to deliver integrated care. The **Unite Us** technology platform will help to address patients' needs from a holistic standpoint and in turn keep our communities healthier.
- The department participated in an Emergency Preparedness tabletop "food borne outbreak" exercise. The exercise resulted in update to our food borne illness protocols.
- The area health departments (Trumbull, Stratford, Monroe, & Bridgeport) are collaborating on a two-year "Healthy Community Grant". The focus of the grant is healthy eating in conjunction with breastfeeding.

Old Business:

- The vote on the Food Service Establishment fee increase was postponed until the February meeting.

New Business:

- None

There being no further business brought before the Board, a motion made by Ms. Lehaney and seconded by Ms. Charles to adjourn the meeting at 6:45PM. The motion carried unanimously.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, 02/12/2020 at 6:15PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Joanna DiPalma

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