

Health Services to the Bayline Communities

Public Health Services

Public health nurse travels 2 times per month Community Health Workers On call workers

Immunization

Almost 100% in every community

Influenza/Pneumococcal

1-2 trips to each community in flu season (November – March) Homebound clients are seen in the home

Sexually Transmitted Diseases

Sexual health counseling – grade 5 through highest grade Disclosure/counseling Distribution of condoms Counseling available to all who request

ТВ

Follow up for clients
Direct Observed Therapy – 9 months
Direct Observed Preventative Therapy – sleeping TB
Community presentations upon request
Outreach

Public Health in the Schools

Detailed calendar Awareness outreaches:

> Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Immunization Awareness

Flu awareness

Tobacco +++

Lice (September, January, April) - triangle approach

Mental wellness awareness

Safety - Safe Kids week - June

Diabetes (November)

World Aids Day (HIV/AIDS)

Prevention of Communicable Diseases

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Community Events

National Child Day - November Family Literacy Day – January Safe Kids – June

*** we need to plan more on literacy – our rates are not improving
Frontier has give excellent leadership to literacy in the north in the last
decade

Prenatal and Postnatal Care Healthy Baby

Prenatal up to one year

Nutrition education/milk vouchers

Not running due to vacancies at present

Nurses/Community Health workers are excellent at referring to the program

Books for Babies – package given to every new mom

Oral Health

Our dental health coordinator has been to every community Train the trainer – health centre staff

Chronic Disease Prevention Initiative

Physical activity Nutrition

Tobacco reduction

Mental wellness

Diabetes

RN/Dietitian – travel every 2 months to communities – clients visited every 2 months

Presentations as requested

Diabetic foot care nurses traveling regularly

Retinal screening

Risk Factors and Complications Assessments – train the trainer program is starting in the fall

Public Health Dietitian

Not filled at present

Will do presentations upon request from communities

Involved in the development of the Frontier School Division Healthy Food Policy

All communities will have a calendar to outline health services coming to the communities...... Where should these be posted?

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Mental Health

Pikwitonei – no mental health worker going in

Thicket Portage – no mental - handful of cases – no shows even with phone calls, (1 year ago)

Wabowden – going back in September, want to plan with school and community

THIS IS A PARTNERSHIP THAT WE NEED WITH THE COMMUNITY

Our objective is to partner with the community for focus on promotion and prevention and to reduce the stigma

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